SO ..... WHAT OF THE FUTURE??

Foodbank is pleased to announce that as from January 2010 we will be operating Foodbank out of our own premises at Blackfield, having secured the lease on

193 Hampton Lane (formerly Waterside Fabrics).

These premises will enable us to be more available to those who need to access the food and those donating food. It will also give us enough space to expand and, in the near future, to open a low priced second-hand clothing area, providing yet another service to our local community.

The Project Committee is meeting to sort out practicalities, after which Eileen Hayward will be in touch with all the volunteers to discuss availability etc.

Foodbank would like to express very grateful thanks to Blackfield Baptist Church for giving us the use of their lounge as our Distribution Centre for the past year, thus enabling the Project to begin.

We would also like to say very many thanks to our voucher holders for all they do for us. Please note that as from January 2010 all referrals should be directed to our new premises in Hampton Lane. The contact telephone number remains the same.

FOOD COLLECTION DAYS

We have two food collection days currently planned:

Saturday 5th December at the Co-op

Saturday 12th December at Tesco in Blackfield.

If you are able to help for a one or two hour slot between 10am and 4pm please let Jan know as soon as possible.

FUTURE EVENTS

A "Thank You" Indoor B-B-Q for all volunteers
on Wednesday 20th January 1-3pm
at 46 Cheviot Drive, Dibden, SO45 5TZ
(RSVP to Malcolm or Lynn please)

As the Project moves into a new phase we will need more help by way of volunteers and food donations.

If you would like to be part of this exciting Project or would like more information please call the Co-ordinator on

077 687 13329

We wish you all a blessed Christmas and a peaceful New Year