

Food Establishment Inspection Report

Score: 99.5

Establishment Name: SCOTTS RIDGE ELEMENTARY CAFETERIA

Establishment ID: 4092110505

Location Address: 6601 APEX BARBEQUE RD

City: APEX State: North Carolina

Zip: 27502 County: 92 Wake

Permittee: WAKE COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOL SYSTEM

Telephone: (919) 694-0300

☒ Inspection ☐ Re-Inspection ☐ Educational Visit**Wastewater System:**☒ Municipal/Community ☐ On-Site System**Water Supply:**☒ Municipal/Community ☐ On-Site Supply

Date: 09/09/2026 Status Code: A

Time In: 10:15 AM Time Out: 11:45 AM

Category#: IV

FDA Establishment Type: _____

No. of Risk Factor/Intervention Violations: 1

No. of Repeat Risk Factor/Intervention Violations: 0

Foodborne Illness Risk Factors and Public Health Interventions**Risk factors:** Contributing factors that increase the chance of developing foodborne illness.**Public Health Interventions:** Control measures to prevent foodborne illness or injury

Compliance Status		OUT	CDI	R	VR
Supervision .2652					
1	☒ OUT/N/A	PIC Present, demonstrates knowledge, & performs duties	1	0	
2	☒ OUT/N/A	Certified Food Protection Manager	1	0	
Employee Health .2652					
3	☒ OUT	Management, food & conditional employee; knowledge, responsibilities & reporting	2	1	0
4	☒ OUT	Proper use of reporting, restriction & exclusion	3	1.5	0
5	☒ OUT	Procedures for responding to vomiting & diarrheal events	1	0.5	0
Good Hygienic Practices .2652, .2653					
6	☒ OUT	Proper eating, tasting, drinking or tobacco use	1	0.5	0
7	☒ OUT	No discharge from eyes, nose, and mouth	1	0.5	0
Preventing Contamination by Hands .2652, .2653, .2655, .2656					
8	☒ OUT	Hands clean & properly washed	4	2	0
9	☒ OUT/N/A/N/O	No bare hand contact with RTE foods or pre-approved alternate procedure properly followed	4	2	0
10	☒ OUT/N/A	Handwashing sinks supplied & accessible	2	1	0
Approved Source .2653, .2655					
11	☒ OUT	Food obtained from approved source	2	1	0
12	☒ IN OUT	Food received at proper temperature	2	1	0
13	☒ OUT	Food in good condition, safe & unadulterated	2	1	0
14	☒ IN OUT	Required records available: shellstock tags, parasite destruction	2	1	0
Protection from Contamination .2653, .2654					
15	☒ OUT/N/A/N/O	Food separated & protected	3	1.5	0
16	☒ OUT	Food-contact surfaces: cleaned & sanitized	3	1.5	0
17	☒ OUT	Proper disposition of returned, previously served, reconditioned & unsafe food	2	1	0
Potentially Hazardous Food Time/Temperature .2653					
18	☒ IN OUT	Proper cooking time & temperatures	3	1.5	0
19	☒ IN OUT/N/A/N/O	Proper reheating procedures for hot holding	3	1.5	0
20	☒ IN OUT/N/A/N/O	Proper cooling time & temperatures	3	1.5	0
21	☒ OUT/N/A/N/O	Proper hot holding temperatures	3	1.5	0
22	☒ IN OUT/N/A/N/O	Proper cold holding temperatures	3	1.5	X
23	☒ OUT/N/A/N/O	Proper date marking & disposition	3	1.5	0
24	☒ IN OUT	Time as a Public Health Control; procedures & records	3	1.5	0
Consumer Advisory .2653					
25	☒ IN OUT	Consumer advisory provided for raw/undercooked foods	1	0.5	0
Highly Susceptible Populations .2653					
26	☒ OUT/N/A	Pasteurized foods used; prohibited foods not offered	3	1.5	0
Chemical .2653, .2657					
27	☒ IN OUT	Food additives: approved & properly used	1	0.5	0
28	☒ OUT/N/A	Toxic substances properly identified stored & used	2	1	0
Conformance with Approved Procedures .2653, .2654, .2658					
29	☒ IN OUT	Compliance with variance, specialized process, reduced oxygen packaging criteria or HACCP plan	2	1	0

Good Retail Practices**Good Retail Practices:** Preventative measures to control the addition of pathogens, chemicals, and physical objects into foods.

