

## WARM SPACE / FOOD ACCESS INFORMATION

If you see anything that needs updating please let us know: [jane@hastingsvoluntaryaction.org.uk](mailto:jane@hastingsvoluntaryaction.org.uk)

If you are running a food access initiative or offering a Warm Space that is not listed please go to

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Organisation	What are you offering	Where?	When?	What time?	Accessible venue?	Start date?	End date?	Who is eligible / is there a referral system?	How do people find out more?
Christ Church Ore	Everyone is welcome at our completely free, drop-in cafe on a Tuesday. Stop by for warm company, relaxed games and activities, and an array of hot and cold drinks and snacks. You may also want to take a quiet moment to pray whilst the church is open, our team would be happy to pray with you if you would like.	Christ Church, Ore, 460 Old London Road, Hastings, TN35 5BG	Tuesday	3pm - 5pm	Contact for details	Term time	Term time	All welcome	<a href="https://www.christchurchore.org/">https://www.christchurchore.org/</a>
Christ Church St Leonards Cosy Crypt	Cosy Crypt is a warm space where everyone is welcome to come and share conversation, or just be around others if you would like to. Free tea, coffee and biscuits with other food sometimes available. In Partnership with Citizens Advice	Christ Church St Leonards, Silchester Road, TN37 6GL	Thursdays 10am - 4pm	Thursdays 10am - 4pm	Contact for details	Ongoing	Ongoing	All welcome	<a href="https://www.christchurchstleonards.co.uk/">https://www.christchurchstleonards.co.uk/</a>
Fresh Visions	Over 55s Lunch Club	Halton Heights (entrance via North Terrace car park)	3rd Wednesday of the month	12 - 1.30pm	Yes	19th October	March 2026	Priority given to Southern Housing residents	<a href="mailto:info@freshvisions.org.uk">info@freshvisions.org.uk</a>
Fresh Visions	Over 55s breakfast club	Evesham Community Centre, Bristol Road	Fridays	10 - 11.15am	Yes	3rd October	March 2026	Priority given to Southern Housing residents	<a href="mailto:cathy.wilson@freshvisions.org.uk">cathy.wilson@freshvisions.org.uk</a> / 07590 962086
FSN Charity	Hot drinks, soup and bread/rolls.	FSN, 66 London Road, St Leonards on Sea, TN37 6AS	Fridays 5th, 12th Dec 2025 9th, 16th, 23rd, 30th Jan All Fridays in Feb 2026	12.00-2.00	Yes	5th December 2025	27th Feb 2026	Open to anyone	<a href="mailto:email_tgasson@fsncharity.co.uk">email_tgasson@fsncharity.co.uk</a>
Hastings Foodbank (Ridge)	We give out 3 days emergency food parcels which include items for breakfasts, lunches and dinners. Referrals can be made to foodbank by most agencies working in the area, GP surgeries, NHS, schools etc.	Hastings Foodbank, The Hastings Centre, The Ridge TN34 2SA	Monday and Wednesday	10.30am - 3pm	Yes	Ongoing	Ongoing	Referrals can be made to foodbank by most agencies working in the area, GP surgeries, NHS, schools etc.	<a href="https://hastings.foodbank.org.uk/">https://hastings.foodbank.org.uk/</a>
Hastings Foodbank (Downs Farm)	We give out 3 days emergency food parcels which include items for breakfasts, lunches and dinners. Referrals can be made to foodbank by most agencies working in the area, GP surgeries, NHS, schools etc.	Downs Farm Community Centre, Crowborough Road Hastings TN35 5EE	Fridays	10.30am - 1pm	Yes	Ongoing	Ongoing	Referrals can be made to foodbank by most agencies working in the area, GP surgeries, NHS, schools etc.	<a href="https://hastings.foodbank.org.uk/">https://hastings.foodbank.org.uk/</a>
Hastings Youth Commons	A fun, supportive and youth led session which includes hot food, activities/workshops and time to hang out.	The Observer Building, 53 Cambridge Rd, Hastings, TN34 1DT	Tuesday 4pm-7pm	Tuesday 4pm-7pm	Yes	Ongoing	Ongoing	11 - 16 year olds	<a href="https://hastingscommons.com/programmes/youth-commons/">https://hastingscommons.com/programmes/youth-commons/</a>
Hastings Youth Commons	Pick 'N' Mix Creative Club (age 11-16): Join us every week for a mix of gaming, design, and creativity! Whether you're into character creation, playing Dungeons and Dragons, crafting worlds, or making music, this is the place to try out new skills and meet new friends. Plus, there's free food, and all materials are provided. No	The Observer Building (53 Cambridge Rd, Hastings TN34 1DT)	Wednesday 5pm-7pm	Wednesday 5pm-7pm	Yes	Ongoing	Ongoing	Age 11 - 16	<a href="https://hastingscommons.com/programmes/youth-commons/">https://hastingscommons.com/programmes/youth-commons/</a>
