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Free Summer Lunch Program for Children Ages One to 18

Lunch will be served at various community sites from June 27 through August 19

Renton, WA – The City of Renton is partnering with the Renton School District to offer the <u>2016 Summer Lunch Program</u>. Free lunch will be served for children ages one to 18 at various Renton community sites, regardless of where they live and their family income. The program will run from Monday, June 27, through Friday, August 19.

Registration is not required. Lunch is served Monday through Friday unless noted. Lunch will not be served on July 1, 4, and 5. Lunch must be eaten on-site.

The Mobile Summer Lunch Program will also provide free lunch, making stops at Royal Hills Apartments, Greentree & Park Hill Apartments, and Stonebrook Apartments from June 27 to August 19; Burnett Linear Park from June 27 to August 17; and Liberty Park from June 28 to August 18. Lunch will not be served on July 1, 4, and 5.

A <u>Summer Extravaganza</u>, with free arts and crafts and The Get Up and Go Show (presented by Recess Monkey), will follow the lunch program on Thursday, July 21, at Heritage Park, 233 Union Ave NE.

SUMMER LUNCH PROGRAM

June 27 to August 19 Monday through Friday

Highlands Neighborhood Center 800 Edmonds Ave NE 11:00 a.m. – Noon

Heritage Park 233 Union Ave NE 11:45 a.m. – 12:15 p.m.

St. Matthew's Church 1700 Edmonds Ave NE

Noon -1 p.m.

Renton Veteran's Center (Residents Only) 419 S 2nd St 11:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.

Creston Point Apartments in Urban Family Center 13445 Martin Luther King Jr. Way S in Seattle

12:30 p.m. – 1:30 p.m.

July 11 to August 18 Monday, Tuesday, & Thursday

Arbor Woods Apartments (Residents Only) 6230 S 129th St in Seattle Noon – 1:00 p.m.

July 11 to August 19 Monday through Friday

RAYS Administration Building 1025 S 3rd St Noon – 1:00 p.m.

June 28 to August 11 Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday

The Renton Salvation Army 720 S Tobin St Noon – 1:00 p.m.

July 11 to August 4 Monday through Thursday

Dimmitt Middle School 12320 80th Ave S in Seattle Breakfast: 8:30 a.m. – 9:00 a.m. Lunch: Noon – 12:30 p.m.

Honey Dew Elementary School 800 Union Ave NE

Breakfast: 8:30 am. – 9:00 a.m.

Lunch: Noon – 12:30 p.m.

Tiffany Park Elementary School 1601 Lake Youngs Way SE Breakfast: 8:30 a.m. – 9:00 a.m.

Lunch: Noon – 12:30 p.m.

For questions or more information about the Summer Lunch Program, Mobile Summer Lunch Program, or the Summer Extravaganza, call 425-430-6600 or visit rentonwa.gov/summerlunch/

About the City of Renton

The City of Renton, Washington is located on the southeast shore of Lake Washington with a population just over 100,000. Renton's strong economic base, diverse marketplace and favorable business climate have attracted the attention of nationally recognized companies that are looking to provide employees and their families with an outstanding quality of life. It is the home of Boeing, IKEA, the Seattle Seahawks, and the eternal resting place of Jimi Hendrix. More information can be found at rentonwa.gov.