



# Snohomish Kids' Café

A summer feeding program from the Snohomish School District



# Background

*The Snohomish School District, in partnership with many community organizations including the Snohomish Library, Snohomish Community Food Bank and the Snohomish Boys and Girls Club, serves area children through its summer feeding program (Kids' Café).*

*Breakfast and lunch are served Monday through Friday. Meals funded through the federal government. Other costs supported by donations – fuel and vehicle costs, program marketing (postcards, banners, A boards), volunteer identification (t-shirts, aprons, etc.) and more.*

*The program is open to all people 18 years old and younger. Identification not checked (proof of age or residence) as all are welcome. Participants do not need to reside within the Snohomish School District.*



# 2010

- *Only lunches served – first year of program*
- *Total of 5,234 meals*

# 2011

- *Added breakfast*
- *2,346 breakfasts*
- *5,854 lunches*
- *Total of 8,200 meals*



# 2012

- *Added mobile solution*
- *5,129 breakfasts*
- *12,209 lunches*
- *Total of 17,338 meals*
  - *10,733 were served at Snohomish High School*
  - *4,084 Snohomish Boys and Girls Club*
  - *2,521 Circle H Mobile Home Park*



# 2013

- *Added a third mobile stop*
- *Bickford Ford generously donates use of van*
- *5,747 breakfasts*
- *15,036 lunches*
- *Total of 20,783 meals*
  - *11,786 were served at Snohomish High School*
  - *5,570 Snohomish Boys and Girls Club*
  - *2,111 Circle H Mobile Home Park*
  - *1,316 Three Rivers Mobile Home Park*



# 2014

- *Added the Snohomish Aquatic Center as a site*
- *For a second year, Bickford Ford generously donates use of van*
- *7,375 breakfasts*
- *18,613 lunches*
- *Total of 25,988 meals*
  - *15,070 were served at Snohomish High School*
  - *6,147 Snohomish Boys and Girls Club*
  - *2,469 Circle H Mobile Home Park*
  - *1,223 Three Rivers Mobile Home Park*
  - *1,079 Snohomish Aquatic Center*



# 2015

- *For the third year in a row, Bickford Ford generously donates use of van.*
- *7,881 breakfasts*
- *19,288 lunches*
- *Total of 27,169 meals*
  - *15,007 were served at Snohomish High School*
  - *6,250 Snohomish Boys and Girls Club*
  - *2,404 Circle H Mobile Home Park*
  - *2,296 Three Rivers Mobile Home Park*
  - *1,212 Snohomish Aquatic Center*



# 2016

- The dream became a reality! The purchase of a food truck was a dream of the Kids' Cafe Summer Meal Program for many years. Thanks to tremendous community support, we were recently able to acquire a used food truck for our district's summer feeding program and other district uses. Funding was provided through our district's food service partner Chartwells, in addition to many generous community donations.*





# 2016

- *8,050 breakfasts*
- *18,514 lunches*
- *Total of 26,564 meals*
  - *10,918 were served at Snohomish High School*
  - *11,074 Snohomish Boys and Girls Club*
  - *1,582 Circle H Mobile Home Park*
  - *1,656 Three Rivers Mobile Home Park*
  - *1,334 Snohomish Aquatic Center*



# 2017

- *7,538 breakfasts*
- *15,731 lunches*
- *Total of 23,269 meals*
  - *10,542 were served at Snohomish High School*
  - *8,761 Snohomish Boys and Girls Club*
  - *1,315 Circle H Mobile Home Park*
  - *1,386 Three Rivers Mobile Home Park*
  - *1,115 Snohomish Aquatic Center*
  - *150 Emerson Elementary*



# 2018

- 8,102 breakfasts
- 16,737 lunches
- Total of 24,839 meals
  - 10,813 were served at Snohomish High School
  - 10,031 Snohomish Boys and Girls Club
  - 1,328 Circle H Mobile Home Park
  - 1,261 Three Rivers Mobile Home Park
  - 1,406 Snohomish Aquatic Center



# 2019

- *6,877 breakfasts*
- *13,490 lunches*
- *Total of 20,367 meals*
  - *9,064 were served at Snohomish High School*
  - *7,721 Snohomish Boys and Girls Club*
  - *1,224 Circle H Mobile Home Park*
  - *1,129 Three Rivers Mobile Home Park*
  - *1,229 Snohomish Aquatic Center*



# 2020

- *11,860 breakfasts*
- *13,604 lunches*
- *Total of 25,467 meals (COVID-19 changes to distribution)*
  - *1,341 were distributed at Snohomish High School*
  - *3,450 were distributed at our local Boys and Girls Club*
  - *1,700 were distributed at Circle H Mobile Home Park*
  - *1,646 were distributed at Three Rivers Mobile Home Park*
  - *1,984 were distributed at Snohomish Aquatic Center*
  - *5,146 were distributed at Seattle Hill Elementary*
  - *2,472 were distributed at Centennial Middle School*
  - *2,140 were distributed at Emerson Elementary*
  - *1,102 were distributed at Cascade View Elementary*
  - *1,738 were distributed at the Avenue D Mobile Home Park*
  - *2,748 were distributed at Valley View Middle School*



