

## **COLC Report April/May 2025**

Little to report this month. The Pantry continues to give out whatever foodstuffs and toiletries it receives, and after the glitch when the Co-Op and Tesco's were not able to donate goods, things have picked up again. Tuesday afternoons are as busy as Fridays and it's a good way to keep the quantities held in the fridge and freezers down to a manageable level.

Our new volunteers are all 'bedding in' nicely, beginning with shifts undertaken with some old hands, and now being able to run shifts with other newer team members. Sarah Jerman's team of drivers continue to provide a sterling service and another of our newer volunteers has taken over the Monday collection from the Cornish Bakery from me.

There has been a request to have a bench or similar positioned outside for our queuers and also for a post where dogs can be tied up safely without restricting access to the steps at the rear or the pathway along the Hall from the front. Kim Harvey has been tasked with talking to the RVH Management Committee to see whether either of those are feasible.

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