



Farm to School New Brunswick

Spring Gathering

Connecting, Feasting, **Celebrating,** Dancing, **Sharing,** Reflecting,
Creating, Mentoring, **Planning,** Problem solving, ...

Thursday, May 21, 2015
Cultural Society of South Kent
5 Irving Boulevard
Bouctouche, New Brunswick

Our objectives for the day are...

- To strengthen connections between F2S leaders - particularly those who are championing new pilot F2S Salad bar programs
- To celebrate and to share progress towards advancing F2S, with a focus on the schools piloting new F2S Salad Bar programs
- To clarify evaluation plans and tools for the new pilot F2S Salad Bar programs
- To provide an opportunity to explore assets, issues, and to problem solve
- To identify next steps to coherently move F2S activity forward in the new pilot schools and more broadly in NB



Agenda

Please have breakfast before you arrive. We have organized a delicious healthy local foods lunch at 11:45 am. We will be limited to simple refreshments such as coffee, tea, water and fruit when you arrive.

Time	Item	Speaker
9:30 am	Check In <i>Grab a light refreshment and have a look at the resources.</i>	
10:00 am	What's on Le Menu? <i>Welcome, overview of day/what to expect, instructions for World Buffet, housekeeping.</i>	Nicole Comeau Community Agent, Ecole Clement Courmier Marie Pierre Poirier Facilitator
10:25 am	A New Crunch in School Lunch: Advancing F2S in Atlantic Canada <i>A brief update about the farm to school movement in Canada – and our partners in progress. There is much exciting activity underway to amplify our efforts to get more local healthy foods in the minds and on the plates of students!</i>	Joanne Bays Farm to Cafeteria Canada National Manager
10:40 am	Savouring Local - Pecha Kucha Style <i>Leads from all schools will give 3 minute presentations about their progress. Presentations may take the form of a skit, a song, a poem, or a more formal PowerPoint. Additional presentations may be made by other guests, time permitting.</i>	Kelsey Wilson F2S NB Provincial Coordinator
11:45 am	Farm to School Lunch <i>Observe a farm to school salad bar program in action at Clement Cormier Secondary School Be sure to identify topics for world buffet</i>	Nicole Comeau, Community Agent Ecole Clement Cormier Rene Nowian-Bastarache Teacher, Ecole Clement Courmier Marc Andre LeBlanc Teacher, Ecole Clement Courmier



<p>1:15 pm</p>	<p>Building Our Case for Support: Evaluation Discussion</p> <p>We will learn more about our evaluation team, the evaluation plan and the tools to make it happen.</p>	<p>Micheline Turnau National Manager, Nourishing School Communities</p>
<p>2:15 pm</p>	<p>Break</p> <p><i>Participants sign up for World Buffet topics of choice</i></p>	
<p>2:30 pm</p>	<p>World Buffet</p> <p><i>We will have two rounds of world buffet tables – where we break into small groups to discuss topics or issues of interest, to share ideas/resources and to problem solve.</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 10 minutes to review topics and get people into groups • 20 minutes discussion • 30 minutes report back • 20 minutes discussion • 30 minutes report back 	<p>Marie Pierre Poirier Facilitator</p>
<p>4:20 pm</p>	<p>It's a Wrap!</p> <p><i>Summing up, next steps and evaluation</i></p>	<p>Marie Pierre Poirier Facilitator</p>
<p>4:30 pm</p>	<p>Meeting adjourned</p>	<p>Joanne Bays National Manager Farm to Cafeteria Canada</p>

As a few of the people arriving from outside of New Brunswick will likely stay overnight, it is likely we will meet for dinner. Please see the signup sheet when you arrive to let us know if you wish to join us.