

To: Kaukauna Public Library Board of Trustees From: Library Director Ashley Thiem-Menning

Date: 6/22/2022

Re: Summer Feeding Program

This year, like last, we are doing our own Summer Feeding Program. This is not a quota-based program because there are no grant funds involved. We are using funds given to us from Kaukauna Utilities. Our intent for this program is for food insecure families.

During week one we fed 103 kids, week two 189, and so far into week three 55.

This year given the increased traffic in the building, we are seeing a big increase in use. We have been having trouble though getting Uncrustables. We need to use prepackaged due to staff time and can only fit 8.5 of the big boxes in our freezer at a time. I have reached out to Smuckers about a product donation and they declined because they do not have a facility in our state. We do have some backup plans in place in case we continue to see high rates of use and continue to have difficulty locating Uncrustables.

