

**PARTNER WITH TOWN COMMON MEDIA**POWERFUL MIX - PRINT & DIGITAL
ADVERTISING OPTIONS AVAILABLE

≡ MENU

The Town Common

Groceries Available from The Open Door Amid Inflation, Rising Gas Prices

by [Town Common Media](#)

Tuesday March 29, 2022

GLOUCESTER— As inflation rises and food and fuel costs continue to climb, The Open Door is stepping up with increased food resources through its two food pantries and food programs.

“As basic costs of living continue to rise, compounded by world conflict and the end of COVID related benefits and supports, it is essential our community members know that free groceries are readily available from The Open Door,” President and CEO Julie LaFontaine said. “All it takes is a quick call, a visit to our website, or trip to our pantries in-person to get the food you need.”

Below are programs and services available through The Open Door:

Gloucester Food Pantry

28 Emerson Ave., Gloucester

M-W 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. TH-F 10 a.m. to 6 p.m.

Ipswich Community Food Pantry

00 Southern Heights, Ipswich

W-TH 11 a.m. to 4 p.m.

New clients and those returning after more than 2 years can create an online shopping profile by visiting <https://www.foodpantry.org/newshopper> or call 978-283-6776. The Open Door aims to process new profiles within one business day.

Active clients can place orders by visiting <https://www.foodpantry.org/order-now/> or call 978-283-6776. Translation services are available in many languages.

Groceries available for pick-up at either pantry. Limited delivery available.

If you need food TODAY, visit either pantry during business hours for basic groceries. Ordering online or by phone for pick-up or delivery within 3-4 business days allows you more choice and access to our full inventory.

The Open Door Food Pantries serve Gloucester, Rockport, Manchester, Essex, Ipswich, Hamilton, Wenham, Topsfield, Rowley, and Boxford.

SNAP (Food Stamps) Assistance

One-on-one, confidential pre screening for SNAP eligibility, application, recertification, & interim report assistance. Department of Transitional Assistance advocacy support.

Contact The Open Door SNAP office at 978-283-6776 ext. 201 or email snap@foodpantry.org. For Information about additional programs and resources available visit <https://www.foodpantry.org>

The mission of The Open Door is to alleviate the impact of hunger in our community. We use practical strategies to connect people to good food, to advocate on behalf of those in need, and to engage others in the work of building food security.

Founded in 1978, The Open Door is a 501 (c)(3) tax exempt nonprofit and community food resource center for low-income residents of Gloucester, Rockport, Manchester, Essex, Ipswich, Hamilton, Boxford, Rowley, Topsfield, and Wenham. In 2021, The Open Door helped stabilize the lives and health of 8,516 people from 4,176 households through the distribution of 1.83 million pounds of food.

	Search
--	--------

Recent News

[North of Boston Cancer Resource announced new board members](#)

May 04, 2022

NECC's New Director of Career Services Brings Two Decades of Experience

May 04, 2022

Groveland Fire Department Battles Three-alarm Fire

May 04, 2022

Essex County Beekeepers' Association To Give Bee Talk At Merrimac Public Library

May 04, 2022

Support Local Businesses



**ORGANIC
NATURAL SHOP**
EST. 1982
VITAMINS • SUPPLEMENTS • CBD
978.561.3219
naturaldisc@aol.com
www.thenaturalshop.com
174 Newburyport Turnpike #8 - Rowley, Ma - 01969



**Net-Cam
Technologies**
Networks &
IP Cameras
Internet Anywhere
- Wired and Wi-fi -
Residential and
Commercial
PC Repair & Custom PC's
www.net-cam.tech
netcamtechs@gmail.com
978-646-7314
126 Linebrook Rd.
Ipswich Ma, 01938

Local Forecast

Newburyport, MA 01950			
Weather			
53.6 °F		NE Wind	
Rain Showers		4.6mph	
46 °F		51 °F	
43 63 THU	45 61 FRI	41 51 SAT	41 53 SUN
2:58 PM Wed May 4		WillyWeather	

Recent Articles

North of Boston Cancer Resource announced new board members

Newburyport – North of Boston Cancer Resource (NBCR) announced that Sandra Levin, vice president and chief quality officer at Anna Jaques Hospital and Colleen Yavarow, DO Medical Oncologist/Hematologist at Anna Jaques Hospital Cancer Center joined its Board of...

[Read More](#)

NECC's New Director of Career Services Brings Two Decades of Experience

HAVERHILL and LAWRENCE — When it comes to networking, Sandy Rochon of Amesbury, Northern Essex Community College's new director of career services, practices what she preaches. The 1996 Northern Essex business grad was volunteering at one of the college's mobile food...

[Read More](#)

Groveland Fire Department Battles Three-alarm Fire

GROVELAND — Groveland Fire Department and its mutual aid partners responded to a three-alarm fire in a multi-family residence on Center Street on Monday. On Monday, May 2, at 6:04 p.m the fire department responded to a report of a fire at 182 Center St, a two-story,...

[Read More](#)

Become an Insider, be the first to get the digital paper

Subscribe

The Town Common

Subscribe

Current Print Edition (PDF)

Past Print Editions

Home

Horoscopes

Community News

Tarot Card

Arts & Culture

Crossword Puzzle

Print Editions

Humor

Events

Classified Ads

Local Guides

Advertise

Weather

Support

Tide Chart

Contact Us

© 2020-2021 Town Common Media | Designed by Eriola Kapaj | Developed by Refresh Studio