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# ANFP-Idaho

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# Letter From the President



It's New Year's Eve, and we have just celebrated Christmas. The new year of 2023 begins tomorrow. This really is the most wonderful time of the year! As we enter this new year, we have some exciting plans for the Idaho ANFP Chapter. More details will be coming soon, but we want to share some initial information with you:

**PRIDE IN FOODSERVICE WEEK (PIFSW)** February 6-10 We want to encourage facilities across Idaho to plan special events for this particular week... special meals, parties, events... Together we can highlight our work as CDMs across Idaho during PIFSW. Consider inviting your Mayor, City Council member, or another local leader to your event. I would be happy to visit facilities in the greater Boise area to participate in special events if invited. I think other officers would join you in other parts of the state.

**NUTRITION DAY AT THE CAPITOL** March is National Nutrition Month. Lisa Berrett and I (Idaho ANFP) are working with Andrea Jeffery, RD (Idaho Academy of Nutrition and Dietetics), on a joint RD-CDM Nutrition Day At The Capitol in March. We are planning special activities during the day to meet legislators and educate them about nutrition and the role of ANFP across Idaho. We are planning other movements to interact with legislators and state officials during the upcoming session, January 9 – March 31. Watch for more details and hopefully those near Boise can join us.

**IDAHO SPRING CONFERENCE** April 13-14, 2023 Boise SYSCO  
We are planning 10-11 CEUs. We will have training/education sessions all day Thursday and Friday morning at Boise SYSCO. Our conference hotel will be the Best Western Northwest Lodge up the street from SYSCO.

On Friday, we will conclude with the Idaho ANFP Chapter 45th Anniversary Luncheon at a local restaurant or facility. We will be inviting past chapter Presidents to join us. Could your Boise facility host our Friday luncheon for 30-50 people? If so, don't hesitate to contact me, and we can discuss costs/details. We are looking for something within 2-3 miles of SYSCO. Or if you have an idea for a restaurant with a private room.

We are also looking for luncheon music entertainment – hopefully from one of our facilities in Boise.

Conference/Luncheon sponsors we are looking for sponsors to help fund our conference... businesses, vendors, healthcare corporations, etc. If you have any ideas... please share.

More agenda, registration, and hotel details to come..... Let us know if you have ideas for conference speakers, session topics, or other suggestions.

Please let us know if there is any way we can be helpful and supportive of you.



# Volunteer Opportunities

We have many ways you, as a CDM, can become a volunteer with the Idaho ANFP Chapter. You can discuss ideas with any of our chapter officers... but here are a few suggestions:

- **Hospitality** – send out birthday cards to members, help engage members in chapter participation
- **Government Affairs Committee** - help with relations with Idaho Legislature and Idaho elected officials
- **CDM Student outreach** – maintain interaction with students seeking to become a CDM - encourage them to be a part of Idaho ANFP
- **Chapter Historian** - help with history display at the conference and maintain our storage unit in Meridian.
- **Photographer** – take pictures at events, conferences for history, Facebook, newsletter, etc.
- **Raffles** – help coordinate gift baskets and items for raffles at conferences for chapter fundraising.
- **President-Elect** - for June, possibly other officer positions.



## Current Idaho ANFP Board

President - Steve Owen  
President - Elect Sara Orr  
Past President - Sarah Bair  
Treasurer & Communication - Skylar Wilcox  
Secretary - Lisa Carstensen  
Spokesman - Lisa Berrett  
Nominating Chair - Cassie Verkamp  
Member at Large - Richard Hoelzel



## Chapter Goals

1. Interaction between members - engage members – involve in volunteer positions
2. Outreach through Facebook, newsletters, speaking to groups, attending job fairs, etc.
3. Strengthen interaction with students
4. Activate Government Affairs Committee with a Spokesman
5. Create chapter fundraising opportunities





## Member statistics / Save the date

### Member Statistics

Allied Professional - 3

Pre Professional - 8

Professional - 88

#### New Members:

**Natasha Getchell - Nampa ID**

**Total Members 99**

### Save the Date

- Pride In Foodservice Week
  - February 6th - 10th
- March National Nutrition Month
- ANFP Member Appreciation Week
  - April 3rd - 7th
- Idaho ANFP Spring Conference
  - April 13th - 14th
  - Boise, ID
- ANFP National Conference
  - June 25th - 28th
  - New Orleans, LA

HAPPY  
*Holidays*

