Thanks for hosting a Thanksgiving Basket Food Drive!

The Thanksgiving Basket program has been a tradition at the Goodman Community Center for 31 years, and if there is one thing we’ve learned, it’s that **we can’t do this without you.** This is truly a community effort – thank you for helping to provide 3,500 families all the groceries needed to prepare a home cooked Thanksgiving meal.

**Delivering the food**

We can receive donations at any time, but if you are delivering a large quantity of food from a food drive, it helps if you can deliver it directly to our gym so we don’t have to move it again. **The gym will be open for donation drop-offs Wed., Nov. 20 through Mon., Nov. 25** (the earlier, the better!)

- Wednesday, Nov. 20 » 11 am-5 pm
- Thursday, Nov. 21 » 10 am-8 pm
- Friday, Nov. 22 » 1 pm-10 pm
- Saturday-Monday, Nov. 23-25 » 9 am-5 pm

Due to storage constraints, we strongly prefer that food be dropped off starting Nov. 20. If you need to deliver your food and other donations before that week, please bring your donations to the GCC Ironworks front desk (149 Waubesa Street, Madison) during regular hours. Mon-Thurs: 7am-9pm, Fri: 7am-8pm, Sat/ Sun: 8:30am-6pm.

**Money helps fill in what’s needed**

We purchase fresh groceries — dinner rolls, fresh vegetables, milk, butter and eggs — so financial gifts are vital. We also purchase items to fill in any gaps, including turkeys. Gifts that exceed the need will support the GCC Fritz Food Pantry and Center food programs.

**Receipts**

The Goodman Community Center will send a receipt to any donor who provides their name and contact information with their gift. Giving envelopes are available. If you provide our giving envelopes, your contributors can send them directly to the Center. They should note on the envelope that their gift is a part of your food drive. You can also collect all financial gifts and bring them to the Center.

**Questions**

[goodmancenter.org/thanksgiving](http://goodmancenter.org/thanksgiving) or contact Sam McDaniel at sam@goodmancenter.org or 204-8049.

Thanks for giving so many grateful families a holiday meal to enjoy together.

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