A Salute to APS Nutrition Services Staff

May 4-8 is School Nutrition Employee Week. Preparing healthy school meals, promoting good nutrition habits and offering a friendly greeting are all in a day’s work for school nutrition employees in Aurora Public Schools. The APS Nutrition Services Department promotes healthy eating by cooking many meals from scratch to enhance the nutritional content of food served to students.

Tri-County Health Department recently recognized their work with the 2015 Public Health Hero award. In addition, APS Nutrition Services Director Mona Martinez-Brosh, RD earned the Colorado School Nutrition Association’s 2015 Director of the Year award.

APS thanks Nutrition Services employees for helping our students maintain healthy lifestyles!

APS Celebrates National Teacher Appreciation Week

As the end of the 2014-15 school year nears and the community celebrates student success, Aurora Public Schools would like to recognize one of its most crucial ingredients – its teachers.

Tuesday, May 5 is National Teacher Day, and APS joins other communities nationwide to honor outstanding educators. National Teacher Appreciation Week is May 4-8.

APS has more than 2,300 licensed staff members – including teachers, counselors, social workers, psychologists and other special service providers – who educate and inspire our students to become great leaders.

Thank you, APS teachers!

Thank you, APS Nurses and Health Paraprofessionals

On May 6, Aurora Public Schools will join many communities across the nation in honoring school nurses on National School Nurse Day. The annual event kicks off the week-long National Nurses Week, which runs May 6-12, ending on the birthday of Florence Nightingale, the founder of modern nursing.

School nurses help to improve the health and educational success of APS students. Currently, APS has more than 40 registered nurses and 30 health paraprofessionals who serve preschool, elementary and secondary students.

We applaud all APS nurses and paraprofessionals for all they do!