

# Lunch and Beverage News for 2011-2012

To our returning SASH families, welcome back! And to all the new families, we are glad you've chosen SASH—welcome to our school! We will again use the Orgs Online web-based system for ordering lunches, snacks, and beverages for the 2011-2012 school year. Returning families will notice that the ordering process is the same as the 2011 spring semester, but it may be necessary to update your lunch account if you have children who are entering or leaving the school. Here are some highlights of the food and beverage program:

- The H&S will be providing hot lunches from local restaurants on Mondays, Tuesdays, and Fridays at both buildings. Watch for some new menu additions throughout the year!
  - H&S hot lunches are ordered on a monthly basis.
- Pennridge lunches will be offered on Wednesdays at Sacred Heart and on Thursdays at St. Agnes.
  - Pennridge lunches are ordered once per semester.
- Soft pretzels (1 or 2) are offered for daily snack at both buildings beginning on Sept. 26 and continuing through Jan. 27. Separate ordering will occur for the 2nd semester.
  - Pretzels are ordered once per semester. Your selection will be in effect until the 2nd semester.
- As with pretzels, lunch beverages will be offered at both buildings beginning on Sept. 26 and continuing through Jan. 27. Separate ordering will occur for the 2nd semester.
  - Beverages are ordered once per semester. Your selection will be in effect until the 2nd semester.
- We have a very narrow window for the first ordering period. Due to staffing changes in the Pennridge food service department, SASH will not receive the Pennridge menu until Sept. 6. SASH must provide our orders to the vendors by Sept. 20. We greatly appreciate your cooperation in setting up/updating your account and placing your first order within this narrow timeframe.

• **To place orders for the first ordering period, you must set up or update your account, starting NOW until Sept. 8. Otherwise, you will not see the correct menu(s) for your family when the menus are posted on Sept. 9. There is administrative work required by the H&S after your account is created/updated and before the menus are posted, so we appreciate your prompt attention.**

• **The 1st ordering period will run from Sept. 9-19. The 1st H&S lunch will be served on Mon., Sept. 26.**

**\*\*\*\*\*The H&S will not guarantee the ability to order lunches, snacks, or beverages to any family who does not set up or update their account by Sept. 8. Note that because Pennridge lunches, pretzels, and beverages are ordered only once per semester, Sept. 9-19 will be your only chance to order them for the entire semester. \*\*\*\*\***

Please use the accompanying instructions to assist you. Setting up an account is free and only takes a few minutes. We would suggest that everyone do this now even if you are not sure whether you will be ordering lunches, snacks, or beverages. Thank you!

On Sept. 9, you will receive a broadcast email indicating that the menu is posted and ready for orders. Please note that a one-time fee of \$5 per family per school year will be assessed when the first order is placed, to help defray the cost of the ordering software. If at any time you encounter difficulty, help is available as follows:

- For technical assistance with the website, contact the software company directly.
- For assistance specific to SASH and/or H&S, **or to volunteer for hot lunch duty**, contact Jennifer Shipman (215-258-2331; jennifermshipman@gmail.com) or Stephanie DelGrande (215-453-1096; lxw1@verizon.net).

Thanks, and we look forward to providing great lunches for your children.  
Jennifer Shipman and Stephanie DelGrande, H&S Hot Lunch coordinators