



Third Party Fundraising

We need your help supporting our community services and program. Consider hosting a third party fundraiser for Deltassist. Host a bake sale, car wash, food/toy drive, BBQ, a run or walk, a pub night or even a golf tournament. A fundraising kit is available to help you which includes a toolkit, t-shirts and Deltassist bags. Please contact us with your fundraising ideas and help us continue to support those in need in the community.

Counselling

Community

Seniors



**Community
Services**

Information Services

Often, when people don't know where to go for help, they call Deltassist. We are here to help guide people to the resources and supports they need both within and outside of the community.

We provide up-to-date information and referral services to the community and social service organizations, with a specialized knowledge of local resources and activities.

Our specialized information and referral database can be found at www.deltassist.com, under Find a Service.

Community Fund

Sometimes residents of our community find themselves in emergency situations where help is not available elsewhere. They may have missed the food bank, been recently discharged from hospital, or had to make a choice between paying a bill or putting food on the table. In those times of need, they turn to Deltassist. Thanks to the generosity of our community, we are able to provide emergency assistance in the form of non-perishable food items and bus tickets.

Bread Gleaning

Every week Monte Cristo Bakery donates bread to Deltassist and we distribute to those in need throughout the community, including seniors homes, schools, churches and community groups.

Toy Depot & Christmas Food Hampers

Every Christmas we coordinate the collection and distribution of toys and Christmas food hampers with the assistance of volunteers, service clubs, churches, schools, local businesses and individuals. These programs support Delta families and seniors and individuals struggling with low incomes.

At the beginning of December we host our annual Toy Depot where families can select toys for their children 16 years and under.

On the Saturday before Christmas, food hampers are delivered all throughout Delta with the help of local service clubs and volunteers.

We rely on the generous donations of toys and food from the community to be able to offer these programs to those in need, ensuring that no child goes without a warm meal and presents under the tree during the holidays.

Starfish Backpack Program

At Deltassist, we know that poverty and hunger continue over the weekend for many children in elementary school. Through a partnership with the North Delta Rotary, Deltassist provides children in need with backpacks full of food every weekend throughout the school year. We rely on generous donations from the community to support this program. A backpack can be sponsored for a full school year for \$525.

Income Tax Assistance

Through the Community Volunteer Income Tax Program at Canada Revenue Agency, we host an income tax clinic throughout March and April of each year for Delta residents on low income. Our volunteers are trained by CRA to prepare simple income tax returns for those who cannot afford to pay.

Pro Bono Law Clinics

Deltassist hosts free pro bono law clinics through Access Justice. Lawyers are available for 1/2 hour appointments to assist clients with various legal issues. Appointments can be made through Access Justice by calling 604-878-7400.

Volunteer!

Volunteers are the heart of Deltassist's community services and programs. If you would like to volunteer your time helping us care for the community, we would love to hear from you.

We offer a wide variety of volunteer opportunities for Delta residents, organizations and other interested individuals. Opportunities are available in bread gleaning, Christmas programs, food sorting, income tax assistance, landscaping and reception.

We also connect volunteers with other opportunities throughout the community on govolunteer.ca.