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### **TOWN COMES TOGETHER FOR FOOD BANK**

On Saturday 2<sup>nd</sup> May, in the midst of the national lockdown, a team of volunteers led by Alsager's Round Table collected food donations from residents across the town for the Alsager Food Bank.

At the end of April, the Round Table, keen to contribute to the town's coronavirus support network, arranged for leaflets to be printed by several of the local schools, including Excalibur Primary School. These were then delivered to residents by a team of volunteers.

Then, ensuring that social distancing was in place, volunteers from the local Scout Group and the Round Table themselves patrolled the streets, where they collected donated food from driveways across Alsager.

By the end of the day, over a year's worth of food had been collected. It was stored in the local scout building and was sorted by a further group of volunteers over the next two weeks.

Jon, President of Alsager Round Table, commented: "It was an incredibly humbling experience for all involved, and, on behalf of everyone involved, I thank the residents of our fabulous town."

The food will now be used to help families across Alsager.