



## Food Pantries and the Food Insecurity Puzzle *A Panel Discussion*

**Tuesday, September 13**  
**4-5:30 p.m., Cole Hall 100**

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NIU Center for NGO Leadership and Development  
and NIU School of Health Studies

Hunger and food insecurity are multilayered issues with no quick answers. Join us as we discuss the impact of local food pantries on food insecurity, and investigate how transportation, education and policy play roles in alleviating local hunger issues. Panelists bring a diverse set of experiences, from local to large scale activism, and experience working on research and policy. Panelists include Dr. Courtney Gallaher (GEOG), Dr. Kristen Borre (ANTH), and representatives from Huskie Student Food Pantry, Barb Food Mart, and Salem Lutheran food pantry.

## NIU Women's Soccer v. Illinois State **HUNGER GAMES**

**Sunday, September 18**  
**2 p.m., NIU Track and Field**  
**& Soccer Complex**

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NIU Student Involvement & Leadership Development  
and NIU's Women Soccer

Join the NIU Women's Soccer program in supporting Hunger Action Month by attending or encouraging participation in their Free 3v3 Hunger Games event! Local U9-U14 soccer teams are invited to play in the 3v3 Hunger Games. Entry to ALL NIU home soccer games is FREE! We are asking that all attendees bring non-expired food items to support a great cause. Donations to the Huskie Food Pantry are also very much appreciated!

Please contact Connor McKee at [cmckee@niu.edu](mailto:cmckee@niu.edu) to register.

## COMMUNITY CONVERSATION: **A Place At The Table**

**Tuesday, September 20**  
**7 p.m., Egyptian Theatre**  
**135 N. 2nd Street, DeKalb**

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Live Healthy DeKalb County, the Food Security  
Council and the Egyptian Theatre

Join us for a viewing of "A Place At The Table", a documentary about the lived experiences of those who battle food insecurity. Following the movie, stay for the community conversation about the impact of hunger in our community.

Please contact [snak974@comcast.net](mailto:snak974@comcast.net) with any questions.



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