

**School Board Meeting/Workshop:**

**May 14, 2018**

**Subject:**

Food Service  
2017-18 Report

**Presenter:**

**Penny Hoops, Director  
Food Service**

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**SUGGESTED SCHOOL BOARD ACTION:**

Report only

**DESCRIPTION:**

I would like to take just a few minutes to review our past school year as well as share with you what we have planned for next school year!

- Thank you for the opportunity to join your team.
- No new HHFKA regulations for this year. Hoping for some relaxation in our grain requirements from the USDA.
- Participation for this year remained about the same as previous year.
- We made some changes to the elementary menus:
  - Only one hot entrée served
  - Started offering a wide variety of fresh fruit and veggies every day to include romaine salads
  - Offer a cold sandwich option every day and then changed to a hot sandwich option on Wednesdays
  - In April, we tested Bison Boxes at Discovery and rolled these out in all elementary sites for the second “cold” entrée option in May.
- The Middle School rolled out a lot of new menu options that have been a hit.
- We had our celebrations of Beach Day and End of Year Picnics (planned).
- We rolled out a new software program in January which is in line with the student software program we use now.

Looking forward to next year:

- Summer Food Program is again offered this summer.
  - Planned sites: TESS (closed site), DES and MES (open to the public)
- Roll out new menu options for BHS
- Look at our Breakfast program and what we can do to increase participation
- Continue with the Bison Boxes and add to BHS
- Provide Taste Testing and new products to increase lunch participation
- Joined buying group with Princeton, Onamia and Foley Schools to expand our savings, currently working with ULF
- Extended our RFP contract with Agupur for milk
- Extended our RFP contract with Bimbo Bakeries for bread

I will be available to answer any questions you may have.