

Mason Transit delivering Meals on Wheels

Agency filling in for senior drivers

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Last week, Mason Transit Authority delivered 244 Meals on Wheels to 16 homebound seniors in Mason County.

The meals from Senior Services of South Sound are delivered frozen, and are designed to last the recipients two weeks. This week, MTA will deliver more than 280 meals to another group of seniors, the agency stated in a news release.

MTA will continue to deliver meals every other week until Senior Services of South Sound is able to resume delivery.

To be eligible, recipients must live in Mason or Thurston counties, be 60 or older, unable to cook, unable to leave home unassisted, or lack someone who can cook for them.

Kathy Geist, MTA's outreach/transit planner, and MTA driver Dan Sharp delivered the first round of meals.

"This is what community is about," Geist stated in the news release. "How lucky I am! Meals on Wheels asked MTA for help, so I got to deliver over 200 meals on the first day and even more next week. My dream job?"

"I am proud of our team for stepping up to help Senior Services during this time of need and thankful we had the resources available," MTA General Manager Danette Brannin said in the news release. "Kathy is perfect for accommodating this type of outreach."

This week, Geist will help HUB Center for Seniors in Belfair deliver food to 63 seniors.



Kathy Geist, Mason Transit Authority's outreach/transit planner, and MTA drivers are delivering hundreds of Meals on Wheels to homebound seniors in Mason County, and this week will help HUB Center for Seniors in Belfair deliver food to 63 seniors. Courtesy photo