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Pay down Library overdue fees and help others; Pima County Public Library hosts its annual Food for Fines campaign

Pima County Public Library is holding the 5th Annual Food for Fines Week to celebrate National Library Week.

Between April 10 and April 16 library customers can donate non-perishable, non-expired food items and the Library will waive up to \$10 in overdue fines.

Customers receive a \$1 fine waiver for each non-perishable food item donated, with a maximum donation of 10 items per library account. Only overdue fines can be waived. Customers will be responsible for all other fines and fees.

All donations are given to the Community Food Bank. In 2010, Library customers brought in 13,215 canned or boxed food items, compared with 8,140 items donated in 2009. Nearly 3,000 of those items were donated by people with no fines to pay. For more information, call 791-4010.

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