



# Corporate Volunteering at Foodbank WA

**Feeding Western Australians  
in need every day**

# There are over 370,000 Western Australians going without regular meals

**CORPORATE VOLUNTEERING IS A WORKFORCE THAT WE COULDN'T DO WITHOUT AND HELPS US TO ACHIEVE OUR PURPOSE. IT IS A GREAT WAY FOR YOU TO ENGAGE YOUR STAFF, FACILITATE TEAM BUILDING AND MOST IMPORTANTLY MAKE A DIFFERENCE IN OUR COMMUNITY.**

Hello, we're Foodbank WA. We believe everyone should have access to healthy food. There are Western Australians going without every day, *and we are working hard to change that.*

Our purpose is to feed, educate and advocate.

We provide food and groceries to those who struggle to afford them. We also deliver nutrition education to promote healthy eating and advocate on behalf of people that experience hunger and food insecurity.

Last financial year we provided 9.2 million meals to Western Australians through our charity partners and schools. We do this with a small workforce and rely on regular and corporate volunteers to help us to sort, pack and prepare food for Western Australians who need it most.

Thank you for your interest in corporate volunteering with Foodbank WA.

**Kate O'Hara**  
CEO, Foodbank WA

## Meet Briony

The day Briony made her first trip to Foodbank WA's Centre for Hunger Relief, is a memory both bitter and sweet. She'd been given a ticket to survival, a fifty dollar voucher. Her rent was paid, the lights were on, she had nappies, baby Marlow had been fed, but Briony had been going without

Three years earlier at age thirty, she never could have imagined being without food. She was fit, full of fun and loving her full time job working for an art supply specialist in Subiaco. Everything fell apart the afternoon she got a call from her doctor to come in urgently. Briony's breast cancer treatment started right away.

*"People don't choose poverty. We shouldn't take anything for granted, especially after*

*the pandemic, there are a lot more people in this situation. Sometimes all it takes is someone filling up your pantry to give you the confidence to keep going."*



# Volunteering Opportunities

**Location:** 23 Abbott Road, Perth Airport  
**Free parking available**

## Community Kitchen

**Days:** Tuesday – Friday  
**Time:** 8.30am to 2.30pm (meet at 8.15am for an 8.30am start)  
**Group size:** Tuesday and Wednesday 6 people  
Thursday and Friday 6–12 people (subject to kitchen availability)

Work alongside our qualified Chef Melissa to prepare, cook and pack healthy fresh and frozen meals that get distributed through our branches and Mobile Foodbanks. Each experience is designed to build team spirit, deepen understanding of food insecurity and make a meaningful difference.

With a full team of volunteers, we can produce over 3,000 meals a week, giving rescued food a valuable third life and reducing waste. Most ingredients come from our Foodbank WA warehouse, and we purchase essentials when needed to keep meals varied and nutritious.

## Warehouse

**Days:** Tuesday – Friday  
**Time:** 8.30am to 1.30pm (meet at 8.15am for an 8.30am start)  
**Group size:** 2–6 volunteers

Each day in the warehouse is different. You might be sorting fresh fruit and vegetables, packing pantry items or assembling food for distribution. You'll assist with a variety of tasks depending on the day, working as a team to get food moving quickly and safely.

It's hands-on, fast paced and always rewarding. It's a practical and impactful experience that makes a real difference.

## Customer Shopping Experience

**Days:** Tuesday – Friday  
**Time:** 8.30am to 1.30pm (meet at 8.15am for an 8.30am start)  
**Group size:** Monday, Thursday, Friday 6 people  
Tuesday and Wednesday 4 people

Step into our Perth Airport shop and be the friendly face that welcomes our customers to Foodbank WA.

Be part of the team on the shop floor in our most people-focused role, where your staff will help customers with their groceries, assist at the checkout with weighing items and processing sales, and ensure all customers have a positive experience at Foodbank WA.

Connect directly with our customers and see the impact of your support.

## Financial Donation

**Warehouse:** 2–6 volunteers \$450+gst

**Kitchen:** 6 people \$750+gst  
7–12 people \$950+gst

**Shop:** \$100 +gst per person

Foodbank WA is a not-for-profit organisation that relies on donations as well as community and corporate support. An invoice will be provided at the time of booking. Payment by credit card is preferred. Financial donations maintain our volunteering programs. We appreciate your support.

