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Dear Parents & Guardians,

Our district utilizes a computerized point-of-sale system (POS) in the cafeteria. This system has been implemented in over 9,000 schools across the US. Instead of our old paper-ticket system, you have the convenience of placing deposits into your child's account…so that he or she can get lunch and optionally a beverage, by debiting his/her account. Worries about forgotten or lost lunch money are eliminated. Cash will still be accepted in our cafeterias, but we hope that you will take advantage of our debit system, because reducing the amount of cash-handling in our lunch lines will speed up the lines.

Deposits to your child's account can be allocated in 2 ways:

1. **Pre-paid Lunch Only: This money is used for Lunch and nothing else**.

   Below please find a convenient calculation of one week, two week's, etc. lunches…but note that you can send a check (preferred) or cash or money order for any amount: Please note that reduced-price lunches are available to those who qualify.

Daily Elementary School lunch price: $1.95		Daily "reduced" lunch price: $ .40	
1 week (5 days)	$ 9.75	1 week (5 days)	$ 2.00
2 weeks (10 days)	$ 19.50	2 weeks (10 days)	$ 4.00
4 weeks (20 days)	$ 39.00	4 weeks (20 days)	$ 8.00
8 weeks (40 days)	$ 78.00	8 weeks (40 days)	$16.00

2. **Ala carte & Lunches: This money can be used for everything in the cafeteria.**

   You may deposit money for unrestricted cafeteria use - ala carte & lunch purchases. Ala carte items include milk, bottled water, 100 % fruit juice **Snapple**, as well as extra portions of lunch items.

Checks/Money Orders are made payable to "**Bernards Township Board of Education**". Please complete the bottom portion of this letter and return with your deposit in an envelope marked "**LUNCH PROGRAM**." Please assist us by encouraging your child to remember his or her PIN number. This will help us to move the lines quickly. Student photos will be attached to each account for identification and security purposes.

At the end of the school year, any remaining balances will "roll over" into September, and for 5th graders will roll into the system at William Annin.

Feel free to contact cafeteria manager at your child's school with any questions.

Sincerely,
Debra Smith
Food Service Director
ARAMARK Education

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Please detach & return with your deposit in a sealed envelope marked "LUNCH PROGRAM."

Student's Name: _____ Grade: _____

Total Amount Enclosed: $_____ Payment: (check one) _____ Cash _____ Check _____Money Order

Deposit Allocation: (check one)

_____ Pre-paid Lunch Only _____ Ala carte & lunches