



Dare to Soar



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President's Letter

Spring is in the air! Lent and the season leading up to Easter is here. And our Idaho ANFP Spring Conference is less than 6 weeks away.... We hope to see many of you at our Spring Conference in Boise on April 13-14. We are including conference details and the registration form with our newsletter.

We have planned an exciting conference with 11 CEU's and will conclude on Friday with a wonderful luncheon celebrating the 45th Anniversary of our ANFP Idaho Chapter.

Be sure to register today and reserve your hotel room. If you do not live in the Treasure Valley – check with a neighbor CDM and see if you can carpool to Boise for the conference.

You should be receiving a Survey Monkey soon regarding the election of a new President-Elect. We will be installing our new officers during our upcoming conference. Sara Orr will become our new chapter President.

Your ANFP officers/board want to be helpful and supportive of you in your role as a dietary manager in your facility.... and to you personally.

Please feel free to contact any of us if you have a question or want to share an idea. We hope to engage every member in dialog and involvement in chapter activities. This is YOUR chapter. We hope you become involved!

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Idaho ANFP Spring Conference

We are very excited about our upcoming Spring Conference at Boise SYSCO on April 13-14.

We have included the Conference Schedule & information sheet with conference details. We begin Thursday morning, April 13, at 8 am at SYSCO and finish up with our Idaho ANFP Chapter 45th Anniversary Celebration Luncheon on Friday, April 14, at the Terraces at Boise, an independent living facility not far from SYSCO.

We have also included a Registration Form for you to send in and information on our conference hotel – Best Western Northwest Lodge, just up the road from SYSCO. Be sure to reserve your hotel room and register for the conference now.

ANFP national has asked Richard Hoelzel to represent the national ANFP board at our conference... and he will be making two presentations during the conference. Richard is the Executive Chef at Idahoan Foods in Idaho Falls and has joined our Idaho ANFP Chapter.

We have applied for 11 CEUs – 8 general, 2 Sanitation, and 1 Ethics. So you will see many benefits from joining us for our conference:

- 11 CEUs – including leadership, ethics, human resources, nutrition, emergency planning, sanitation, and more
- Networking with fellow dietary managers from across Idaho. We are also contacting neighboring states, especially those with no ANFP Chapter, to join us.....
- becoming more involved in your Idaho ANFP Chapter
- awesome chapter 45th Anniversary Celebration Luncheon with special music from Prime Time Swingers – a group with all members in their 70s and 80s and a proclamation from our Governor. We will have a tremendous historical display of our chapter's past and will be recognizing past chapter Presidents.
- Fundraising raffle with baskets & items to support our chapter activities.
- Lots of learning and tons of FUN!

[Register Here](#)

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:

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Save the Date

- Nutrition Day @ Idaho Capital
 - March 8, 2023
 - Boise, Id
- ANFP Spring Regional Conference
 - April 20 - 21, 2023
 - Milwaukee, WI
- Idaho ANFP 45th Anniversary Conference
 - April 13 - 14, 2023
 - Boise, Id
- ANFP National Conference
 - June 25 - 28, 2023
 - New Orleans, LA

Member Statistics

Allied Professional - 4

Pre Professional - 9

Professional - 95

Total Members 108

Free CEU

Food Code Insight -
Provided by Martin Bros.

