

Dear Parents:

Ballinger ISD Food Service Department is excited to provide a convenient, easy and secure online prepayment service to deposit money into your child's lunch account. This new service will begin October 1, 2009.

To access this service:

- 1) Simply go to www.ballingerisd.net
- 2) Click on the "Food Service" link
- 3) Click on the "MyNutrikids.com" link. From this site you will create your account and add money to your child's lunch account.
- 4) Information needed:
 - a) child's name
 - b) student ID number (located on report cards due out 9-30-09 or contact the Food Service Department at 365-3588 ext. 3006 (elementary) or ext. 5012 (junior high/high school)
 - c) school zip code – 76821
- 5) Detailed instructions are on the back on this page.

Things to Know:

- 1) Only one online account is needed per family.
- 2) Payments can be made with a major debit or credit card or an existing PayPal account.
- 3) Parents may view their child's account at no charge.
- 4) A convenience fee of \$1.75 per deposit transaction will be charged.
- 5) Parents placing money into multiple meal accounts will only be assessed the \$1.75 fee once per deposit transaction.
- 6) Ballinger ISD does not profit from this site.
- 7) To offset the \$1.75 fee, Ballinger ISD will provide one FREE meal for every \$25.00 added to the account. (For example, a deposit of \$25 will be charged a fee of \$1.75 & in return you will receive 1 free meal valued at \$1.75.)
- 8) If you choose not to use this new service, continue to send payments via check payable to Ballinger ISD with your child's name on the check.
- 9) Parent's can print a copy of their child's eating history report that lists breakfasts and lunches eaten within the past 30 days.

If you have any questions about these new services, contact

Cindy Manis at the Elementary, 365-3588 ext# 3006

Mary Prendez at the Junior High/High School, 365-3588 ext# 5012

Laurie Belcher, Food Service Director, 365-3588 ext# 3006

Best Regards,

Laurie Belcher

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