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Child Nutrition Board Report

On Friday, May 3, 2019, we will celebrate the 7th Annual School Lunch Hero Day! School Lunch Hero Day is a chance to showcase the difference school nutrition professionals make for every child who comes through the cafeteria. They work hard every day all 180 days that school is in session and deserve a little recognition for all that hard work that ensue them daily.

School Lunch Hero Day provides you with the perfect opportunity to recognize the hardworking professionals in your school cafeterias here at School District #9. We also have some cute cutouts of the Super Cooks we have and also have made some nice posters for the students to sign for their favorite cooks in their schools.

March had a great month for the Supper Program. We had 2 new hires start it out and they are doing a great job so far. Also, 1 more hire joined the Supper Team this month. We had 629 children eat for the month of March and had a wide array of meals from Chili and Meatloaf to a simple Beef Stew.

The Summer Meals Program will kick off the first Monday in June after the school year ends. Breakfast, Lunch and Supper will be served. We will have more on that as we pull it together.

March Breakfasts in the district including De La Salle tallied 17,926 while lunch was 24,952 for meals that were served.

The Child Nutrition Program will begin putting a monthly newsletter on the BPS Facebook page for the community to be able to learn a little bit about what we do to just learning some fun food facts. It will begin in May.