

Summer 2023

Dear Parents:

The Northampton Survival Center is pleased to offer our Kids' Summer Food Program to eligible children through our food pantries in Northampton and Goshen. This program provides free groceries throughout summer vacation. To be eligible for this program, children must live in one of the towns in our service area (listed on the left) and families must meet our income guidelines which can be found on our website. Eligible children range in age from those who have just completed kindergarten to those starting 12<sup>th</sup> grade in the fall of 2023.

**Beginning in June**, eligible families may pick up food from this program in addition to the food they may already be collecting for the family from our pantry. As they select an assortment of groceries for the household, families of school-age children will select additional grocery items for their kids, including grains, protein, dairy items, fresh produce, and canned fruits and vegetables.

**Northampton Survival Center**

Mondays: 2 pm – 6 pm

Wednesdays: 12 – 3 pm

Fridays: 12 – 3 pm

**If you are new to the pantry** or you have not visited us this year, please bring **current proof of each child** (for example: current MassHealth card, recent letter from the school indicating child's name and address, or doctor's bill).

Please also bring a **proof of your address** (recent piece of mail or current bill).

Please feel free to call us at 586-6564, or visit our website at [www.NorthamptonSurvival.org](http://www.NorthamptonSurvival.org). We are happy to answer any questions you may have about this program or register you over the phone.

Sincerely,

Sarah Pease  
Program Director