PA NEN – Weekly Food & Nutrition News Nibbles
News of possible interest for PA NEN members
Week of June 29th, 2009

Enjoy the 4th of July holiday!

National News:

WIC Checks Will Now be Accepted for Fresh Produce at New York Farmers’ Markets
http://www.state.ny.us/governor/press/press_0613091.html

E. Coli Outbreak Sickens at Least 23
Recalled Beef Products May be Linked to Illnesses in 9 States
http://www.chicagotribune.com/news/nationworld/chi-tc-nw-briefs-0701-07020jul02,0,1544115.story

Stop & Shop Issues a Voluntary Recall of Stop & Shop Non Fat Dry Milk
http://www.fda.gov/Safety/Recalls/ucm170229.htm

Splashing some cold water on the locavore movement
http://www.boston.com/bostonglobe/magazine/articles/2009/06/28/a_bitter_reality

Ky. Schools’ Healthy Example Could Shape a National Policy

Refrigerated truck serves as traveling food pantry

PA News:

Caseworker shortage delaying food-stamp applications

Early bird seniors more likely to get vouchers
http://www.post-gazette.com/pg/09183/981086-34.stm

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