

EITEM/ITEM 7 – CWESTIYNAU/QUESTIONS

Cwestiwn y Cynghorydd Gareth Thomas –

“Mae gwerthiant cig yn amlwg yn bwnc sydd yn sylw'r cyhoedd ar hyn o bryd. All y Cyngor gadarnhau pa brosesau a ddefnyddir ar gyfer caffael cig a bwydydd eraill ar gyfer cartrefi preswyl pobl hŷn, ysgolion a chanolfannau eraill a reolir gan y Cyngor? Pa drefniadau mewnol sydd gan y Cyngor i sicrhau bod safon y bwyd sydd yn cael ei gyflenwi o radd dderbyniol?”

Question by Councillor Gareth Thomas –

“The sale of meat is a subject that is currently in the public eye. Can the Council confirm which processes are used for the procurement of meat and other foods for residential homes for the elderly, schools and other centres managed by the Council? What internal arrangements does the Council have to ensure that the standard of the food supplied is acceptable?”

Ateb/Answer – Cynghorydd Paul Thomas, Aelod Cabinet Gwynedd
Iach/Councillor Paul Thomas, Cabinet Member – Healthy Gwynedd

“Mae bob Ysgol a chartref preswyl sydd ynghlwm a chytundeb arlwyo'r adran darparu yn derbyn cig ffresh gan ddau gyflenwr lleol yn unig. Mae llythrau gan y ddau gyflenwr wedi cyrraedd yr adran yn cadarnhau nad oes unrhyw gyswllt i gig ceffyl ganddynt a bod bob darn o gig sydd yn cyrraedd ceginau'r Cyngor efo gwybodaeth arno ar ffurf 'barcode' sydd yn ein galluogi i ddilyn taith y cig yn ôl i'r fferm lle gafodd ei fagu. Mae'r adran hefyd wedi derbyn llythyr gan gwmni Apetito sydd yn arlwyo prydau wedi eu rhewi i Wasanaethau Cymdeithasol yn cadarnhau bod eu prydau nhw hefyd yn cael eu paratoi o gigoedd fresh, a'u bod nhw wedi profi eu cynnyrch cig eidion ar y 29ain o Ionawr. Mae'r canlyniadau yn dangos bod 100% o'u cynnyrch yn glir o gig ceffyl.

Mae safonau masnach wedi cysylltu â'r adran darparu yn ddiweddar ac maen nhw'n fodlon iawn efo safonau'r bwyd mae'r cyngor yn arlwyo.

Does dim bwydydd sydd wedi prosesu na rhai sydd wedi eu paratoi yn barod yn cael eu defnyddio yng ngheginau'r Cyngor gan mai dim ond cigydd ffres o gwmnïau lleol sy'n cael ei baratoi a'i arlwyyo yn ein safleoedd. Nid oes unrhyw fwydlen wedi newid, nag unrhyw eitem wedi ei dynnu nôl oddi ar unrhyw raglen fwyd gan fod yr adran yn ddigon hyderus o safon y cynnyrch.

Mae pob ysgol gynradd efo bwydlen sydd wedi ei osod o wythnos i wythnos ac sy'n sicrhau bod bob plentyn sydd yn derbyn cinio ysgol yn cael o leiaf un pryd maethlon bob dydd. Mae prynu cynnyrch lleol yn costio ychydig yn fwy na sympliau o gynnyrch o Loegr, ond mae wedi galluogi'r adran i sicrhau prydau maethlon o safon sydd gyda dim byd ond y cynnyrch disgwylidig ynddo."

"Every school and residential home under the catering contract of the Provider Department receive fresh meat supplies from two local butchers only. Letters have been received from both suppliers confirming that they have no link to horse meat and that every piece of meat that reach Council kitchens have information on them in the form of a 'barcode' which enables us to follow the journey of the meat back to the farm where it originates. The department has also received a letter from the company Apetito who cater and supply frozen meals to Social Services, confirming that their meals are also prepared from fresh meat, and that they have tested their beef products on the 29th January. The results show that their products are 100% clear of horse meat.

The trading standards have contacted the Provider Department recently and they are very satisfied with the standard of food catered by the Council. No processed food nor prepared food is used in Council kitchens as only fresh meat from local companies is prepared and catered on our sites. No menu has changed, nor any item removed from any menu as the department is confident enough of the standard of their produce.

Every primary school has a menu established from week to week which ensures that each child who partakes in school dinners have at least one nutritious meal daily. Buying local produce costs a little more than buying in large bulks from England, but it has enabled the department to ensure nutritious meals of standard which contains nothing more than what the produce is expected to contain."