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Education Center

520 N.W. Wall Street

Bend, Oregon 97703

January 14, 2025

Dear family,

You are receiving this message because you have accessed our Snack Bag program (Backpacks for Bend, offered by The Giving Plate). We wanted to let you know that The Giving Plate told us they are not able to continue this program. Unfortunately, they do not have the resources to keep this program going. We appreciate the partnership of The Giving Plate and we know they are doing the best they can to serve our community.

They have stopped providing us with Snack Bags. This means we do not have Snack Bags to pass on to your family anymore. We know this was important to many families, and we are sorry for the disappointing news. This change is impacting every school in our school district, not just ours.

However, there are many resources in our community for accessing meals and snacks. Please see the attached flyer with resources and information. If your family needs help accessing these or other resources, please reach out to me.

Sincerely,

(FAN Advocate Name)

School

Attached:

Thrive Central Oregon's Food Resources List (bilingual lists)

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14 de enero de 2025

Estimada familia,

Usted ha recibido este mensaje porque ha accedido a nuestro programa bolsa de refrigerios (Snack Bag - Mochilas para Bend, ofrecido por The Giving Plate). Deseamos hacerle saber que The Giving Plate nos ha comunicado que no pueden continuar este programa. Lamentablemente no cuentan con los fondos para continuar con el mismo. Estamos agradecidos a The Giving Plate por la colaboración establecida con nosotros y sabemos que están haciendo todo lo que pueden para servir a nuestra comunidad.

The Giving Plate ha cancelado la provisión de bolsas de refrigerios (Snack Bags). Esto significa que ya no contamos con Snack Bags para entregar a las familias. Sabemos que este programa ha sido importante para muchas familias y realmente lamentamos darles esta noticia. Este cambio afecta a todas las escuelas de nuestro distrito, no solamente a la nuestra.

Así y todo, existen varios recursos en nuestra comunidad para acceder a comidas y refrigerios. Por favor lea el panfleto adjunto sobre recursos e información. Si su familia necesita ayuda para comunicarse con ellos o con cualquier otro recurso, por favor comuníquese conmigo.

Atentamente,

(Representante de FAN Advocate Name)

Escuela:

Adjunto:

Lista bilingüe de Recursos alimenticios en Oregon del Centro (Thrive Central Oregon's Food Resources List)

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