

The Chopping Block



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Wisconsin ANFP CDM of the Year

Dawn Reed has been a CDM and member of ANFP since August, 2015, working at the Markesan Resident Home. Because she grew up in this area, she knows most every resident that comes in. And, if she doesn't know you, she will within minutes of your arrival! Dawn treats every resident like family, getting to know what they like and don't like, what snacks are their favorites, and who they like to sit with. She goes above and beyond to help get everyone taken care of, including working on the floor with the CNAs sometimes, just to make sure every resident has what they need. Dawn also mentors the high school staff members, helping them get the days off they need for school events, accommodating their schedules as best she can, and always being a smiling face and listening ear when they come in after school.



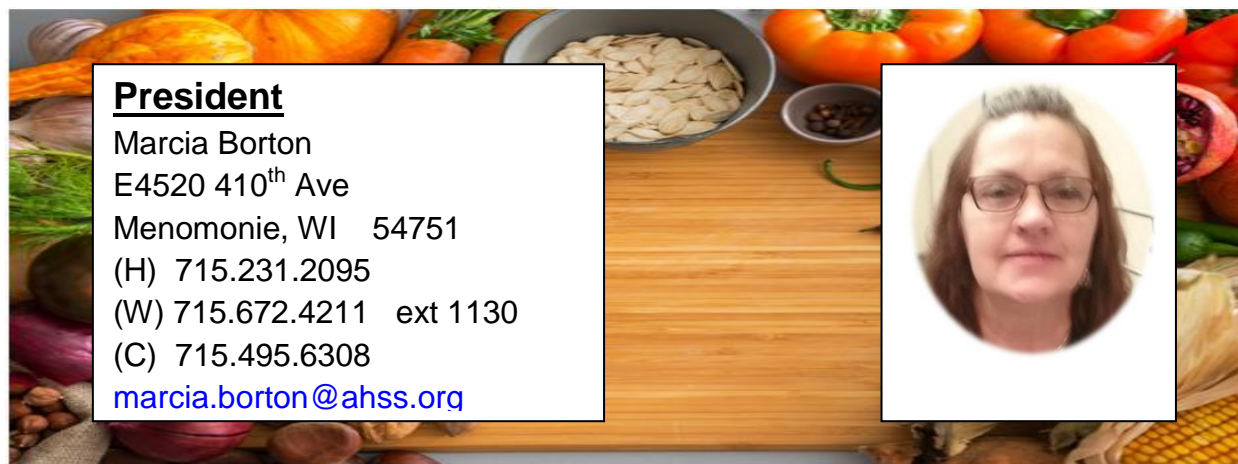
Dawn also makes an impact in the Markesan area and surrounding communities. Something we are proud of is that Markesan Resident Home's team has taken third place in the annual Wisconsin State Chili Cook-off both in 2018 and 2019. You should see the huge trophies in the dining room! Last summer, Dawn coordinated a concession stand for June Dairy Days, which is a very big event in this farming town. She has even given a cooking demonstration at the Berlin Senior Center to highlight her passion for cooking!

This year, Dawn and her husband, Tom, have the distinction of having the first baby of the new year in our area! Her third son, Lawson, was born January 3, 2020. He joins proud big brothers Weston and Ean to complete the family. Weston even gets to spend time at the nursing home sometimes, visiting residents and playing games with them. We're proud to have Dawn as our Dietary Manager of the Year!



Dawn Reed – 2020 Wisconsin ANFP CDM of the Year

Markesan Resident Home, Markesan, WI



Well I'm not ready for winter yet, but it showed up anyway. I got almost 7 inches, heavy and wet. It was pretty falling down but no fun driving in it or shoveling.

