



Connecticut Meal Pack for 9/11 Day

Join us in packing 9 million meals for the
September 11 National Day of Service & Remembrance ("9/11 Day")

Date: Thursday, September 11, 2025

Location: Total Mortgage Arena

Address: 600 Main St, Bridgeport, CT 06604

WHEN TO ARRIVE:

Please arrive 30 minutes prior to your shift's start time. All volunteers must check in and pass through security screening.

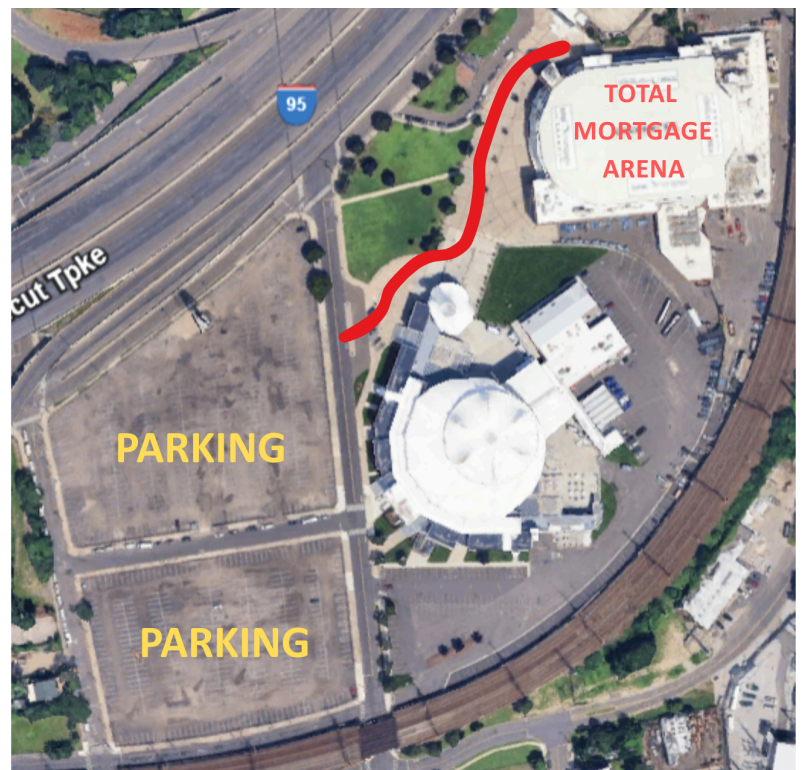
- **Shift:** 10 AM – 12 PM

PARKING INFORMATION:

600 Main Street, Bridgeport, CT, will be the best address to use for navigating to parking Lots B and C. They are located between Lafayette Street and Broad Street. Parking is free.

Getting to Total Mortgage Arena by Public Transport:

- **Bus:** Several Greater Bridgeport Transit Authority (GBTA) bus lines stop near the arena, including lines 1, 3, 4, 5, 7, 8, 9, 10, 13, and CL. The closest bus stops to the arena are on Broad Street at South Frontage Road and North Frontage Road at Main Street.
- **Train:** The Bridgeport Transportation Center is located a short walk from the arena and serves both the Metro-North Railroad (New Haven Line) and Amtrak.





- **Ferry:** If arriving from Long Island, the Port Jefferson Steamboat Company operates a car ferry from Port Jefferson to Bridgeport.

WHERE TO GO ONCE YOU ARRIVE:

Once you have parked in Lots B or C enter Total Mortgage Arena to check-in. Follow the event signs to the **Atrium Entrance**.

CHECK-IN DETAILS:

Please bring your ticket or have it ready to show on your phone for check-in. All volunteers must check-in and pass through security screening.

WHAT TO BRING:

- **Ticket:** Please have your ticket ready for check-in, either printed or accessible on your phone. You can find your ticket in the confirmation email sent by **noreply@order.eventbrite.com**.
- **Bag Restrictions:** Volunteers are allowed to bring a small bag, but it must be no larger than 8" x 5" x 1". All bags are subject to search. Please note that there will be no on-site storage available – any bags brought must be kept under your assigned meal-packing table.
- **Food & Drink:** Food and drinks are not allowed in the meal packing area. Water stations will be provided around the meal packing area.

WHAT TO WEAR:

- Wear comfortable, casual clothing. We recommend wearing company-branded shirts.
- Hats are not allowed; however, a hair net will be provided.
- Closed-toe shoes are recommended.
- Shorts and tees are acceptable. The facility will be temperature controlled.
- Jewelry is not allowed while packing meals. This includes earrings, watches, rings, necklaces, bracelets, pins, brooches, etc. Medical alert bracelets are permitted.

WHAT TO EXPECT:

When you arrive for your shift:

- Please check in and use the handwashing or hand sanitizing stations provided.
- You will receive a hair net or beard net.



- You will be given disposable gloves at your assigned meal pack station.
- Your team, led by a Table Captain, will work together to fill, seal, count, and box hundreds of multi-serving pouches of nutritious dry meals. The shift will last approximately 90 minutes.

ACCESSIBILITY:

Volunteers will stand for the entire duration of the shift. If you have specific accessibility needs, please contact us in advance at registration@911day.org so we can make appropriate accommodations to ensure your participation is as comfortable as possible. Chairs will be available in the meal packing area if you need one during your shift.

VOLUNTEER AGE REQUIREMENT:

Our projects are family-friendly and inclusive. While volunteers of all ages are welcome, we recommend children be 10 years or older to fully participate. Anyone under 18 will need a parent or guardian to sign a waiver, either in advance or at check-in. Please note that all volunteers must register for the event.

HAVE MORE QUESTIONS:

If you have any questions or need help, please contact us at registration@911day.org.

Thank you for your dedication to this meaningful cause. With your help, we expect to pack 150,000 meals to support those facing food insecurity in Connecticut.

See you on 9/11.