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Camden Mayor and Superintendent Celebrate Free Summer Meals for City Youth

Free meal sites keep Camden kids well nourished all summer long

Camden, NJ – On Monday, June 28, 2021, Superintendent Katrina McCombs joins the honorable Mayor Victor Carstarphen and Philadelphia Eagles cornerback Avonte Maddox, to celebrate the NJ Free Meals Program, which will be operating across Camden City this summer.

At a fun community event filled with farmers, farm animals, and fun activities for kids, Camden City and school officials will share information about the available sites where children can go for free summer meals. The meals will be available Monday through Friday, morning and afternoon over the summer months.

“With the support of the American Dairy Association, the Food Bank of South Jersey, and the New Jersey Department of Agriculture, we are very excited to open our doors and provide the children of Camden with access to essential nutrition this summer,” said Superintendent McCombs. “Our teachers encourage students to read and provide suggested summer reading lists, and we encourage our students to join community recreation programs to continue participation in physical activity. But none of that is possible without proper nutrition to fuel the mind and the body.”

In addition to free summer meals, families will have an opportunity to sign-up for the Camden City School District’s In-Person Summer Boost program. These programs will provide current Camden City students with in-person academic instruction, enrichment, and social emotional learning beginning July 6, 2021.

Who: Superintendent Katrina T. McCombs

When: Monday, June 28, 2021

Program Time: 12:00 p.m. – 1:00 p.m. (Event runs 11:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.)

Where: Woodrow Wilson High School (Practice Field), 3100 Federal St. Camden, NJ 08105

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