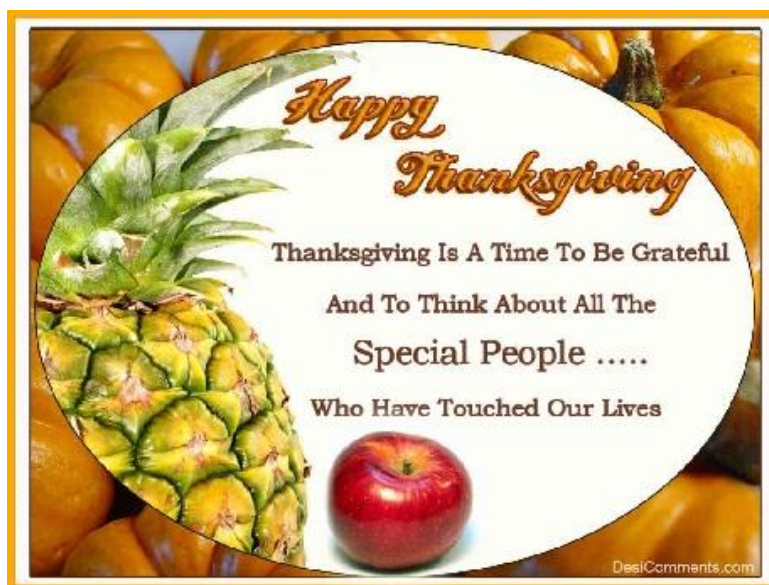
Hope you are all safe and healthy. It seems that the COVID count has picked up a lot. We have just got our first 5 employees diagnosed this week. I am sure you all are dealing with staff and residents with COVID.

With more small facilities having the Nutrition Manager also taking over the EVS department it has been a challenge. This year has been extremely hard with all the extra cleaning and disinfecting we have had to do.

We are in need of nominations for President Elect for Spring 2021. Last month I put in the newsletter what this entails. If you need more info please contact me or one of the board members.

We have one member that is interested his name is Scott Schuld, see his BIO in this newsletter. I would like all nominations for President Elect and then I will send out a survey monkey for you to vote on.

Keep safe!





President-Elect

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On behalf of the WI ANFP Board, we wanted to thank you all for your support, patience and feedback on our recent Fall State webinar held in mid-September. It was a learning curve for all our members, speakers and board members learning how to navigate, download and use online platform webinars such as Zoom to coordinate interactive online speakers and over 78 members from three states.

We received 24 mailed surveys and additional email recommendations from our members that offered encouraging words, support and valuable feedback as well as six future topics of interests, submitted by our members, on how we can improve our webinar experience, in the future, if needed. While we hope that our next ANFP Wisconsin State Spring Conference, scheduled on 4/15/2021 and 4/16/2021, will be in person at the Osthoff Resort, on the shores of beautiful Elkhart Lake, we are preparing and planning for another online webinar format option, if needed, based on projected patterns of COVID19 spread in Sheboygan County and around the state. Our board and hosting facility will be making a thoughtful decision, prioritizing the safety of our members and speakers, on the format, improvements and any social distancing precautions, as well as the feedback from you our members for this next event N.L.T. December 31, 2020 so that there will be advance planning, sufficient registration time and communication to you, our members. Other improvements we are seeking to implement will include credit card Pay Pal feature, national approval for past state webinars for our members to access, immediate emailed receipts and certificates of completion and enhanced communication with our members on registration details, more timely.

Please mark your calendar for these upcoming events and watch the monthly newsletters for updates, on these great upcoming events. And as always, be safe and stay healthy!!

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The Government Affairs Committee Impact Team ANFP Members for 2020/2021 is: Renee Taylor, Marcia Kittleson, Laura Knutson, Penny Matuszewski and Millie Zarate. **Is there anyone else that would like to be on the Impact Team?**

The Government Affairs Committee is responsible for developing and implementing comprehensive and effective government affairs strategies for ANFP at both the federal and state levels.

Remember that we need to support PAC – Political Action Committee – this will help Cultivate, grow or maintain our organization.

Legislative Update:

The Senate passed funding bill that included nearly \$8B in Nutrition assistance. The fund would allow the USDA to extend all Summer Food Service Program and Seamless Summer Option meal for the entire 2020-21 school year.

Remember to get to know your Legislators. Vote for your Representative and Senator that will assist you in your future and your job interests.

Cold weather has arrived – Get your Flu Shot and stay safe!!!

Please contact members of the Impact Team or Sheila Luhman CDM,CFPP–
Sheila.luhman@atticangel.org.





This is what we did at Attic Angel Community on October 14th to thank the staff for all their efforts.

Every month we think of a treat to give them. We made the Popcorn and boxed it up and let each staff pick up their box during their break.

The staff really appreciate being thought of and they always appreciate treats!



Pictured: Left: Sheila Luhman, Director of Food Service Right: Larry Long, Director of Plant Operations

Candidate for Wisconsin ANFP President-Elect

My name is Scott Schuld and I have been in Health Care food service for 20 years, the last 7 as a CDM/CFPP. Since graduating with a Business Administration and Hospitality Management degree from Lakeland University, I have worked in large and small hospitals, contracted service and self op and I currently work as the Food and Beverage Director at Miravida Living, a large Senior Living Community in Oshkosh, Wisconsin. We have 2 SNF's, one 60 bed and one 124 bed. We have a 12 bed Dementia Assisted Living facility and a 60 bed Assisted Living, as well as Independent Living apartments. I enjoy developing menus for our Residents and guiding my teams to execute the menus so that they provide joy and comfort to the Residents, especially during this time of COVID.



