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Just a Thought...

Why is it that when we bounce a check, the bank charges us more of what they already know we don't have any of?

A word from the President:

My Farewell as your Oregon DMA State President

I would like to say Thank you for a great year as the Oregon Dietary Managers Association State President. It was a great opportunity to be able to lead all of my peers! I learned a great deal and will cherish many memories.

I wish you all well and Shirley may your year be as fun and exciting! I would like to express special thanks to all the National crew, Richard, Bernadette and last but not least Mark. To everyone else that assisted and helped me along the way... Thank you!

Thank you to all Oregon Certified Dietary Managers this is a great organization. Please stay involved and be proud of the job we provide each and every day.



Melissa Davis CDM, CFPP
Oregon State DMA Past President



Welcome our new Oregon DMA State President



First of all I want to say hello to everyone. I really want to encourage you all to come to the meetings and participate in our organization both on the state level but also the local chapters. I also would like to open an invitation to our student members, get in touch with me, our state officers, or the district presidents and get involved with our organization. It is part of our goals to support you through the networking, study support, anything you need to become successful in your new career. Another goal is to increase participation and awareness of our organization within the community.

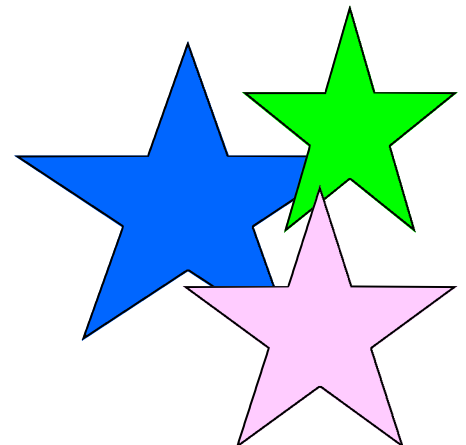
I also want to thank Melissa and Mark for the for the hard work you did this last year and continue to do on behalf of the Oregon DMA. I hope to have everyone involved at some level before the year is over. **WE NEED ALL OF YOU...**this is your organization and everyone plays a major part, you are important and your ideas are greatly appreciated.

I cannot do this job alone, and I know there is a great amount of knowledge and creativity out there to share. Just helping with a small part makes it so much easier for us all, plus it makes us all better.

This will be a great year!



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A Shining Star



As part of our goal to recognize excellence and dedication in our DMA membership, beginning with this issue you will see our "Shining Star's" appear. Help us in recognizing those who go just a little extra mile each and every day.

Spread around the news too:

- Buy a star for a fellow Foodservice Manager
- Leave a Star Promotion flyer for your Administrator.
- Send a star to a team member who may be interested in becoming a DMA member.

Let your support be known!!!

For more information on our "Shining Star" promotion contact Mark at 971.219.1696 or mark@gfr2000.com.

The treasurers report as presented at the Fall Conference will be printed in our next issue, sorry for the inconvenience.

OREGON DIETARY MANAGERS

BUDGET FOR 2008

INCOME:

SPRING MEETING	\$2000
FALL MEETING	\$2000
NATIONAL REBATE	\$1200
NEWSLETTER ADVERTISING	\$1500
HUNGER WEEK CONTRIBUTIONS	\$ 600
TOTAL	\$7300

EXPENSES:

SPRING MEETING	\$ 200
FALL MEETING	\$ 200
NATIONAL BONDING	\$ 130
NATIONAL MEETING	\$2500
NEWSLETTER	\$3400
POSTAGE	\$ 200
HUNGER WEEK DONATION	\$ 600
TOTAL	\$7230

Richard Farmer, CDM, CFPP

A Shining Star

Pat Weiland, CDM, CFPP
Mountain View Hospital
Madras

Thank you!

Stacy and the Hospital Team.

Join the Oregon DMA e-mail network

We have begun a new program to put together an e-mail network for our members. This network will be used to send announcements to the members as well will be a route for e-delivery of the newsletter via a pdf format. If you would like to be part of this network, contact Mark at mark@gfr2000.com.

