Healthy Huskies



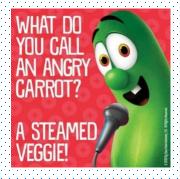
This or That?

For our fun lunchtime nutritional education activity this month Shoprite Dietitian Elle Bernardo was back with a great educational game. And the winners received Fruit Slime prizes provided by the PTA! Some of the questions were not easy even for the adults in the room (Is skim milk or almond milk more nutritional??).











Information Update

According to the Board of Education Public Agenda from the May 18, 2018 meeting Aramark will continue to be the food service provider for Livingston Public Schools. So we should redouble our efforts to work with Michael Fassbender at Aramark improve the healthy lunch options.

3.14 Award of Contract - Food Service Management

Whereas, the Livingston Board of Education received proposals for the operation and management of the Livingston Public School food service program on April 12, 2018; and

Whereas, the Livingston Board of Education received two proposals; and

Whereas, the proposal from ARAMARK Education guarantees a minimum client return of \$106,385 plus a capital contribution of \$100,000 and is in compliance with Policy #8505 and state regulations cited in N.J.S.A. 18A:33-16; and

Whereas, this contact is being awarded under 18A:18A-4.5 Competitive Contracting; now therefore be it

Resolved, that the Livingston Board of Education approves the contract with ARAMARK Education to provide food services for the 2018-2019 school year with options not to exceed four additional years.





Parent Kid Tip of the Month

The Nutrition Facts Label

Look for It and Use It!

Information you need to make healthy choices throughout your day



Calories

Found on all packaged foods and beverages



Use it to compare foods!

Nutrients

Choose the foods that are high in nutrients to get more of, and low in nutrients to get less



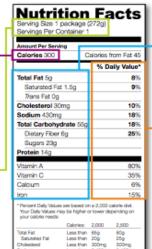
If you consume more calories than you burn, you gain weight.

400 calories or more per serving is high: 100 calories per serving is moderate

Check the serving size on food packages. The information listed on the Nutrition Facts Label is based on one serving. Servings are shown in common measurements like cups, ounces, or pieces.

One package may contain more than one serving! If you eat multiple servings - you're getting "multiples" on

2SERVINGS=CALORIESX2





Get 100% DV of these:

- Calcium Dietary Fiber

Nutrients To Get Less Of

Get less than 100% DV of these:

- Sugars and Trans Fat are Cholesterol nutrients to get less of,
- Saturated Fat.
- Sodium
 - but they have no %DV. Use grams to compare!

To meet these goals, eat a variety of foods, inclu

- fruits and vegetables
- whole grains milk products
- eggs
- · lean meats and poultry · beans and peas
 - sov products
- fat-free or low-fat milk/ seafood
- unsalted nuts and seeds



When comparing nutrients in foods, use %DV.

%DV = Percent Daily Value

%DV is based on "Daily Values" - the amounts of nutrients recommended for Americans aged 4 and older to eat every day.





Percent Daily Values on the **Nutrition Facts Label** are based on a 2,000 calorie diet; however, your Daily Values may be higher or lower depending on your calorie needs. Calorie needs vary according to age, gender, and physical activity level. Visit www.choosemyplate.gov to find your caloric needs.





Student Council Recipe of the Month



Bumps on a Log

INGREDIENTS

- 1 celery stalk, washed and ends trimmed
- 2 tablespoons creamy or chunky peanut butter (or sunflower seed butter)
- 10 raisins (or milk chocolate covered raisins)

INSTRUCTIONS

- Fill celery with peanut butter
- Press raisins into peanut butter

LITTLE KITCHEN HELPER HINTS:

- Even the littlest hands can press the raisins into the log.
- Help the children count out the raisin pieces or make little piles of 5 each. It's fun math!
- For those who are still hungry, spread the peanut butter on small round crackers and have the kids make eyes, nose and mouths with raisins.
- Have small baby carrots and apple wedges on hand for hungry kids to dip in peanut butter.

Awesome Nutrition themed jokes and puzzles also provided by the student council this month!