I would like to be President-Elect because I would like to be involved with the Wisconsin ANFP. I would like to have a bigger opportunity to help other CDM's work through the challenges that we all face doing this job. I think with the variety in my experience, I have the ability to relate to a lot of what our members deal with on a day to day basis. I feel that I am a good problem solver and like to find ways to help others accomplish their goals. I would like to continue to find innovative ways to provide CEU's, as well as find more engaging content for those CEU's.

My wife Mandy and I have 2 kids. My oldest, Ethan is a Senior this year, and my youngest, Madelynn is a Freshman. We live in Ripon and enjoy spending time at our cottage as well as watching the Brewers and Packers.



As of October 28, 2020, the Wisconsin ANFP is **319** members strong; **295** Certified Professional members, 24 Professional non-certified members. Please contact any officer, if you know of a new member or student, so we know who they are and how to keep them informed about events taking place in the Wisconsin ANFP.



And I'm Proud to Be An American
Where At Least I Know I'm Free
And I Won't Forget The Men Who Died,
Who Gave That Right to Me
And I'd Gladly Stand Up Next to You
And Defend Her Still Today
'Cause There Ain't No Doubt
I Love This Land, God Bless The USA!

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Items needed in food pantries

Healthy cereals and oatmeal

Kids' snack items (juice boxes, individual applesauce's, etc.)

Toilet paper

Diapers and wipes

Jars and pouches of baby food

Personal hygiene products, like sanitary pads

Toiletries like toothbrushes, toothpaste, shampoo, deodorant, lip balm

Dry pasta



Jars of pasta sauce

Canned fish and meat (salmon, tuna, ham, turkey pop-top cans are best)

Canned vegetables and fruit

Milk, (canned, or powdered)

Peanut butter

Canned beans

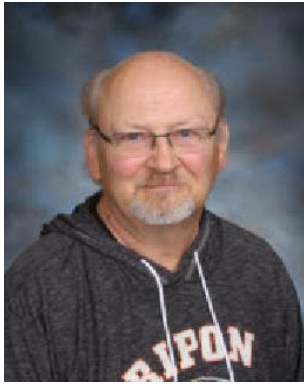
Canned and dry soups

Baking mixes that require only water

Spices

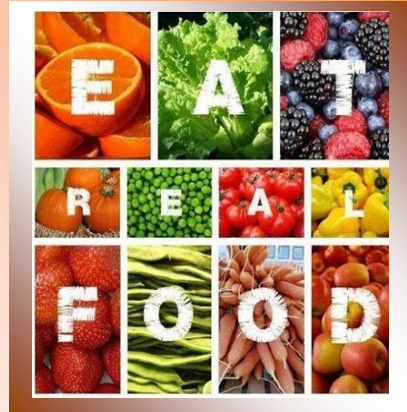
Mission: Position the Certified Dietary Manager as the expert in foodservice management and food safety.

Vision: The Certified Dietary Manager is the cornerstone of the collaborative Dietetics profession.



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Congratulations to Dawn Reed, CDM, CFPP of the Markesan Resident Home as being selected as Wisconsin ANFP CDM of the Year! This is a well deserved and high honor to be recognized by your peers for the outstanding contributions to your facility, community, ANFP and family.

State ANFP elections are coming up and we have one candidate, Scott Schuld from Ripon, for the position of President-Elect. The next page of this newsletter outlines some of the responsibilities for the positions of the Wisconsin ANFP Board of Directors. Do not be afraid to step up. There are many people in our state association that are or have been in these positions and are willing to help guide you. Volunteering is a great growth opportunity and very rewarding. If you are interested in a position or just volunteering to assist on the board as a committee member, the board would like to hear from you. Contact any member of the board. Their phone numbers and email addresses are listed on each one of their articles. We would love to hear from you and have you as a volunteer, even if it's not as an officer.

Also remember your local food pantries at this time of year. As snow starts to fly and the holiday get closer the need at those local food pantries increases, especially in this day of COVID as people have been out of work and their incomes effected. So give, support area food drives or hold your own, through your facility.

