



Veterans Food Bank of Calgary

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The Veterans Food Bank of Calgary is a Service provided by CALGARY VETERANS SERVICES SOCIETY founded in August 2018, to serve food security and other resource needs of Veterans from Calgary and surrounding area. Veterans who've served in all branches of the Canadian Armed Forces and Reserves and first responders are eligible for assistance through these programs.

Founder Allan Reid. Allan values community service, has Volunteered hundreds of hours for many charity's in and around Calgary. Magic of Christmas charity, Street Lights, Calgary toyrun, just to name a few. And now Spear heading this great endeavour.

We are a 100% Volunteer Run, NO ONE takes a wage.

WHAT WE DO

Food services

Calling ahead to book a hand up not a hand out is preferred, but not required. Potential clients can call 403-277-8387 with any question, arrange assistance. We strive to restore dignity to all who use our service our food assistance is not pre-set. All Clients Shop for themselves and usually receive 10 - 14 days of food.

Safe meeting space

Veterans wishing to meet with their fellow veterans can do so in a Veterans-only Mezzanine. Have a beverage, connect with others who have similar experiences, or just come by and hang out have a game of pool, foosball, or just watch tv and chat.

Veterans Ranch

We have Acquired 80 acres of land north of Caroline Alberta to provide a space for our clients to go and get back to nature mind body and spirit. Currently we are building individual cabins, making roads thru the area to facilitate safe movement, hunting, fishing, Camping free of charge for our clients and supporters. **Want more info give us a Call. 403-277-8387**

Resource referrals

No two sets of circumstances are exactly alike. With support from our resource partners and other service providers, we'll work with each individual to find the right resources for their specific needs – food security, housing, integration support, health and wellness, and more.

HOW WE'RE SUPPORTED

Monetary donations are collected in the form of single or monthly contributions on our website or at the warehouse.

Food and other donations are collected at the warehouse, or from our donation boxes, located across the city, call for closest drop point 403-277-8387

Resource partners are integral to supporting our clients. By creating a strong network of available support, we'll offer clients an easy, consolidated way to learn about and access the programs offered. We're pleased to work with Can Praxis (www.canpraxis.com), Calgary Military Family Resource Centre (calgarymfrc.ca). and Now Feel Good Counseling.

CONTACT US

Visit our website: www.theveteransfoodbankofcalgary.ca



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If you know a Veteran who could make use of our services, please have them visit our website or call our **Warehouse 403-277-8387**