

# South Whidbey Food Service Monthly Summary

## November Spotlight 2022

### HARVEST FEAST!!

On Nov, 17 we were able to offer an in-person Harvest Feast for the first time since 2019! We served 705 meals in two hours with the help of several staff members from the district office as well as parent volunteers.

Our staff prepared EVERYTHING from scratch including the Turkey, Gravy, Stuffing, Sweet Potatoes, Mashed Potatoes and Cranberry Sauce.



We also offered vanilla ice cream, rolls and local apples. It took a lot of blood, sweat and tears in the week leading up to the event but it went amazing and we were thrilled with the amount of folks that joined us!

### Highlights:

- We have served 19,546 meals to students since we opened the doors!
- Purchased 415 lbs of produce from the Garden so far this year.
- Allison Hou was moved to the 6.5 hour position at the Elementary School
- Lori O'Neal was hired to work at the Elementary School
- Wally Brown has become our new sub





Big thanks to Susie and Val who helped coordinate, our janitorial staff for clean up and all the parents who helped decorate.

In addition to our Harvest Feast I was able to partner with the K4 PE teacher Craig Stelling to do “nutrition classes”. We focused on smart snack options and each student was able to make their own Trail Mix. We had cereal, golden raisins, Granola (made from scratch in our Kitchen), cranberries, pumpkin seeds and of course chocolate chips.



**Sincerely,  
Rachael Mathews**