# 2021

- *7,302 breakfasts*
- *7,954 lunches*
- *Total of 15,256 meals*
  - *1,338 were delivered at Snohomish High School*
  - *1,406 were delivered at Valley View Middle School*
  - *4,274 were delivered at our local Boys and Girls Club*
  - *1,528 were delivered at Snohomish Mobile Home Park*
  - *2,226 were delivered at Circle H Mobile Home*
  - *1,408 were delivered at Three Rivers Mobile Home Park*
  - *3,076 were delivered at the Snohomish Aquatic Center*



# 2022

- *4,431 breakfasts*
- *10,572 lunches*
- *Total of 15,003 meals*
  - 6,260 were served at Snohomish High School
  - 5,156 were delivered at our local Boys and Girls Club
  - 1,327 were delivered at Circle H Mobile Home Park
  - 910 were delivered at Three Rivers Mobile Home Park
  - 1,350 were delivered at the Snohomish Aquatic Center



# 2023

- 3,310 breakfasts
- 8,681 lunches
- Total of 11,991 meals
  - 6,781 were served at Valley View Middle School
  - 3,357 were delivered at the Snohomish Library
  - 1,001 were delivered at Circle H Mobile Home Park
  - 852 were delivered at Three Rivers Mobile Home Park





# 2024

- 3,424 breakfasts
- 9,475 lunches
  - 6,444 were served at Valley View Middle School
  - 4,850 were delivered at the Snohomish Library
  - 863 were delivered at Circle H Mobile Home Park
  - 742 were delivered at Three Rivers Mobile Home Park



# District Free & Reduced Lunch

| Free/Reduced Percentage March 2025 |             |             |            |                  |               |
|------------------------------------|-------------|-------------|------------|------------------|---------------|
| Location                           | Head Count  | Free        | Reduced    | Total Low Income | %             |
| Cascade View                       | 397         | 67          | 24         | 91               | 22.92%        |
| Cathcart                           | 510         | 101         | 29         | 130              | 25.49%        |
| Central Emerson                    | 483         | 179         | 71         | 250              | 51.76%        |
| Dutch Hill                         | 691         | 112         | 39         | 151              | 21.85%        |
| Little Cedars                      | 667         | 65          | 25         | 90               | 13.49%        |
| Machias                            | 619         | 90          | 36         | 126              | 20.36%        |
| Riverview                          | 468         | 68          | 37         | 105              | 22.44%        |
| Seattle Hill                       | 577         | 101         | 25         | 126              | 21.84%        |
| Totem Falls                        | 395         | 41          | 5          | 46               | 11.65%        |
| Centennial                         | 721         | 138         | 39         | 177              | 24.55%        |
| Valley View                        | 648         | 81          | 25         | 106              | 16.36%        |
| AIM                                | 179         | 42          | 14         | 56               | 31.28%        |
| Glacier Peak HS                    | 1555        | 164         | 51         | 215              | 13.83%        |
| Snohomish HS                       | 1354        | 204         | 63         | 267              | 19.72%        |
| Re-Entry                           | 56          | 23          | 2          | 25               | 44.64%        |
| Parent Partnership                 | 73          | 8           | 3          | 11               | 15.07%        |
| Sno. Center                        | 44          | 2           | 2          | 4                | 9.09%         |
| Snohomish Online                   | 2           | 0           | 0          | 0                | 0.00%         |
| <b>Total:</b>                      | <b>9439</b> | <b>1486</b> | <b>490</b> | <b>1976</b>      | <b>20.93%</b> |



# Volunteers & Promotion

- *For the past 15 summers, hundreds of dedicated volunteers have joined us in our effort to feed children and families from our community. During the summer of 2024, 148 volunteers (totaling more than 814 volunteer hours) joined us in our effort to feed children and families from our community.*
- *Families learn about program through schools, district mailings (in English and Spanish), community banners, automated calls and presence at community events.*



# Donations

This program is primarily funded by the federal government; however, donations and grant money provide critical funds that support this vital community program. Costs supported by grants and donations include non-federally funded meal sites, fuel and vehicle costs, program marketing (postage, postcards, banners, A boards), volunteer identification (t-shirts, aprons, etc.) and more.

Donations can be sent to:

- Snohomish School District, c/o Kids' Café Program (attn: Kristin Foley), 1601 Avenue D, Snohomish, WA 98290
- Snohomish Community Food Bank, c/o Kids' Café Program, PO Box 1364, Snohomish WA 98291



# Thank you, generous donors!

Since the program's inception in 2010, Kids' Cafe has received substantial financial and volunteer support from a number of donors and community organizations. Without them, this program would not be possible. Thank you!

Donors and other generous supporters include:

- Bickford Ford
- Boy Scouts of America
- Chartwells
- Alexander and Jeannette Golitzin
- Home Depot
- Hope Church
- Kohl's Cares
- Kroger Foundation
- Nordstrom Cares
- Skanska
- Snohomish Boys and Girls Club
- Snohomish Community Food Bank
- Snohomish Foursquare Church
- Snohomish Community Church
- Snohomish Kiwanis
- Sodexo
- Tulalip Tribes
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