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Cafeteria Parent Meeting

September 15,2026

Attendance:

Heather Poirier, Food Service Director

Carrie Graff, Elementary Principal

Dana Davis, Central Office Secretary

Jodie Morgan, Teacher

Elmo Cecchetti, School Board Member

Ashlie Cecchetti, Parent

Lauren Paris, Parent

Reyne Georgetti, Parent

Brittany Brown, Parent

Megan Hammond, Parent

Krystal Margaria, Parent

Jenn Powell, Parent

Kylie Litman, Parent

Nicolette Bongiorni, Parent

Ashley Sciulli, Parent

Ashley Caltumo, Parent

Topics Discussed

Wellness Policy

Discussed the district's Wellness Policy as it pertains to the cafeteria operations, including nutrition standards and smart snack guidelines.

Reviewed the Triennial Assessment and where the results can be accessed.

Reviewed what is included in a reimbursable meal and the importance of fruits and vegetables.

Fresh Fruits and Vegetables

Reviewed the DOD Fresh Fruit and Vegetable Program and funds allotted for purchasing fresh fruits and vegetables.

Reviewed the Farm to School Grant and discussed potential ways to utilize the grant funds to support the students' meals.

Cafeteria Special Events

Lucky Tray Days

Polar Picnic

National School Breakfast/ Lunch Week