Hastings Youth Commons	The Youth Commons evening session (age 16-18): A fun, supportive and youth led session which includes hot food, activities/workshops and time to hang out.	The Observer Building (53 Cambridge Rd, Hastings TN34 1DT)	Thursday 4pm-7pm	Thursday 4pm-7pm	Yes	Ongoing	Ongoing	16 - 18 year olds	<a href="https://hastingscommons.com/programmes/youth-commons/">https://hastingscommons.com/programmes/youth-commons/</a>
Oasis Community Project / Social Supermarket	Food Access Social Supermarket For Broomgrove Residents only. £3 for 10 items which includes food tinned, fresh, frozen, packets, jars. Cleaning and sanitary products. You choose what to buy and can stay for a cup of tea or coffee, have a chat, get advice from HARC or Citizen's Advice on Tuesdays. Chance to make friends with neighbours	Broomgrove Community Centre, 85 Chiltern Drive, Hastings, TN34 3PY	Tuesday	10am - 12pm	Yes	Ongoing	Ongoing	Broomgrove Residents. Bring proof of address on first visit.	Come along or phone Office 01424 427582
Oasis Community Project / Warm Welcome	Friendly welcome, tea coffee small donation, variety of activities, crafts, boards games, speakers. Two course lunch often available on pre booking, for £5. Come and make new friends, save putting on heating at home and have fun.	Broomgrove Community Centre, 85 Chiltern Drive, Hastings, TN34 3PY	Every Wednesday .	10 to 2 pm.	Yes	Ongoing	Ongoing	Everyone is very welcome and absolutely no referral is required.	Phone office 01424 427582
The Pantry / Etc Sussex	The Pantry supports people who are experiencing food poverty through a membership scheme. For a donation of £3 members have weekly access to items of long life food and toiletries plus fresh fruit, vegetables and bread.	6 Dorset Place, next to the Hastings Furniture Service building, Hastings TN34 1LG	Tuesday and Friday	10am-1pm	Contact for details	Ongoing	Ongoing	New members are welcome but membership numbers are limited in line with food supplies. Proof of benefit and address will be required. We also know that some working people need food support as irregular incomes often lead to a crisis. Referrals can be taken from local agencies who must provide evidence of the client's need.	<a href="https://etcSussex.weebly.com/the-pantry.html">https://etcSussex.weebly.com/the-pantry.html</a>
Warming up the Homeless	Warm space for the homeless community, showers, 3 hot meals a day. Laundry facilities, welfare, housing and homeless support and trusted pathways to third sector and statutory agencies for assistance with issues related to homelessness.	Gizmo House, 23 Priory Street Hastings TN34 1EA	Daily	Mon - Weds 10-4 then 7-9pm Thursday 10-6 Friday 10-1 Sat and Sunday 4-7	Yes	Ongoing	Ongoing	Homeless community. Referral for Homestart scheme, foodbank, digital inclusion scheme, Domestic Abuse Officer, housing lawyer.	<a href="http://www.wuth.org">www.wuth.org</a>
Y-Centre	We provide out of school activities with a hot meal and snacks every school holiday. We also provide teen cooking lessons every Thursday.	Y Centre, St Pauls Road St Leonards, East Sussex, TN37 6RS	School hols and Thursdays	Contact Y-Centre	Yes	Ongoing	Ongoing	Under 18	Contact Y-Centre <a href="https://www.ycentrehastings.org.uk/">https://www.ycentrehastings.org.uk/</a>
Salvation Army	Community Food Bank	Hastings Temple, 418 Old London Road, Hastings, TN35 5BB	Every Tuesday	9:30-11:30	Yes	Ongoing	Ongoing	N/A	<a href="mailto:hastings.temple@salvationarmy.org.uk">hastings.temple@salvationarmy.org.uk</a> , 01424 443022
Salvation Army	A Safe Place - Free community cafe open to all	Hastings Temple, 418 Old London Road, Hastings, TN35 5BB	Thursdays	10:00-12:30	Yes	Ongoing	Ongoing	N/A	<a href="mailto:hastings.temple@salvationarmy.org.uk">hastings.temple@salvationarmy.org.uk</a> , 01424 443022
Seaview Project	Everyone is welcome at our open access well-being centre. We offer free lunch, teas, coffees and snacks (10-50p) in a warm, comfortable and welcoming space. We also provide washing and drying machines, showers, toilets, and a pool table. Alongside our facilities at the centre we provide support and signposting to anyone in need, particularly those that are rough sleeping, or dealing with substance misuse and housing problems. We also do creative and social activities including music and arts groups, choir, board games, bingo and Qi Gong.	Southwater Centre, Hatherley Road, TN37 6LB	Monday to Friday	9am to 3pm	Yes	Ongoing	Ongoing	Anyone is eligible.	Call us on 01424717981, email at <a href="mailto:admin@seaviewproject.org.uk">admin@seaviewproject.org.uk</a> or go to our website <a href="https://www.seaviewproject.co.uk/">https://www.seaviewproject.co.uk/</a>