

Proclamation

by Governor Jim Justice

- Whereas,** the School Breakfast Program is dedicated to the health and well-being of our nation's children; and
- Whereas,** the School Breakfast Program has been joined through the years by Fuel up to Play 60 and many other excellent child nutrition programs and partners; and
- Whereas,** there is evidence of continued need for nutrition education and awareness of the value of school nutrition programs; and
- Whereas,** an average of 3 million school breakfasts are served monthly to students, at more than 700 sites in West Virginia; WV is ranked first in the Nation for breakfast participation according to Food Research & Action Center Scorecard (FRAC Scorecard); and
- Whereas,** the West Virginia Feed to Achieve Act emphasizes all WV students shall have adequate time and availability for school breakfast; and
- Whereas,** the week of March 2-6, 2020 be recognized as *National School Breakfast Week* in West Virginia; and
- Whereas,** this week is devoted to the recognition of dedicated and hardworking people who make the School Breakfast Program a reality in their schools; and
- Whereas,** this special week serve as a fitting time to urge all West Virginia citizens to become aware of the solid foundation for learning provided by a nutritious breakfast.

Now, Therefore, Be it Resolved that I, Jim Justice, Governor of the Great State of West Virginia, do hereby proclaim *March 2-6, 2020* as:

National School Breakfast Week

in the Mountain State and encourage all citizens to become aware and concerned about their children's and their own nutrition habits, in hope of achieving a more healthful citizenry for today and the future.


In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of West Virginia to be affixed.

Done at the Capitol, City of Charleston, State of West Virginia, this the Sixth day of February, in the year of our Lord, Two Thousand Twenty, and in the One Hundred Fifty-Seventh year of the State.




Jim Justice
Governor

By the Governor:


Mac Warner
Secretary of State