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Association of  
Nutrition & Foodservice  
Professionals

*Dare to Soar*



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# President's Letter



Happy Spring! We had a wonderful Idaho ANFP Spring Conference March 24-25 in Meridian with the theme "Dare To Soar". What a great gathering of CDM's from across Idaho. Everyone seems so excited to be able to gather together again. It had been 3 years since our last conference. Thanks to Shamrock Foods (Pamela Reece) for hosting us and thanks to some awesome sponsors including CORE Foodservice, Hormel Foods and Advantage Waypoint. Several highlights included remarks by Senator Abby Lee, Idaho Senate Assistant Majority Leader. We were also blessed with participation by 2 members of our national ANFP Board of Directors – Felicia Smith and Richard Hoelzel. Felicia presented twice - on Sanitation and Leadership. Richard spoke about menu planning & budgeting.

During our conference we were pleased to have Monica Perry with us for Friday lunch from the Idaho Health Care Association. She is the coordinator for the IHCA Dietary Managers Online Training Program. It was good to learn more about the CDM training program and how ANFP can support her in this program.

Kelee Hansen, owner of S&S Nutrition, presented a very effective interactive session on CDM Self Care, which was very well received and helpful as we begin to recover from the effects of COVID in our facilities and personal lives..

During the conference, Lisa Berrett stepped forward and volunteered to serve as a State Spokesman and lead our Government Affairs Committee. Thank you Lisa! We are looking for several people to serve on her committee to help establish and maintain communication with local, state and federal elected officials in Idaho. We want to educate them on ANFP and the role of the CDM across the state.

Please join us on our Facebook page – Idaho ANFP – to keep up to date on our chapter. Exciting things are happening with Idaho ANFP. And we have only just begun!

**Steve Owen - President**  
**Idaho ANFP President**  
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# Volunteer Opportunities

## *Help us Soar*

WE are sharing volunteer opportunities for members of Idaho ANFP to help revitalize and reorganize our chapter. If you are willing to help or lead in any of these areas please contact our President. Thank you so much.

1. We want to **reactivate our monthly lunch meeting in Boise for members.** This group has not met for about 3 years. They met at IHOP in Boise. This will be an opportunity to network and earn 1 CEU each month.  
We need a coordinator and 1-2 people to help organize.
2. In the past we have been active with **community service** at our conferences. We have conducted a food drive, toy drive or coat drive to help the less fortunate in the state. We need a leader and 1-2 people to help.
3. We want to activate a **Membership Committee** - to maintain communication with members, recruit new members, send out birthday cards to members, etc. We could conduct a membership drive across the state.  
We need a leader and 1-2 helpers.
4. **Committee Member**- assist the leader of our **Government Affairs Committee** and works to establish and maintain communication with local, state and federal elected officials from Idaho. We want to keep them informed of ANFP and the role of CDM's across our state. We need 1-2 helpers. We could organize an ANFP Day  
At The Capitol in Boise.
5. **CDM Student Outreach** - we need a leader and a helper to work with CDM students across Idaho and to establish communication to encourage them becoming pre-professional and then active ANFP members. We currently have students with the Idaho Health Care Association and online students with the University of North Dakota.
6. **Chapter Historian** - we need a leader and a helper to maintain our chapter storage unit in Meridian and to maintain records of our activities and history.
7. **Fundraising**- we need a leader and 1-2 helpers to organize fundraising activities at our conferences and for special events to help raise funds for the chapter. This could be conference drawings, fundraising events, etc.
8. **Presenters** - we need presenters for our conferences and the monthly luncheon in Boise. If you have a special skill or area of interest - or know someone who does.. we would love to hear from you. In the future, we could add other areas for a monthly luncheon if there is enough interest and someone is willing to organize and lead.

If you are willing to serve as a leader or a helper in any of these areas - please contact:

President Steve Owen [nampasteve@gmail.com](mailto:nampasteve@gmail.com)

# Chapter Updates

## Bank Information

- Checking Account
  - \$7016.47

## Save the Date

- ANFP Annual Conference
  - June 27 - 30, 2022
  - Scottsdale, AZ
- CDM Student Intensive w/ IHCA
  - July 19 - 20
  - Boise, ID
- ANFP Regional Conference
  - September 15 - 17, 2022
  - Spokane, WA
- Idaho ANFP 45th Anniversary Conference
  - Spring 2023

## Free CEU

[Multiple CEU Provided by  
Becky Dorner](#)

*”Follow your dreams and always remember, sometimes you must soar through the fog & clouds to discover the rainbow.”*

**JODI STONE**

## Member Statistics

Allied Professional - 3  
Pre Professional - 9  
Professional - 112  
**Total Members 124**

## New Members

Jason De Alba, Twin Falls