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Safe Food and Water .2653, .2655, .2658					
30	☒ IN OUT	Pasteurized eggs used where required	1	0.5	0
31	☒ OUT	Water and ice from approved source	2	1	0
32	☒ IN OUT	Variance obtained for specialized processing methods	2	1	0
Food Temperature Control .2653, .2654					
33	☒ OUT	Proper cooling methods used; adequate equipment for temperature control	1	0.5	0
34	☒ OUT N/A N/O	Plant food properly cooked for hot holding	1	0.5	0
35	☒ IN OUT N/A N/O	Approved thawing methods used	1	0.5	0
36	☒ OUT	Thermometers provided & accurate	1	0.5	0
Food Identification .2653					
37	☒ OUT	Food properly labeled: original container	2	1	0
Prevention of Food Contamination .2652, .2653, .2654, .2656, .2657					
38	☒ OUT	Insects & rodents not present; no unauthorized animals	2	1	0
39	☒ OUT	Contamination prevented during food preparation, storage & display	2	1	0
40	☒ OUT	Personal cleanliness	1	0.5	0
41	☒ OUT	Wiping cloths: properly used & stored	1	0.5	0
42	☒ OUT N/A	Washing fruits & vegetables	1	0.5	0
Proper Use of Utensils .2653, .2654					
43	☒ OUT	In-use utensils: properly stored	1	0.5	0
44	☒ OUT	Utensils, equipment & linens: properly stored, dried & handled	1	0.5	0
45	☒ OUT	Single-use & single-service articles: properly stored & used	1	0.5	0
46	☒ OUT	Gloves used properly	1	0.5	0
Utensils and Equipment .2653, .2654, .2663					
47	☒ IN OUT	Equipment, food & non-food contact surfaces approved, cleanable, properly designed, constructed & used	1	0.5	X
48	☒ OUT	Warewashing facilities: installed, maintained & used; test strips	1	0.5	0
49	☒ OUT	Non-food contact surfaces clean	1	0.5	0
Physical Facilities .2654, .2655, .2656					
50	☒ OUT N/A	Hot & cold water available; adequate pressure	1	0.5	0
51	☒ OUT	Plumbing installed; proper backflow devices	2	1	0
52	☒ OUT	Sewage & wastewater properly disposed	2	1	0
53	☒ OUT N/A	Toilet facilities: properly constructed, supplied & cleaned	1	0.5	0
54	☒ OUT	Garbage & refuse properly disposed; facilities maintained	1	0.5	0
55	☒ OUT	Physical facilities installed, maintained & clean	1	0.5	0
56	☒ OUT	Meets ventilation & lighting requirements; designated areas used	1	0.5	0
TOTAL DEDUCTIONS:					0.5



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Temperature Observations

Item/Location	Temp	Item/Location	Temp	Item/Location	Temp
Broccoli /Final cook for hot hold	180+				
Broccoli/Hot box	156				
Mac n Cheese /Hot box	152				
Broccoli /Serving line	150 - 155				
Cut lettuce/Cut tomato /Serving line	48 - 57				
Yogurt /Reach-in	39				
Cut lettuce/Milk /Walk-in	40				
Yogurt /Walk-in	40				
Milk /Milk cooler, cafeteria	39 - 40				

First
Person in Charge (Print & Sign): Cynthia

Last
Caswell

First
Regulatory Authority (Print & Sign): Matthew

Last
Saliba

REHS ID: 3079 - Saliba, Matthew

Verification Dates: Priority:

Priority Foundation:

Core:

REHS Contact Phone Number: (919) 500-6269

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Observations and Corrective Actions

Violations cited in this report must be corrected within the time frames below, or as stated in sections 8-405.11 of the food code.

- 22 3-501.16 (A)(2); Priority; Cut lettuce and cut tomato were observed between 48 and 57F on the serving line. Except during preparation, cooking, or cooling, or when TPHC is used, TCS food shall be maintained at 41F or less. CDI- items were placed in walk-in freezer to rapidly chill before next lunch group arrived. Ensure TCS foods on the serving line maintain proper cold hold temp. Use ice or keep foods below refrigerated space. Cold holding has not been an issue on previous reports and all other temperatures were compliant. No points taken today.
- 47 4-501.11; Core; Gasket on hot box is torn. Maintain equipment in good repair. Replace torn gasket.