

Minutes from Food Council Meeting 10.6.15

Rec: William Cartwright

Year 1: Jennifer Gregson

Year 2: Luka Bussell.

Year 3: Grace Albone

Year 4: Lewis Reece

Year 5: Jessica King

Mr Goodwin and Mrs Jones

Apologies:

Year 6: Daniel Harrop Not present

Butter portions now available for the jacket potatoes.

Sauce portions now available.

Piggy Wiggy Burger- pulled pork and bacon burger in the new menu now.

Toasted bagettes- quesadillas (pancake style)

Meatball sub now on.

Ham and cheese panini. Lots of new roll based deli options.

No new menu suggestions from children since Holly's.

Cookery Club for Year 5 started last week (5.6.15). Feedback from Year 5 is that the first club has been really good.

Food Council on the Learning Platform- could this be chased up?

New Menu

Chicken Chowder- mixed reviews about this recipe. Feedback was that the sauce was quite savoury, not as 'sweet' as some of the meals that we have had before. Mr Goodwin will see what he can do about this.

Salmon and leek pasta bake was very tasty. However, only 11 children tried it. Year 5 children were not sure about the leeks, could these be taken out maybe, as this was what put some people off? Year 4 asked if Mr Goodwin could change the tuna pasta bake as they didn't really like it that much.

Year 4- sweet and sour chicken bites very popular.

Year 2 really liked the sweet and sour chicken.

Feedback from School Council about the amount of juice in the cups when you go to get a drink as sometimes the cups are only half full. Mr Goodwin says to ask for the full cup if you would like one. There is loads of juice available, so Mr Goodwin said he will talk to the lunchtime supervisors about making sure the Year 6 children fill them up adequately.

Theme Days

Ideas from the children

Year 5: Popstars or singers, movies, Peppa Pig, Disney theme.

Disney themed menu- everyone dressing up as your favourite Disney character, music, drawing competition?

Teddy Bear picnic – this was an idea that Mr Goodwin had thought about already, but Year 4 have asked that.

March – Red Nose Day

Children in Need day- November.

Ideas from staff- RE theme day for Spring term– foods from round the world

Olympics theme day- Rio foods.

Year 5- Lower Hurst Farm- suggested that perhaps we would be able to go there. Mr Kinton had said that they used to go there as school trips.

Mrs Jones suggested that we might look at Toby Carvery education sessions.

Ideas- chilli chicken twist for next menu? Mr Goodwin will look.

Ideas for improving service. Napkins- clean own mess. Top table to have ice-cream? Make sure we still have the 5-a-day up somewhere. Maybe pictures of Gardening Club or Cookery Club.

Mr Goodwin going to conference in a few weeks to think about how we can make the area and hot counter/ serving counter more appealing to children.

Mr Goodwin has asked to see if he could have a board to display the Menu and other ideas from catering- Mrs Jones suggested the board that has currently got the Maya display on it could be used for Mr Goodwin. He used to do displays in his old school and would like to see if there could be a slim table under the board so that food used to make the displays.

Food Council badges- Mr Goodwin said he would be happy to purchase badges as children in Food Council have asked if they might be able to have a badge to wear so that people know who to talk to about lunchtimes.

Mr Goodwin says thank you for the Food Council help for this year. In September the posts for School Council will be voted for again as we did this year. Members from this year felt that it would be good if the representative for next year was chosen out of the other class in that year group, so that over a two year rota both classes have a chance to be on the Food Council.

Next meeting to be held in September.