Oregon DMA Fall Conference



The Oregon Dietary Managers Association met on Friday the 28th at Sysco Food Services in Wilsonville. A wonderful program was put together which allowed for some great interaction as well as opportunities of networking throughout the day.

Installation of officers by Betty Beilstein, CDM, CFPP got the meeting off and running. Once the festivities were completed our new President, Shirley, went over her goals for the coming year with mentoring and student involvement being high on her priorities. Bernadette spent some time talking about her upcoming trip to Washington DC and the initiatives that DMA is promoting nationally. "Stand up and be recognized as a



CDM" is a primary focus, both here locally but also nationally. National DMA has reopened a full time office in Washington DC to promote our message as well.

Chef Mark Bernetich with Sysco Food Service provided us with an awesome presentation on simple techniques in garnishing with sauces, purees, herbs, and herb oils. Chef Mark did an outstanding job presenting his ideas, but also in promoting participation as we tried his techniques ourselves. Pictures tell it all...



Summit Brokerage and Chef Mark also did a great presentation of riches product ideas. For more information visit www.riches.com.



Over lunch the second annual vendor show event was a smashing success. Even with the small size of the room, vendors were able to set up and talk about their products one on one with the members. This was a great opportunity to see some new products, get to know new contacts, and get questions answered. Great time for all!





Welcome New Members

April Floes, CDM, CFPP
Adrian, Oregon

Student Members

Lidiya Brown
Portland, Oregon

Patty Bosch
Gresham, Oregon

Scott Macquarrie
Portland, Oregon

Rick Saraceni
North Bend, Oregon

Greg Greene with Mt Hood Chemical followed the delicious lunch provided by Wester Foodservice Marketing. Greg made a great presentation, going beyond chemicals, to talk about service, record-keeping, and dishmachine care.



Betty Beilstein, CDM, CFPP filled in for our hospice presenter by giving us her personal experiences as a recipient of hospice services for her husband and now as a volunteer for the hospice network. This gave us a very different view of Hospice and a greater understanding from the family's perspective.

We finished up our day with a progress report on Diabetes care both nationally and also from a state perspective by Shirley Boehmer, CDM, CFPP.

Welcome Back

An Oregon DMA T-Shirt drawing brought winners who were new to Oregon DMA or had not attended a conference recently. Winners were Tamera Byers, Lynn Symington, Sigrid Maier, Linda Saunders, Amanda Kelsey, and Kerry Hawe.



Current Membership:
Oregon DMA 98
National DMA 13443

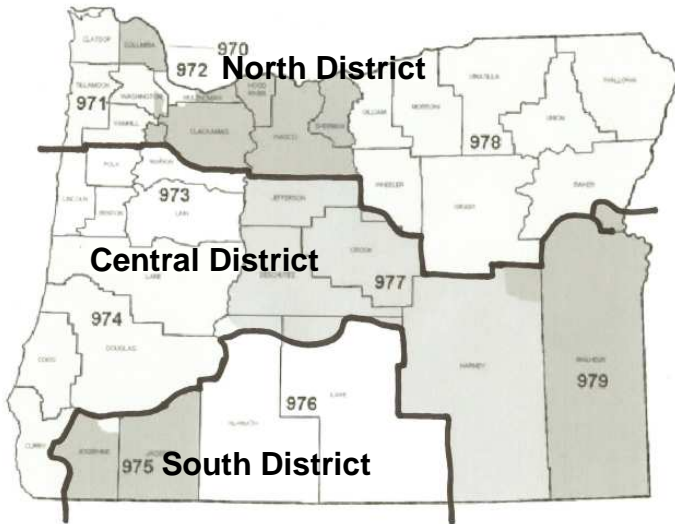
Advertise in the Beaver State Newsletter

If you have a vendor or your facility would like to support the Oregon DMA by placing an ad in your newsletter, contact Mark or to get an Advertising Packet.

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District News



Oregon DMA's success comes from all of us!

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A Shining Star

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**Riverpark
Eugene**

and her dietary staff, our
unsung heros!

Steve and the Riverpark Team.

