

Meet the Team

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Healthy Schools and Community Grant



To eliminate hunger and food insecurity in the Maryvale School District by providing access to food, promote nutrition, increase selfsufficiency, and instill hope.

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To engage the community to find solutions to hunger and food insecurity in the Maryvale School District. We will provide awareness through education and resources to acknowledge that the struggle against hunger, poverty, injustice, and hopelessness are one in the same.



Family Choice

- Families choose their food
- Both students and caregivers can shop
- Pre-packaged specials or bags will be available at request or for special holiday meals
- Volunteer opportunities for students!



The USDA defines food insecurity as:

- A lack of consistent access to enough food for every person in a household to live an active, healthy life. This can be a temporary situation for a family or can last a long time.
- More than 34 million people, including 9 million children experience food insecurity in the United States.

Food insecurity can have a wide impact.

Health issues when people have to choose between spending money on food and medicine or healthcare.

Make it more difficult for a child to learn and grow.

Lead to difficult decisions like choosing between food and rent, bills, and transportation.

So we had this idea

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nutrition assistance

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for kids

FeedMore WNY also offers additional youth-related programs to support kids and their families in Western New York that are in need of both healthy and accessible meals.





Fruits, Vegetables, Proteins, Canned Goods, Hygiene Supplies, Detergents and Cleaning Supplies













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Our shopping experience.mp4

Flyers' Fresh Market

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Watch our new commercials made by our students!





We are open to any 6th -12th gr student or their family on the 2nd and 4th Thursday of every month 2:00pm-4:00pm. *emergency hours available via email

Located in Rm 48 of Maryvale High School (across from the main office, next to the nurse)

Monthly Reports!

November:

Meals 1269 Individuals 141

December:

Meals 1251 Individuals 139

January:

Meals 748 Individuals 187

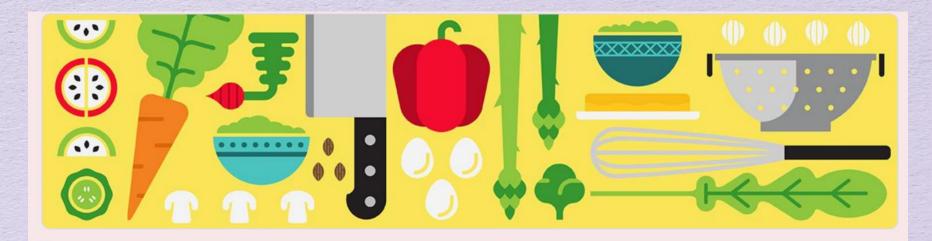
February:

Meals 1413 Individuals 157

Program Name:		Aaryvale Schools FEBRUARY REPORT 1050 Maryvale Drive Cheektowaga NY 14225			Agency Number:	4002	26
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Mobile Food Pantry Totals							
*Only complete this section if you host a Mobile Pantry- do not duplicate pantry statistics *							
Households:	<2 yrs	2-5 yrs	6-17 yrs	18-59 yrs	60+		
Total Individuals: 0							



Flyers' Fresh Market Intake Form

Thank you for filling out this private and secure form if you are interested in visiting our pantry. Our 6th-12th grade students and parents will have direct access to shop at no cost several times a month or as needed on an emergency or individual basis.

Email *

Valid email













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Sample Recipe



Meatless Chili

Preparation time: 5 minutes | Cook time: 25 minutes | Cost: \$4.00

Ingredients:

- 2 teaspoons oil
- 1 onion, chopped
- 3 carrots, chopped
- 2 tablespoons chili powder
- 2 (15 ounce) cans low
 - sodium black beans. drained and rinsed

Directions:

- 1. Heat oil in a large pot over medium heat.
- 2. Add onion. Cook for 4 minutes.
- 3. Add carrots. Cook for 5 minutes, stirring a few times so they do not burn.
- 4. Add chili powder. Stir to coat onions and carrot Cook for 1 minute.
- 5. Add beans, corn, tomatoes, water and salt. Stir to mix chili.
- 6. Bring chili to a boil. Reduce heat to low. Simmer for 15-20 minutes.

Makes 6 servings



• 1 (15 ounce) can low-	Nutrition Facts			
sodium corn, drained	6 servings per container Serving size	1 cup		
 and rinsed 1 (28 ounce) can 	Amount per serving Calories	250		
low-sodium diced	% Daily Value*			
	Total Fat 3g	4%		
tomatoes	Saturated Fat 0g	0%		
 3 cups water 	Trans Fat 0g			
	Cholesterol Omg	0%		
 ½ teaspoon salt 	Sodium 500mg	22%		
	Total Carbohydrate 44g	16%		
	Dietary Fiber 14g	50%		
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rn.	Calcium 93mg	8%		
	Iron 4mg	20%		
coat onions and carrots.	Potassium 614mg	15%		

*The % Daily Value tells you how much a nutrient in a serving of food contributes to a daily dat 2,000 calories day is used for general nutrition advice.

Meatless Chili

Enjoy one meatless meal each week to help improve your health. Meatless meals often have more vegetables and are lower in fat.



Try Meatless Chili with 1/2 cup cooked brown rice or a baked potato.

More recipes are available at pittsburghfoodbank.org/recipecards



Drain and rinse beans and corn to reduce salt.



Try using different beans. Beans are a good source of protein and fiber.



Cook onions and carrots. Stir them dbankorg a few times so they do not burn.

Greater Pittsburgh community

food bank





Nutrition Assistance

kids in the kitchen

Kids in the Kitchen is a hands-on program where children learn about cooking and healthy nutrition practices.

This five-week course is free of charge and offered to children between the ages of 5-18. Students learn how their eating habits affect their health as they prepare simple, nutritious meals and snacks. At the end of each class, they will be provided with recipes and ingredients to recreate those meals at home.

Groups may enroll through schools, community centers, and FeedMore WNY's member agencies.

We also offer these classes virtually.

For more information about Kids in the Kitchen, contact Perry Schmidt at <u>pschmidt@feedmorewny.org</u> or at (716) 822-2005 ext. 3104.

good cookin'

Adults of all ages can participate in a free, five-week cooking course to learn about cooking and healthy nutrition practices.

Here, they will learn about the new trends in nutrition and easy ways to prepare healthy, well-balanced meals and snacks. Participants will also receive tips about shopping on a budget and, at the end of each class, they will be provided with recipes and ingredients to recreate those meals at home.

If you're interested in participating in our Good Cookin' program, contact Perry Schmidt at <u>pschmidt@feedmorewny.org</u> or at (716) 822-2005 ext. 3104.

Plan for a fresh addition:

- The STEM Girls Club is starting to experiment with our first lettuce tower to supplement our Flyers' Fresh Market with fresh lettuce.
- We just applied for a additional grant to try to buy a second tower.

Maryvale STEM Girls Club



Learning and looking for partnerships and grants...

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WHOLE KDS



Garden Grant Program

Kids who grow veggies, eat veggies, so school gardens can make a big difference.

TYPE Monetary Grant

ELIGIBILITY K-12 Schools or Non-Profit Organizations

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Conference Scholarship

Grants

- Agriculture in the Classroom (National) 🛨
- Agriculture in the Classroom (Illinois) 🛨
- The Home Depot Home Depot Foundation 🛨
- America's Farmers Grow Bayer Fund 🛨
- SARE 🛨
- StateFarm Good Neighbor Citizenship 🛨
- FFA Organization (National) 🛨



Just a maybe for the future, but it's something to work toward.

Thank you for your support.

- The Flyers' Fresh Market Team