

John Huntingdon Charity
Report to Sawston Parish Council – 5 May 2019
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Between 23rd March & 24th April we gave out 190 food bags & made contact with over 400 clients (some more than once).

Cash Donations for JHC totalling £818.82 – such acts of kindness, including an elderly gentleman came in with a pot full of change that he had saved – over £160!
Food donations continue to come in on a daily basis – over 100 items in last few days from Co-op basket alone.

Our debt adviser from CAB is still dealing with Sawston clients every Wednesday via telephone, she is also available for budgeting advice etc – her services are going to be invaluable in the coming months.

We successfully applied for grants from Charities Aid Foundation and Cambridgeshire Coronavirus Community fund. We have other applications in the pipeline.

We have received a grant from Little Shelford Parish Council to enable us to support their residents, and Great Shelford PC are sending residents to us for advice and will support any grants.

All the staff are working their normal hours with the office still staffed, and people working from home where they can.