

Community Food Spaces in Warrington

In Warrington there are a range of affordable community food spaces that can help you save money on your food bills and stretch budgets further. These projects help tackle food waste, often using surplus food that would have gone into to landfill. They are all welcoming, friendly spaces, ran by local communities.

The bread and butter thing.

The Bread and Butter Thing is a food club which is open to anyone. Members can access 3 bags of food for £8.50. This includes one bag of chilled items, one bag of cupboard items and one bag of fruit & veg.

Locations/ Opening times:

Monday:	1:30pm - 2pm	The Old School, Fairfield Street, WA1 3GF
Tuesday:	1:30pm - 2pm	Warrington Disability Partnership, Evelyn Street, WA5 1BA (<i>New Venue</i>)
Wednesday:	2:30pm - 3pm	Dallam Primary School, Boulting Avenue, WA5 0JG
Thursday:	1pm - 1:30pm	Birchwood C of E Primary School, Admirals Road, WA3 6QG
Friday:	1:30pm - 2pm	Westy Community Centre, Bridgewater Avenue, WA4 1TA

Cost: £5 - 1 bumper bag (perfect for a single person household)
£8.50 - 3 x bags (perfect for a couple or family)

How to access: Text 07860063304 with your full name, postcode, and the name of the hub you will be collecting from. Once you are a member you will receive a text every week to ask you if you want an order, reply YES and your order will be available at your chosen hub at the time above.

Community Shop

The Community Shop is a Social Supermarket where you can access deeply discounted food as well as their community kitchen, activities and support. Members can shop every day and buy as much as they wish.

Location: The Community Shop, 8 Bewsey Park Cl, Bewsey, Warrington WA5 0AN

Opening times: 10am - 6pm Monday - Friday
10am - 4pm Saturday

Cost: Membership is free and you can purchase any items you wish

How to access: You must be on a means-tested benefit to become a member. Turn up during the opening hours or go to www.companyshopgroup.co.uk/community-shop-membership to sign up. You must bring proof of address and benefit on first visit.



The Community Grocery is a Food Pantry where anyone who is being impacted by the rising cost of living can become a member. Members can purchase 12 items for £5, 18 items for £7.50 or 24 items for £10.

This includes fruit & veg/ fresh/ cupboard/ frozen items. They also sell 'little extras' which you can purchase in addition to your shop. Members can shop everyday and can access their cafe and courses ran by life church.

Location: Life Church Warrington, Cotswold Road, Orford, Warrington, WA2 9SE

Opening times: 9:30am - 2pm Monday - Friday

Cost: Membership fee - £5 per year, £5/£7.50 or £10 per shop

How to access: Turn up during the opening hours and you can sign up.



The Little Shops at Fearnhead is an affordable food pantry where anyone can become a member. This Little Shop stocks fresh fruit & veg/ chilled/ cupboard/ frozen items. Members typically save over £15 per shop.

Location: Fearnhead Cross Community Centre, Insall Road, Fearnhead, WA2 0HD

Opening times: 10am - 12pm Tuesday
10am - 12pm Wednesday
1pm - 3:30pm Wednesday
10:30am - 12:30pm Thursday

Cost: £5 per shop (membership is free) - For £5 you get 10 items + fruit & veg

How to access: Just turn up during the opening hours and you can sign up with a team member.



The Little Shop at Latchford is an affordable food space where anyone can become a member. This Little Shop stocks fresh fruit & veg/ chilled/ cupboard/ frozen items. You can buy as much or as little as you'd like.

Location: Latchford Baptist Church, Loushers Lane, Latchford, WA4 2RP

Opening times: 5pm - 7pm Tuesday
10:30am - 1pm Thursday

Cost: There is a points based system and most items cost the equivalent of 50p (membership is free). No minimum/ maximum spend.

How to access: Just turn up during the opening hours and you can sign up with a team member.



The Vantry is a pop-up affordable food club, where anyone can become a member. They stock fresh fruit & veg and cupboard items. Members can access discounted food and buy as much or as little as they would like.

Locations/times:

Monday 2pm - 4pm Lymm Sanctuary Hub, Davies Way, Lymm, WA13 0QW (next to library)
Tuesday 1:30pm - 3:30pm Culcheth Community Centre, 2 Jackson Avenue, Culcheth, WA3 4EL
Thursday 1pm - 3pm St. Mary Magdalene's Church, 87 Dingleway, Appleton Thorn, WA4 3AG

Cost: There is a points based system and most items cost the equivalent of 50p (membership is free). You choose how much or little you want to buy, there is no minimum spend.

How to access: Just turn up during the opening hours, sign up to become a member when you do your first shop

If you are struggling and need to access emergency food support, or if you are interested in attending a community meal, please visit our food provision map for local spaces and support; www.warringtonva.org.uk/community-food

For cost of living related support, please visit; www.warrington.gov.uk/cost-living-support