



## ABOUT US

The Library houses a free no-questions-asked Little Free Pantry, where those in need can help themselves to perishable and non-perishable food items. The pantry can be accessed any time during our open hours, at no charge.

## OUR HISTORY

In September of 2016, we started the Little Free Pantry in the centre of the library to help with growing food insecurities. We started with a few shelves, now we have 3 rows of shelves as well as a refrigerator and microwave station.

## USAGE

As food insecurity rises in the community, the need to restock high demand items becomes more frequent. Monetary donations go towards purchasing these items on a consistent basis.

# SYLVAN LAKE MUNICIPAL LIBRARY LITTLE FREE PANTRY

## MONETARY DONATIONS

Donations can be made on our website, or in person at the library. Donations of \$20 or more can receive a tax-receipt. Donations can be made as a one-time gift or on a monthly, quarterly, or annual basis.

## PHYSICAL DONATIONS

Physical donations are made up of perishable and non-perishable food items, hygiene products, and toiletries. Businesses and community groups can gather these items, making their own large donation.

## High Demand Items

### Non-Perishable Food:

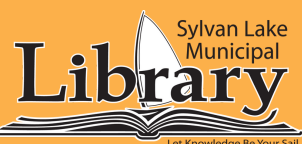
- Beans with or without pork
- Canned fish or meat
- Peanut butter
- Powdered milk
- Canned fruit or vegetables
- Soft Granola bars
- Baby food or baby formula
- Canned soup
- "Heat and Eat" meals

### Perishable Food:

- Bread
- Pastry
- Fruits and Vegetables

### Non-Food Items:

- Baby diapers
- Toiletries
- Dish soap
- Hygiene products



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