## GEORGIA ANFP EMAIL BLAST

## **Good Day Members...**

September 25th, 2017

## SUMMARY FALL MEETING 2017 MACON GEORGIA

- 1. We have grown in membership, but not in attendance we really need you... our members to reach out to students, Administrators, vendors and the public to get the word about our organization and what we can offer. We can start by inviting students to their first meeting for free... and we are open to suggestions from all our members.
- 2. The board members and committees gave all members present... an update on what was going on with Georgia ANFP... Kelly Alexander has been chosen to work on getting an educational program in Georgia for Dietary Managers, this is no easy task, so let's give her all the help we can.
- 3. It is our goal to get the diamond award this year, and thanks to you we gave over 250 pounds of food to the Middle Georgia Community Food Bank and we raised over 70.00 for the Ronald McDonald House Meal... That our President Lavone Cook is spearheading. If you want to contribute to the food drive and Ronald McDonald Chapter Projects, please send money to our Treasurer, Geraldine Chandler@ 111 Doc Barkley Rd, Jackson Georgia 30233. We can continue the quest thru December. More to come on our visit to Augusta's Ronald McDonald House.
- 4. Our Travel Coordinator spoke to us about picking a place for our Spring meeting, Originally Helen Georgia was the spot, but Mr. Jackson also mentioned, Columbus, Jekyll Island and Augusta. He feels like most of us, we all want an affordable place, a clean place, well-managed and something close to shopping, restaurants and the interstate.
- 5. Ms. Marjorie our Food Show Coordinator is interested in vendors!! Members if you know of any vendors that could help us out it would be very appreciated. We want to give you a good Food Show with at least 10 vendors in attendance.
- 6. We also talked about our districts... How can we keep them running and we are looking for officers to hit the reset button!! Regina our Newsletter Editor sent emails to inactive members and new members. She will send out a map of our current districts with the October Newsletter, she also reached out to members to get updated work or personal email's, because she has been running into issues with work email security and old email addresses.
- 7. Our Treasurer and Secretary reviewed financial reports, talked about using PayPal for transactions and reviewed the minutes from our spring meeting 2017, just added...2018 Board nominees are needed for members to vote on at the Spring meeting. Please send nominees to Secretary, Sharon Clark@413 N. Baker Street Glennville, Georgia 30427... for President Elect, secretary, treasurer.
- 8. Each chapter is required to nominate a member for the 2018 ACE Awards for the conference in Orlando. The categories are available online. Please send nominations to Lavone @ lavoncook@att.net by Dec. 1st...
- 9. Our President and president Elect asked for your continued support of the Georgia ANFP. We are doing so well and we want to continue moving forward with your help and finally we introduced our new Webmaster Amy Fraser, she has already proven to be an asset to our organization.

  Regards Georgia ANFP