One of our requirements for the National ANFP Communications Award and State Achievement Award is that we provide pictures in our state newsletter of events that we hold like state conferences, food drives, etc. Because we are unable to hold any in person conferences, we need the assistance of our members to meet this requirement. If you have something special going on at your facility or your community please send us some photos and a brief write-up and share with the rest of the CDM's in the state. We look forward to hearing from you.

And finally, I would like to extend a very Happy Thanksgiving to everyone. Remember those not as fortunate as you and consider making someone else's Thanksgiving special; Especially our elderly and shut-ins, That may not have family that can spend time with them during our challenging times of COVID.

Take Care, My Friends! **Happy Thanksgiving!!..... and Stay Healthy and Safe!!!**



State President: Have a good understanding of the Volunteer Manual. You must also have a knowledge of all officer and committee positions and be willing to help other officers, committee chairs, understand their duties. Create the agenda for all executive board meetings and business meetings. Chair all meetings. Follow "Robert's Rules of Order" in conducting your meetings. Oversee activities of the Nominating Committee, Education Committee, and Spokesperson and Impact Committee. Train President-elect in your duties. Communicate with your membership through articles in your newsletters. Forward all required

information to DMA headquarters. Assign duties to each committee and officer to complete State Achievement Award activities. Follow guidelines of the State Achievement Award and submit application by June 1. This is a two year.

State President-Elect: This is a two year term! Once you complete your term as President-elect, you automatically move to the position of President. Once this term is over, you move to the position of Immediate Past President. Acquaint yourself with the responsibilities of the president. Review and understand the entire Volunteer Manual. Assume the duties of the president's office in the absence or disability of the president. Carry out activities assigned to you by the president. Attend all executive board meetings and all membership meetings. Make every effort to audit the National Board of Directors meeting held at DMA's annual meeting, in addition to any special meetings and workshops held for officers. As president-elect you are obligated to learn as much as possible about national & state goals, objectives, policies, and procedures. Serve as a member of the state Budget/Finance Committee. In the spring/summer before your year as president, appoint committee chairpersons and members. Send a written invitation to potential participants that will help explain the purpose and responsibilities of each committee. All appointments should be confirmed in writing. Refer to your state bylaws to determine which committees you must appoint. The types of committee appointments will vary with each state, however, the following ones are routinely appointed:

1. Budget/Finance (often the treasurer is the chairperson)
2. Membership
3. Nominating
4. Education
5. Travel
6. Newsletter (one person is designated as editor)

In addition, your state may have other committees, such as historical and scholarship. This will depend upon the program of work that you and your executive board adopt. Two committees which the state president-elect must appoint are: Nominating Committee. .

State Treasurer: Keeps and reports the financial records of the State DMA Association. Serves a two year term.

State Secretary: Keeps and reports the minutes of the Board of Directors, General Membership and any special meetings of the State DMA Association. Serves a two year term.



- 1st – Jennifer Ess
 2nd – Theresa Pries
 3rd – Janice Kearney, Tracy Rusch,
 Kathleen Stic
 5th – Barbara Jerue
 7th – Tina Kvistad, Glen LeBeau
 9th – Mary Cordova, Frankie Soto
 10th – Gretchen Rasch
 12th – Tami Kohls
 13th – Johanna Ermis
 14th – Lori Clark
 18th – Ana Rodriguez, Sara Seiltz
 21st – Nicole Kroeger
 22nd – Jennifer Matz, Laurel Ott
 28th – Deb Cherney, Barbara Konkel,
 Sara Wenger
 29th – Cynthia Morrissey, Jonathon Stats
 30th – Christine Paczkowski,
 Therese Sorensen





National Fruit Cake Month

National Egg Nog Month

1st Week of December – Cookie Cutter Week

4th Week of December – National Egg Nog Week

1st – National Pie Day

2nd – National Fritters Day

3rd – National Apple Pie Day

4th – National Cookie Day

5th – National Sacher Torte Day

6th – National Gazpacho Day

7th – National Cotton Candy Day

8th – National Chocolate Brownie Day

9th – National Pastry Day

10th – National Lager Day

11th – National Noodle Ring Day

12th – National Cocoa Day

13th – Ice Cream and Violins Day

14th – National Bouillabaisse Day

15th – National Cupcake Day

16th – National Chocolate Covered Anything Day

17th – National Maple Syrup Day

18th – National Roast Suckling Pig Day



19th – National Hard Candy Day

20th – National Fried Shrimp Day; National Sangria Day

21st – National Hamburger Day; Kiwi Fruit Day (California)



22nd – National Date Nut Bread Day

23rd – National Pfeffernuesse Day

24th – National Egg Nog Day

25th – National Pumpkin Pie Day

26th – National Candy Cane Day

27th – National Fruit Cake Day

28th – National Chocolate Candy Day

29th – Pepper Pot Day

30th – National Bicarbonate of Soda Day

31st – National Champagne Day

November 1 – Daylight Savings Time Ends

Daylight-saving time ends

- Turn your clock back one hour tonight before going to bed.
- It's also time to change batteries in your smoke detectors.



