HEALTHWAY SPONSORED COMMUNITY EVENTS

HEALTHY FOOD OPTIONS SHEET

Our organisation is working in partnership with Healthway and the Western Australian School Canteen Association Inc. (WASCA) to provide and promote healthy food and drinks at community events.

As part of our Healthway sponsorship funding, it is a requirement that vendors offer at least one healthy 'green' food option. This fact sheet lists ideas for food vendors and explains how WASCA can support you to offer healthy food options.

WHAT ARE HEALTHY GREEN FOODS?

Foods categorised as healthy green options include:

- baked spuds, paella, vegetable soups, fried rice
- sushi, rice paper rolls, sandwiches, rolls, wraps
- fruit salad, whole fruit, yoghurt (reduced fat)
- salads
- grazing plate: (e.g. dip, olives, crackers, cucumber, carrot, cherry tomatoes and cheese).



MENU SUPPORT

WASCA can work with you to identify healthy food options - they might be part of your menu already! If not, WASCA will provide practical advice to create healthy foods and increase your chance of being accepted to attend the Healthway sponsored event. For example:

- burgers on the menu add salad and use reduced fat cheese
- nachos on the menu offer rice, as an alternative to corn chips and top with reduced fat cheese and sour cream
- dessert on the menu offer seasonal fruit and yogurt, apple crumble and custard.

Contact WASCA for menu support: 08 9264 4999 or email WASCA@education.wa.edu.au



If eligible, your business could be added to the Healthier Vendor Guide - WA's list of healthier food vendors.

Food vendors on this guide are highly sought after at Healthway sponsored events.



