# **October Check-In/Training**

#### **MEETING AGENDA**

- 1) Monthly Reports DUE: November 8th
  - Please make sure to fill out each tab!
- Wisconsin Farm to School Recognition Program make sure your host site has at least 2 schools signed up
- 3) Pre-Surveys for students and Pre-interview for FSDs
- 4) Member round robin
  - Accomplishments
  - Priorities for next month
  - Where are you feeling stuck?
  - Training topics?
  - Questions
  - Resources

#### MEMBER ROUND ROBIN

- 1) Arbor-Vitae Woodruff Elementary No member
- 2) Ashwaubenon School District Anna Enderle and Emily Cowles
- 3) Eastbrook Academy Luciano Baros
- 4) Hayward Community School District No member
- 5) Holmen School District/Coulee Region Nicole Eshelman
- 6) Howard Suamico School District Zoey Tabor
- 7) Kaukauna Area School District No member
- 8) Milwaukee Parkside School for the Arts- Journey Sutter
- 9) Monona Grove School District- Kori Blumer
- 10) New Richmond School District- Bianca Crumpton
- 11) Oshkosh Area School District Grace Gallagher
- 12) Rooted- Journey Prack and Mason Opp
- 13) Shell Lake School District-Lori Adrihan and Shana Smith
- 14) Waukesha School District- Anastasia Doyle-Bruce
- 15) Vincent High School- Ciara Gilbertson

#### Arbor-Vitae Woodruff Elementary - No member

- Accomplishments
- Priorities for next month
- Where are you feeling stuck?
- Training topics?
- Questions
- Resources

### Ashwaubenon School District - Anna Enderle and Emily Cowles

- Accomplishments big GAC event!, taste test trying different kinds of apples and they got to vote, getting school communications person involved to gain exposure to F2S
- Priorities for next month supervisor wants to do a taste test every month, working on planning that, planning lessons
- Where are you feeling stuck? overwhelm with all the tasks
- Training topics? program sustainability
- Questions
- Resources

## **Eastbrook Academy** - Luciano Baros

- Accomplishments Fall Festival, did local caramel apples, got a second hydroponics tower through a grant, making lots of local connections, visited an elk farm and connected with the farmer, working on sustainability
- Priorities for next month getting nutrition lessons planned, scheduling events
- Where are you feeling stuck? nutrition lessons
- Training topics?
- Questions
- Resources

#### **Hayward Community School District - No member**

- Accomplishments
- Priorities for next month
- Where are you feeling stuck?
- Training topics?
- Questions
- Resources

# Holmen School District/Coulee Region - Nicole Eshelman

- Accomplishments finished all her FSD interviews and entered them, started NE lessons, scheduled out Nov and Dec, meeting to set up taste tests, all schools participated in GAC, farmer engagement with apple orchard, working on carrot and pea video story boards, sustainability chats, grow towers are active at high school now
- Priorities for next month start taste tests in La Crosse, start coordinating taste tests in Holmen, getting schools signed up for the Recognition program

- Where are you feeling stuck? Introductions to principals has been slow, hard to get schools to sign up for the recognition tracker
- Training topics?
- Questions
- Resources SOP for garden produce in La Crosse schools, infographic on harvesting lettuce

### Howard Suamico School District - Zoey Tabor

- Accomplishments had to adjust to one HT member after having multiple members at their school, building connections in the school, made a great connection with a janitor, has done a lot of lessons, growing interest in nutrition lessons!, lots of sustainability conversations
- Priorities for next month developing Green Thumb Club, troubleshooting grow tower
- Where are you feeling stuck? bandwidth
- Training topics? Integrating with school nutrition
- Questions -
- Resources

#### Kaukauna Area School District - No member

- Accomplishments
- Priorities for next month
- Where are you feeling stuck?
- Training topics?
- Questions
- Resources

## Milwaukee Parkside School for the Arts- Journey Sutter

- Accomplishments ran 5 events and 2 fundraisers this month, 2 weekly newsletters
- Priorities for next month doing 2 more fundraisers, sage bundles and apple/pumpkin pie kits,
- Where are you feeling stuck? So much to do, prioritizing personal mental health dealing with site challenges,
- Training topics? Classroom management, increasing volunteers
- Questions -
- Resources Kids Gardening

#### Monona Grove School District - Kori Blumer

- Accomplishments very busy month!, GAC, lessons, apple taste tests, big community dinner that went well, did fundraising for the next community dinner, local newspaper did story on the event, connect with marketing and communications team in your district, went to conference in Las Vegas with FSD regarding Healthy Meals, helped present at the conference
- Priorities for next month slowing things down a tad, doing taste test to celebrate Native American Heritage Month, lessons on edible insects
- Where are you feeling stuck? Constantly busy, learning to pivot and being flexible
- Training topics?
- Questions
- Resources

### New Richmond School District - Bianca Crumpton

- Accomplishments teaching lessons, classroom management improving
- Priorities for next month growing herbs for their ranch and marinara sauce
- Where are you feeling stuck? What to do when things are slow
- Training topics? Computer training and classroom management
- Questions
- Resources

#### Oshkosh Area School District - Grace Gallagher

- Accomplishments GAC, had farmer come in and communications person came to take pictures, nutrition lessons are going well, got HOM logo on the menu, met with WI Food Hub
- Priorities for next month
- Where are you feeling stuck? lack of forward movement on local purchasing
- Training topics?
- Questions
- Resources

#### **Rooted**- Journey Prack and Mason Opp

- Accomplishments Lessons are in full swing and busy, GAC, some events happening, had their first high school cooking club last night
- Priorities for next month getting into the groove, teaching in his second school
- Where are you feeling stuck? One school has a small garden
- Training topics? fundraising
- Questions
- Resources

#### Shell Lake School District - Lori Adrihan and Shana Smith

- Accomplishments set up their hydroponics, Shana is working on scheduling farmer visits, October was a great month! Apple Crunch, Herbie Popcorn Lessons, Grape Juice making with the afterschool and last night's cooking club was homemade french fries and they processed 60 apples to be frozen and used for apple bars next week.
- Priorities for next month Legacy document to help with keeping us on track and adding all the new things that we are working on in Shell Lake. Fundraisers, Garden improvements, sustainability, lesson planning
- Where are you feeling stuck? Keeping up with reporting/surveys entered
- Training topics?
- Questions
- Resources

### Waukesha School District - Anastasia Doyle-Bruce

- Accomplishments busy month!, did a winterizing the garden even at one of her school, starting after school garden lessons soon, starting to schedule nutrition lessons, established monthly team meetings for F2S, lots of donations,
- Priorities for next month working on a lesson outline for K-3rd, creating community events
- Where are you feeling stuck? Finding a good time to do lessons in the classroom
- Training topics?
- Questions
- Resources

# Vincent High School - Ciara Gilbertson

- Accomplishments table at parent teacher conferences, donated collards to parents to grow awareness, harvesting lettuce every other week, started composting in freshmen lunch, had her first farmer come in
- Priorities for next month working on more taste tests, increasing composting, deciding what to do with lettuce
- Where are you feeling stuck? Where to use lettuce, grow tower sustainability
- Training topics? High school nutrition activities
- Questions
- Resources