The Legend of CHEP Good Food: 2023

chep pod food inc.

"This was such a fantastic camp! I hope it continues and would love to have my kiddo come back and participate again!"

-Parent of Participant [Sprouts Garden Day Camp]

76.5% demand increase

for our Centralized Kitchen brown bag school food program since pre-pandemic.

33,000 lunches prepared, packaged, and delivered to Saskatoon schools in
the 2022-2023 school year

Our Impact

From January to October this year:

- **\$197,801** worth of produce, dairy, eggs, meat, and bread was delivered to Saskatoon schools through our Bulk Buying program
- **87** children and youth participated in 9 Chefs in Training programs
- **31** Collective Kitchen workshops were facilitated with over 162 participants
- **21,000 L** of milk was delivered to Saskatoon schools through our Bulk Buying program



Nutana Collegiate Community Market



Chefs in Training



Good Food Box

Our Impact cont'd

- We held our first **Grub N' Gab** event this spring for the first time in 4 years! 35 community members attended
- Our **Good Food Box** returned in April, and we've sold 1201 boxes since then (to *end of October*)
- 61 **Community Markets** were hosted in educational settings, such as elementary, high school, post-secondary, and ESL centers (*Jan*-Oct)
- The **St. Michael Community School Métis Cookbook** launched in June, which CHEP Good Food was a partner



-Good Food Box Supporter

- New! We hired 2 summer interns to coordinate and run cooking workshops for our
 Sprouts Garden Day Camp and at CNYC
- Seedy Saturday was back inperson with 722 attendees

"I learnt a new thing I could use spinach for. I personally don't like vegetables but I found myself enjoying the sautéed spinach we prepared today."

-Collective Kitchens Participant



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- We welcomed a new **Indigenous Food Sovereignty Facilitator**. The purpose for the position is primarily to build networks of communication between communities about building capacity, advocacy and support for Indigenous Food Sovereignty
- A Volunteer Appreciation Event was held this Fall to honour our many dedicated volunteers
- In September, CHEP Good Food partnered and cohosted Nourish Leadership's **Food for Health Symposium**
- We continue to actively partner with the Saskatoon Poverty Reduction Partnership, Coalition for Healthy School Food, and with other organizations and initiatives



THANK YOU!

at the **6th Annual Empty Bowls** fundraiser event, which was hosted in-person for the first time in 4 years

Name something you learned today: "What ginger smells like!"

-Chefs in Training Participant



Our Team