## Bring your brand values to life through volunteering

- » Align your organisation with Foodbank WA – the largest food relief charity in Western Australia
- » Demonstrate your commitment to Corporate Social Responsibility
- » Drive greater employee engagement by inspiring staff and building morale
- » Motivate and reward employees with an experience they won't forget
- » A great way to team build outside the workplace
- » Make a difference to the lives of Western Australians who are going without food

## Sign up today!

To see our available dates and to book please scan the QR code.



Get in touch if you have any questions:  
call (08) 9463 3224 or email  
[teamvolunteering@foodbankwa.org.au](mailto:teamvolunteering@foodbankwa.org.au)





## Takeover Day Challenge

**15 people:** \$2,200 (+gst) + \$130 for each additional

**Group size:** 15 - 30 people (maximum)

**Duration:** 1 day

**Available days:** Tuesday - Friday

**Time:** 8.15am - 2.30pm

**Location:** 23 Abbott Road, Perth Airport

**Free parking available**

The Takeover Day corporate challenge makes a real difference in our community. Volunteers will work in the kitchen, warehouse, shop and other unique volunteering possibilities.

**Community Kitchen team:** Spend the day with Chef, working in the kitchen preparing, cooking or packaging meals.

**Operational team:** Sort and pack food that is distributed for emergency relief or through our Mobile Foodbanks.

**Shop team:** Be the friendly face that welcomes our customers. Help them with their groceries, assist at checkout and ensure they have a positive experience. This is our most direct customer-facing role.

**Shopping Experience:** Experience first hand what it is like for our customers with these real life shopping scenarios.

Enjoy lunch and a presentation about the impact that we make in the community. Gather your team to join us to gain an insight into the work we do at Foodbank WA, and help make a difference to Western Australians experiencing food insecurity.

*"The feedback from our staff was unanimously, "this was the best team building, event I've ever been involved". I saw leadership, teamwork, contribution, and competition from everyone involved. Ultimately, we achieved a great bonding experience, however most importantly we could contribute to immediate outcomes and build awareness to a worthy cause. Everyone left enlightened by the size and the scope of Foodbank, was an amazing day I'm proud we could participate."*

Brent Campbell, Director  
Oracle Group Insurance Brokers

### Sign up today!

If you are interested in our corporate challenges, or if you have any questions, please call (08) 9463 3214 or email [fundraising@foodbankwa.org.au](mailto:fundraising@foodbankwa.org.au)



# Meals for Purpose Challenge

**\$5,500 + gst**

**Duration: Half day**

**8:15 am – 12:30 pm**

**Group size: 15–20 people**

**Location: 23 Abbott Road, Perth Airport**

**Free parking available**

Are you ready to embark on a unique team-building experience that combines networking, team building, culinary creativity, and community impact? Our Meals for Purpose Challenge is an extraordinary opportunity for corporate groups to step into the world of a Foodbank WA customer and understand the impact of our services.

The Challenge offers an immersive half-day experience. From learning about food stress and relief to hands-on culinary adventures, this promises to be an unforgettable journey that combines learning, planning, shopping, teamwork, cooking and giving back.

## Engaging learning

Gain insights into the critical role that Foodbank WA plays in alleviating food stress issues within our community. Understand the impact of food waste and learn about the challenges faced by our customers.

## The Mystery Box Challenge

Receive a comprehensive briefing on how to navigate the Foodbank Perth shop. Discover the nuances of budgeting and selecting items to create nutritious meals.

## Shopping experience

Put your newly acquired knowledge into action as you embark on shopping as a customer at Foodbank. Choose ingredients that align with a budget while keeping the nutritional needs of your meals in mind and the situation you are faced with.

## Lunch and Learn

Enjoy a well-deserved tastings with your team, our Chef and the Foodbank WA crew. Reflect on your experience and share your highlights.

## Presentation to customers

Share your creations directly with our shoppers. This is your chance to connect face-to-face and see the impact of your efforts.

## Sign up today!

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## See available dates:

<https://www.foodbank.org.au/WA/corporate-challenges>



*"Volunteering at Foodbank WA as part of the Meals for Purpose Challenge was an incredibly humbling and rewarding experience. We walked away with not only a deeper appreciation for the work you do, but also a renewed sense of purpose in giving back to our community. The day was so well organised, and your team made us feel both welcome and inspired."*

- CBH GROUP



