

# HHE Hot Lunch Report for 2023/24 School Year

## Highlights

We ran a total of 18 hot lunch sessions this year (the same amount as last year) with 12 different vendors (compared to 10 last year).

Vendor	# of times used	Avg Order Qty	Comments	Will Use Again ? (Y/N)
Boston Pizza	1	385	Largest order of the year. Downside is the large order is on Thursdays and kinder on Fridays to accommodate their Friday lunch rush. Provides pizza and pasta.	Y
Nitzas Pizza	3	375	We needed another pizza vendor and Nitzas has been great!	Y
FatBurger	1	375	Lots of interest in burgers	Y
COBS	3	365	Provides extras (which can be frozen). Delivery containers need to be returned by volunteers and smaller, kinder orders need to be picked up.	Y
KFC	1	360	We did receive a couple emails advising kids were sick after eating.	N
Panago	1	350	Panago became increasingly harder to work with so this year we searched for an alternative pizza vendor; Nitzas.	Y
Chopped Leaf	1	340	Chopped, although a little more expensive, provides healthier options.	Y
Ihop	1	335		Y
Subway	2	330	Labeled and sorted by class & grade	Y
BarBurrito	1	330		Y
Booster Juice	1	285	Very familiar with hot lunch program. Can handle large orders. On time. Picks up delivery containers.	Y
Opa	1	265	Not a lot of orders were placed	N
McDonalds	1	TBD	Brand New Vendor – first lunch planned for May	TBD

## Universal Hot Lunch Fund (as at May 6<sup>th</sup>)

The hot lunch fund contained over \$629; \$200 carried over from last year and the remaining funds raised this year. Last year, the fund contained only \$193 last year.

The reliance upon the hot lunch fund more than tripled this year when compared to last, providing over 75 hot lunches for roughly 13 children at HHE, vs 20 hot lunches for roughly 4 children last year. This year funds ran low and we ran out of funds around May and required extra support to continue providing hot lunches for HHE families.

## Outlook for Next Year

With the uncertainty of the fundraising committee at HHE, the outlook for hot lunch next year looks a little different. If we cannot fill the FAHHE positions, we won't be able to utilize the universal hot lunch and provide families with hot lunches. We also won't provide juice boxes from a FAHHE perspective. The hot lunch program can still be provided to families, it just won't fundraise funds for the school.