Fresh Tastes – rethinking school lunch.  

Over the next three years a group of organisations will be working together to help ACT schools provide viable healthy food services for students and their families. This builds on the supports already available to schools under Fresh Tastes. Soon there will be some new and exciting opportunities for schools and P&C’s to be involved. Keep an eye out for more information in the future.

*Fresh Tastes – Rethinking School Lunches collaborative group; ACT Council of Parents and Citizens Associations, ACT Health (Fresh Tastes and It’s Your Move), YMCA of Canberra, Healthy Kids Association NSW, Nutrition Australia ACT, Education Directorate, Association of Parents and Friends of ACT Schools.

APFACTS have recently represented parents at the following forums:

ARACY, Parental Engagement Stakeholder Group Meeting. There is now a base line for measuring parental engagement which is a brilliant development within this area of work. Below is the link to a comprehensive overview of Parental Engagement.


School Bus Liaison Committee.
The feedback at this meeting was that the majority of buses had now addressed the capacity issues that were experienced at the start of term. TAMS noted that if there are children standing on a bus that it’s not necessarily an overloaded bus and that not all children will be able to have a seat.

National Child Wellbeing Symposium
The link to the summary of these finding are as shown.

http://australianchildwellbeing.com.au/research-findings

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