## **Advisory Committee Meeting**

### Food Service Management Company Performance in the School District

Advisory Committee Meetings must be held *at least* once per semester. Keep documentation of members in attendance, agenda items and minutes on file.

Date: Jan 24, 2023 @ 7:15 AM

Members in Attendance:

Administration/Faculty: Jeff Gross, Joel Bednar, Tyra Barger, Chris Wallace

Students: Kreighton Barger, Kyson Barger, Kroy Barger

Parents:Heather Collicott, Erin Ruppert, Kirstie Koch, Scott Barger, Jeremy Young

FSMC Representative: Invited, did not attend -None attended

Guests:Matt Wiemers, Dalton Pettera, Luke Lichty

Agenda:

Wellness

Menus

Ala cart options

#### Minutes:

Food quality and portions

Wellness plan in place is working and during full review a few items were noted for improvement and future goals. #1 Wellness newsletters sent to parents and students. #2 Home and community education of nutrition and physical education activities.

Lunch menus need to be more readily available to students and parents, and changes to menu need to be sent. Monthly menus change a lot. We understand with food supply changes, that it has to happen but we should be able to know a correct weekly menu and send out via email to parents. Oppa newsletters would be good if sent and sent in a timely manner.

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Menu some weeks lacks creativity. chicken nuggets, chicken sandwich, popcorn chicken and pizza. If we know kids won't eat it, why have it as a menu item. Example they eat cold broccoli, but won't eat cooked broccoli. Why do we serve it cooked, when it just gets thrown away. Fruits and vegetables are readily available and grab and go breakfast are a big hit. Kids love the salads and are disappointed when they are not available.

Food portions seem to be ok. Central has improved in this area, other schools seem to be serving appropriate amounts.

Food quality is good. no complaints or suggestions.

Ala cart seems to be ok. New fresh ideas and options at high school are desired. Parfaits, breakfast sandwiches, breakfast pizza were suggestions.