



WILSTONE
COMMUNITY SHOP

Run by the community for the community and offering:

- ▶ excellent value
- ▶ local and homemade produce
- ▶ a wide range of products and services, including:
 - ▷ dry cleaning
 - ▷ paintings by local artists
 - ▷ postage stamps
 - ▷ light refreshments made to order
 - ▷ greetings cards

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WE'RE OPEN:

MON-FRI 8am-2pm

SAT 8am-1pm

SUN 9am-noon

Half a tonne of your generosity

Wilstone Community Shop has long had a collection basket where our customers can drop in any surplus products – boxes of cereals, tins of soup, cleaning materials etc. These products are then collected by the Aylesbury Foodbank who work with the Trussell Trust. As the picture shows this can amount to a considerable quantity of produce. In fact, we estimate you donated 500kg of goods during 2024.

Aylesbury Foodbank is there to support local people in crisis, so the amazing generosity of our customers is going to an excellent cause.

We are happy to accept donations brought in from your home, or you can buy something when you're in the shop to pop in the basket.



2024 – a challenging but ultimately rewarding year

The last year has certainly been economically challenging for the country as a whole and certainly for small independent businesses such as ours. But the community shop has risen to meet these challenges with record numbers of customers coming from near and far. This is in no small measure due to the helpfulness and friendliness of our wonderful volunteer staff.

Many regular walkers and cyclists find the café service particularly welcoming with fresh coffee, bacon rolls and homemade cakes attracting many favourable compliments.

This year we intend to build on this success by running social activities involving the villagers to enhance our great community spirit – please keep your eyes open for any announcements in the coming months.

 **Aylesbury Foodbank**
Together with Trussell