Oregon CDHCF

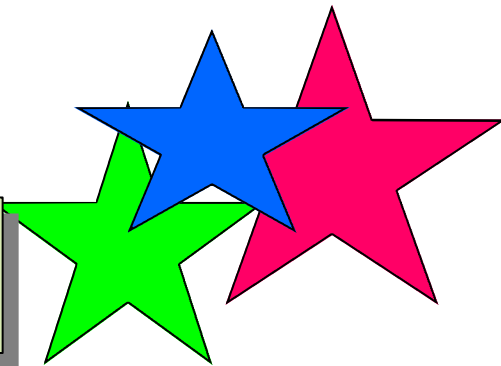
Fall / Winter Meeting 2007

Tuesday, December 4th

The Oregon Consulting Dietitians invited the Oregon Dietary Managers to their Fall / Winter Meeting. Credit hours for CDM's are available for your attendance of this conference. The Agenda includes an update on the Residential Care Assisted Living Regulations, Keeping up with the Sanitation Code, and Learning about Geriatric Laboratory Values.

The meeting costs \$40.00 for CDHCF members and \$55 for Non CDHCF members (this includes lunch). Contact:

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Job Postings

Received 10.31.07:

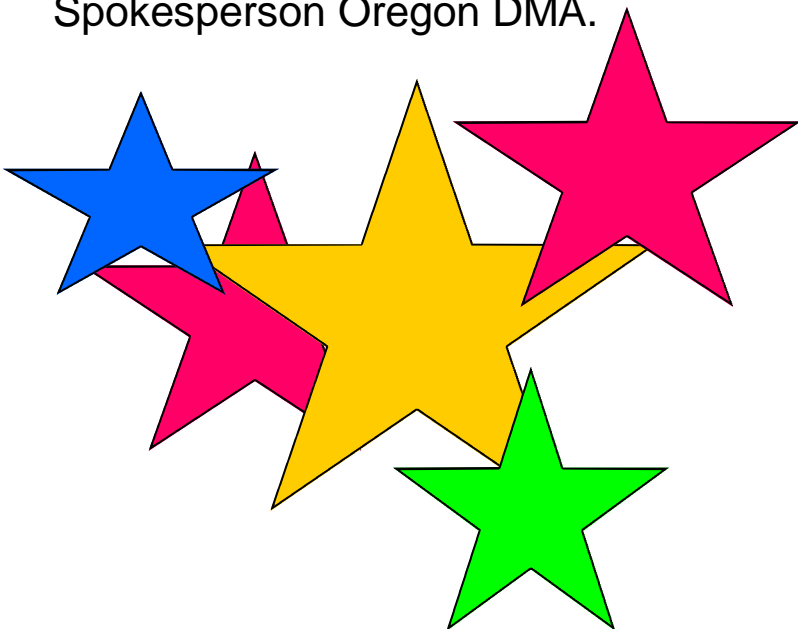
Farmington Square in Salem is looking for a Dietary Manager. Contact Sandy Ouellette at 503.363.2273.

A Note from the Legislative Committee

11-14-07

I was honored to be asked by the National Board of the Dietary Manager's Association to chair the new Legislative Committee. We met in Washington DC on October 3-4 to complete visits with our senators and congresspersons to further the Dietary Managers interests in being the person to manage the food service departments in facilities with vulnerable populations. I was able to meet with Kerry Harwin in Senator Ron Wyden's office. Sen. Wyden met with visiting astronauts instead of seeing us, go figure. We presented our talking points which were well received. I will follow up with Sen. Wyden about our DMA issues. I left literature for Senator Gordon Smith also. I joined other DMA participants in visiting with Congressional members from California, Ohio, and Illinois. It was an exciting start for the dietary managers involvement in achieving legislative goals. We did get a glimpse of Hillary Clinton in our hotel lobby. There will be an article in the next DMA newsletter about our days spent on Capitol Hill.

Bernadette Jacobs CDM CFPP
Spokesperson Oregon DMA.



A Shining Star

Melissa Davis, CDM, CFPP
**Willamette Lutheran
Retirement Community
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The Greatest!

Raeann and the WLRC Team.



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