

Top Box Foods Express in Lake County

Top Box Foods is a non-profit organization operating in Chicago that was founded in 2012 by Chris and Sheila Kennedy; Chris is the son of Senator Robert F. Kennedy. Top Box Foods has a broad-based community supported mission: improve local communities through increased access to affordable healthy fruits, vegetables and foods.

Top Box Foods is committed to delivering high quality, low-cost healthy fresh fruits, vegetables and foods that do not have access to healthy eating options.

Top Box Foods with the support of the Northern Illinois Food Bank is introducing a new program in Lake County, Top Box Food Express.

Top Box Foods Express is a once a month food box delivery program that offers customers affordable fresh fruits, vegetables and frozen USDA meats (fish, chicken, beef, turkey) at up to 40% savings. Utilizing bulk purchasing power allows Top Box Foods Express to get products at a great value and then pass on the savings to our customers. The exact contents of the boxes may change each month to find the best value buys for the customers but the value remains the same.

Top Box Foods Express is open to everyone and purchasing is easy and convenient. There is no sign up in advance, no qualifying. Customers can come to any delivery site, shop and then bring the food home the same day to enjoy. Top Box Foods accepts cash, checks, SNAP/Link, credit and debit cards.

Top Box Foods Express has 3 delivery locations in Lake County: Round Lake, North Chicago and Waukegan.

Delivery location and information:

Round Lake

Calvary Presbyterian Church

510 N. Cedar Lake Road, Round Lake

2nd Saturday of each month

9:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m.

First Delivery Day is Saturday, September 13th

North Chicago

North Chicago Public Library

2100 Argonne Drive, North Chicago

3rd Wednesday of each month

3:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.

First Delivery Day is Wednesday, September 17th

Waukegan

Carman-Buckner Elementary School

520 Helmholtz Avenue, Waukegan

3rd Saturday of each month

10 a.m. to 12 p.m.

Beginning Saturday, Saturday, September 20th

Why Top Box Foods in Lake County? Individuals and families living in poverty in Lake County has risen from 34% in 1990 to 50% in 2011. There is an ever-growing gap of people in need that current programs and efforts are not reaching. Poverty and food insecurity percentages do not tell the story of the many who fall outside these hard drawn lines.

During the initial phase of Top Box Foods Express the Northern Illinois Food Bank is assisting Top Box Foods in establishing a presence in the Lake County community by providing staff expertise and volunteer resources.



COME SHOP and SAVE



- **Top Box Foods is Open to Everyone.**
No qualifying. No sign-up.
- **Top Box Foods buys never-picked-over, high quality fruit, vegetables, and frozen food in bulk to save you up to 40% off of grocery store prices.**

Top Box Foods accepts cash, credit, debit, and SNAP/LINK cards.
(312) 527-7890 www.topboxfoods.com

Produce Box \$10

Contains farm-fresh potatoes, onions, carrots, 2 varieties of fresh and juicy fruits and 2 additional varieties of delicious vegetables.

Meat-Only Box \$11

Includes a variety of 3 to 4 choice cut meat items such as turkey, beef, chicken, or fish.

Combo Box \$20

Includes all of the tasty items in the Meat-Only and Produce Box at an additional savings of \$1.

Mega Meat - priced according to value

Larger than the Meat-Only Box and includes a great variety of 7 to 8 meat items such as turkey, beef, chicken, or fish.

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Beginning Saturday, September 13
9:00am-11:00am
- 2. Carman-Buckner Elementary School**
520 Helmholtz Ave. Waukegan, IL
Every 3rd Saturday of the month
Beginning Saturday, September 20
10:00am-12:00pm



- 3. North Chicago Public Library**
2100 Argonne Dr. North Chicago, IL
Every 3rd Wednesday of the month
Beginning Wednesday, September 17
3:00pm- 5:00pm

