

Shining Stars



District: Cheshire Public Schools—Chapman Elementary School

Food Service Director: Madeleine Diker

Food Service Manager: Deborra Zello

EVENT: Meet the "Got Milk Cow" on the beach at Chapman Elementary School Cafeteria

PURPOSE: The purpose of Beach Party Day at Chapman Elementary School was to introduce a new Caribbean fruit and promote milk consumption to the students.

OUTCOME: Students taste-tested papaya during their lunch period. About 95 percent of the students participated in the taste-testing. Of those students who participated, 75 percent enjoyed the papaya. Lucky tray winners won the chance to meet the Beach Party "Got Milk Cow". By introducing a new fruit and promoting milk consumption following recess, Chapman Elementary School was participating in the 5-3-1 program.

