

ANNUAL FOOD SERVICE REPORT AUGUST, 2017

The Holden R-III School District contracts with OPAA Food Management for the food service program to provide meals to students/staff throughout the school year and also through the summer months.

The food service program follows established board policies that align with state and federal regulations. The District also follows a written nutrition plan that monitors, assesses and is revised regularly based on local needs.

The District files a food service application with MO Dept. of Elementary & Secondary Education annually for the regular school year and another application with MO Dept. of Health to provide meals for students during the summer months. Those applications are on file at Central Office.

Safe and sanitary food preparation procedures are reviewed and followed by food service staff and monitored by the Dept. of Health through periodic on-site inspections.

The nutrition service program is monitored monthly by Central Office personnel and the District's auditors annually to ensure accurate meal claims and financial accountability.

In 2016-17, the program has been self-supporting showing a positive ending balance of \$9,580. The food service program is not designed to be a profitable venture, but to ensure students are served nutritious meals at a reasonable price and also be able to sustain food service equipment and supplies to a suitable, operational standard.