



Aoba Foodbank Press



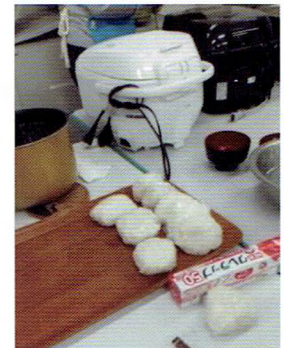
The food bank activities are supported by a variety of people. In 2021, through the introduction of a couple of our association's friends, the president of a fruit and vegetable-related company in Chiba Prefecture kindly donated 300 kg of rice



to us. As we reported in our newsletter at the time, rice, which is the basis of food, was appreciated by many people, including the children's cafeteria and the elderly living alone. In the midst of



the Corona disaster, food was distributed in the form of "bento" lunches to fill the children's cafeterias that were closed. And again, in January 2024, 180 kg of rice was donated by the same president.



Previously, a member of our association went to Narita to pick it up, but this time, a friend of ours and his wife transported it all the way to Yokohama. Moving the rice in bags of 30 kg each was hard work even for an adult male. Another 180 kg of rice will be donated in early February, and we are ever grateful for their generosity. The children's cafeteria is not only a place to satisfy the hungry, but also a place for social interaction. We look forward to seeing the smiles on the children's faces as they eat the rice.

~December Distribution Results~

12/6,12/13,12/20,12/27...Kodomo Shokudo
12/15,12/19...Yumemido
12/1,12/8,12/15,12/22,12/29...Share Gohan
12/11...Kamoshida Community Care Plaza
12/18...Kamoshida Danchi Community Hall

~January Schedule~

1/3,1/10,1/17,1/24,1/31...Kodomo Shokudo
1/10,1/21...Yumemido
1/5,1/12,1/19,1/26...Share Gohan
1/8...Kamoshida Community Care Plaza
1/15...Kamoshida Danchi Community Hall