

Our communities

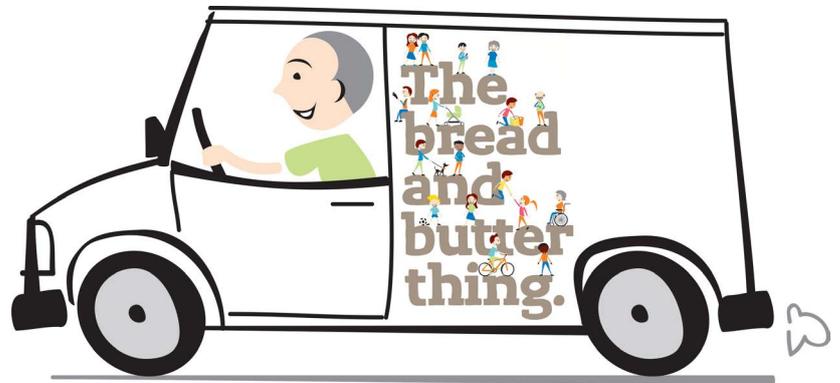
Delivering on the UN SDGs



Our business can only be as healthy and sustainable as the communities in which we operate, so our community partnerships play an important role to our ethos of 'making every day taste better'. We have continued our volunteering, donation and redistribution partnerships with The Bread and Butter Thing, FareShare, The Felix Project, The Trussell Trust and Ingredients 4 Life.

Key commitment

We will support our local communities to help them thrive, by maximising the social benefit of our contributions – whether food, time, money or expert support.



Progress highlights

1.6 million meals redistributed to local community groups and food banks.

We have built a Community Engagement Tracker to measure and monitor our activities so we can better understand how and where we are contributing and where we need to do more.

Our 10-year partnership with FareShare has enabled us to support nearly 9,500 charities and community groups. In 2022, we passed a milestone of the redistribution of the equivalent of four million meals to FareShare during our partnership and were awarded FareShare's 'Leading Food Partner' status, celebrating businesses who have shown commitment to diverting surplus food to FareShare to provide meals for people in need.

Performance tables

Goal	KPIs	FY17 base	FY21	FY22
By 2022, we will ensure 100% of surplus product is donated to our communities	Equivalent number of meals donated through food surplus redistribution programmes	1,776,190	2,094,130	1,637,879

What's next in FY23

- Community reporting internally – with the new platform up and running we'll be able to run reports that give us full visibility of what and how we are contributing at site level. We'll then use these reports to focus the discussion within our quarterly Communities governance meeting.
- We're developing our strategic partnership – an opportunity for us to work more closely with one of our partners and understand how we unlock more food surplus, but also, more broadly identify opportunities of value exchange between Greencore and our chosen partner.