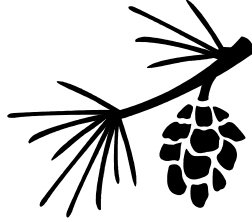


Town of Cornwall



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Hello Friends,

You have probably heard the good news – that Covid infection rates have dropped in Connecticut. As the eligible pool of people who can make appointments has grown, the supply of vaccine has tightened so much so that Sharon Hospital is not taking appointments past March 31st. Residents can still register through VAMS and at local CVS and Walgreens, and Charlotte Hungerford Hospital.

Cornwall Park and Rec. Director Jen Markow (860-480-0600) has updated information on vaccination. The supply situation is fluid so please be patiently persistent.

This past week 75 meals were received by Cornwall seniors with help from our Food & Fuel Fund. The Town has really expanded its efforts to look after people during this pandemic. Thanks to those few people who have really made a difference working on food distribution week after week.

Social Service Director Heather Dinneen's food pantry wish list is:

- Kid's Snacks and Juice Boxes - esp. apple sauce cups and fruit cocktail
- Tuna
- Household items -dish soap, laundry soap, paper towels
- Canned soups (vegetable, chicken noodle and clam chowder)
- Cooking Oil

- **Items can be dropped inside the back doors of the UCC Church, or shipped directly from [Boxed.com](https://www.boxed.com) or other online retailers directly to UCC / Food Pantry - 8 Bolton Hill Road, Cornwall CT 06753**

And once again, we have the opportunity to get USDA Food Boxes. Boxes are approximately 30lbs each and include:

- * 10lbs of fruits and vegetables
- * 5lbs of precooked most likely chicken or pork, with the possibility of fish)
- * 5lbs of dairy products (cultured, and also cheese)
- * 1 gallon of milk

We will receive the boxes on March 4th. To request a box or boxes, please use the form linked below. Please put in your request by Monday 2/28/21 at 10AM. Heather Dinneen will connect back with those who sign up with more details on pick-up time.

[March 4, 2021 USDA Food Box Request Form](#)

Thanks for all your efforts to keep us safe during this emergency, apart but together.

Sincerely,

Gordon Ridgway,
First Selectman
Town of Cornwall, CT