

Farm to School Discussion Friday, November 30, 9–11 AM Ripley CC Central Administration Building, 120 Merriam Road, Concord

Agenda

- ❖ Welcome Introductions
- Goals:
 - Publicize level of sustainability in CPS/CCHS food services
 - Promote healthy foods that are sustainably grown
 - Educate the school communities about healthy and sustainable foods
 - Increase student interest in school food services
 - ➤ Be a leader in sustainable food practices among schools in Massachusetts
- How we got here effort
 - ➤ Initial Meeting April 2018
 - Notes
 - Food services survey
 - Summary of results
 - Massachusetts Farm to School grant application
 - Communications (outreach, events, etc.)
- Where are we now
- Next Steps
 - Short Term goals of the CCHS Cafeteria
 - Composition of the Working Group
 - Meeting Schedule

Attending

Maria Barker, CPS & CCHS School Food Service Director

Court Booth, Concord School Committee; Former Founding Director of Concord Carlisle Adult Education

Alisha Boyajian, Alcott School Gardens; Garden Club of Concord

Enid Boasberg, Co-Founder, Concord Free Public Library's Concord Seed Lending Library; Retried Library Assistant, Town of Concord Library

Joan Daniels, Community organization and outreach facilitator; Sustainable Food and Agriculture Enthusiast; Professional background in corporate and government interior design

Marjie Findlay, Co-owner, Clark Farm

Dr. Laurie Hunter, Concord and Concord-Carlisle School Superintendent

Leslie Knight, CCHS Assistant Principal

Mike Lawson, Concord Select Board Member; Liaison to the Agriculture Committee of the Town of Concord

Amy Noordzij, Professional Chef; Garden Club of Concord Member; Former Gaining Ground Board Member

Brooke Redmond, Volunteer Coordinator, Concord Carlisle Food Collaborative; Special Gifts Officer, Shelburne Farms, VT; Development Consultant, Radish Road

Emma Scudder, Food and Farm Educator, Mass Audubon's Drumlin Farm

Jared Stanton, Concord and Carlisle Director of Finance and Operations

Ian Rhames, Assistant Business Manager

Emily Wheeler, Member of the Agriculture Committee of the Town of Concord



Concord Carlisle Farm to School is a collaborative project to support and strengthen our school food program and make connections between the cafeteria, classroom, and community.