

**National School Lunch Week** is October 15-19  
and October is **National Farm to School Month**



We're planning some fun events this month

1. The kick off to our celebration month is the Kindergarten Grandparents breakfast. Sept 28th at 9:30 am. If you have a kindergarten grandchild, please reserve your spot now. Call Deb at 518-499-1770 ext 2013
2. On Friday October 12th we'll be making veggie Centerpieces and offering tastings to All grade levels. We'll do student surveys to see preferences
3. Tuesday October 16th is brunch for Lunch day. Wear your PJs to school day!
4. On Wednesday October 17th is Take Your Parents to Lunch Day for our 5th grade Students. Last year in the Elementary building so a good reason to celebrate!
5. On Friday October 18th the elementary students will be treated to a special guest server For pizza day. On that same day, Senator Betty Little and Assemblyman Dan Stec will Be in the Jr-Sr High school as guest servers for pizza day!
6. The Food Service team is offering kitchen tours to the Middle School Students during The month
7. A new salad bar is being placed in the elementary school and will be available for self-Service to grades 3, 4 and 5 as well as faculty.
8. A larger salad bar will be placed in the Jr-Sr High building so we can expand our daily Offerings. We'll include more fresh fruits and other specialty dishes (pasta, potato, Macaroni, fruit salads) etc...
9. On Wednesday October 24th the Jr-Sr High will have an Iron Chef Competition. The Featured item is apples. We have sourced our apples from a local farmer so would like To include more recipes on our menu.
10. Finally, our harvest Festival will be held on October 31st featuring fall items that Everyone will enjoy



Parents-Guardians-please encourage your kids to participate in all the fun things we have coming up