Free Meal Policy Statement (Outreach Notice) for Enrolled Sites and Camps

Pocono Mountains United Way is participating in the Summer Food Service Program. Meals will be provided to all eligible children free of charge.

To be eligible to receive free meals at various locations children must meet the income guidelines for reduced price meals in the National School Lunch Program.

The income guidelines for reduced price meals by family size are listed below. Children who are part of households that receive food stamps or Temporary Assistance to Needy Families (TANF) are automatically eligible to receive free meals.

The Income Guidelines below are to be used for the Summer Food Service Program. These Guidelines are in effect from July 1, 2018 to June 30, 2019 and change annually.

FEDERAL ELIGIBILITY INCOME CHART FOR JULY 1, 2018 – JUNE 30, 2019			
Household size	Annual	Monthly	Weekly
1	22,459	1,872	432
2	30,451	2,538	586
3	38,443	3,204	740
4	46,435	3,870	893
5	54,427	4,536	1,047
6	62,419	5,202	1,201
7	70,411	5,868	1,355
8	78,403	6,534	1,508
Each additional person:	7,992	666	154

Most Sites in the attendance are of a Community Eligibility Provision school are automatically qualified to be enrolled or open sites and individual eligibility information is not required.

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