Save
the
Date

November 3 – Election Day

November 4 - Webinar: COVID-19 Response Live Q&A

November 11 – Veterans Day

November 11 – Armistice Day



November 26 – Thanksgiving Day

December 15 - Webinar: Employee Health: Greatest Asset and Greatest Risk

December 21 – First Day of Winter

December 25 – Christmas Day

December 31 – New Year's Eve

February 1-5, 2021 Pride in Foodservice Week

April 9 – 2021 - MI ANFP 2021 Spring Meeting, Mt. Pleasant, MI

April 15, 16 - ANFP 2021 Spring Regional Meeting, Memphis, TN

June 28-July 1 – 2021 Annual Conference & Expo, Orlando, FL

June 27-30 – 2022 Annual Conference & Expo, Scottsdale, AZ

Newsletter Requests:

Please send to Bruce @ Tigerbeat13@outlook.com how your facility recognized our valuable team members during National Health Care Food Services Week from October 4-10, 2020. Send a paragraph of your celebration events or photo showing off your team to be featured in our “Year in Review” in the December ANFP Wisconsin, end of year newsletter. (word document with inserted photo, please)

Thank you!



November Fun

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INDIRAGANDHI
 MARKTWAIN
 PUMPKINPIE
 SAGITTARIUS
 SCORPIO
 SIRWINSTONCHURCHILL
 SQUASH

STUFFING
 THANKSGIVING
 TOPAZ
 TURKEY
 VETERANSDAY
 WALTERCRONKITE
 YAMS



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1960-2020
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CDMs Cultivating Roots

Rallying Organizations & Officials in Training Standards



CULTIVATE

cul-ti-vate

1. grow or maintain
2. apply oneself to improvement or development

☐ Yes, I would like to support CDMs Cultivating Roots.*

*Corporate contributions cannot be accepted; only personal contributions can be made to ANFP-PAC.

Cultivate, Grow, REAP!

CONTACT INFORMATION

Membership ID#:	Full Name:		
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Phone:	Fax:	E-mail:	
Occupation:	Employer:		

PAYMENT INFORMATION

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A.N.F.P. Wisconsin State Spring Conference: “Lakeside Learning”

Thursday April 15 – 16, 2021

The Osthoff Resort, 101 Osthoff Avenue

Elkhart Lake, Wisconsin 53020

Reservations: (855) 876-3399

Check out the website, www.osthoff.com, for the great amenities, luxurious spa & dining options, recreational opportunities and accommodations. Watch for details next month!

A.N.F.P. Wisconsin State Fall Conference: “Autumn Harvest of Experiences”

Thursday September 16 & 17th, 2021

Location to Be Determined (Bayfield or Onalaska, Wisconsin)



Thanksgiving Blessing:

Thanksgiving is a wonderful time together with family and friends to reflect on the blessings a tough year. Many of us experience renewed hope and faith during the Thanksgiving holiday because we turn our eyes onto what is most important. Amidst the hardship of the COVID pandemic, what if we spent each day in giving thanks and prayer, all season and not just at Thanksgiving time. When your heart is filled with gratitude, there is little room to worry or complain. We appreciate the friendship and networking with each and all of you, our valued members and pray your families will continue to be safe and we all may find much to celebrate as we approach the holiday season.





Pride in Foodservice Week

The 30th Annual Pride in Foodservice Week is February 1-5, 2021!

Pride in Foodservice Week is coming up! ANFP will celebrate our 30th annual Pride in Foodservice Week February 1-5, 2021. This is an important year to recognize your staff – we know that the onset of the COVID-19 pandemic has changed the way your facilities operate. Let your foodservice team know how appreciated they are!

Participating in Pride in Foodservice Week could earn you and your team a number of different prizes! Please continue to check this National ANFP webpage for more details as PIFSW gets closer. We are looking forward to seeing all of the innovative ways you celebrate!

As a reminder, Pride in Foodservice Week is celebrated in February each year. It is separate from Healthcare Foodservice Workers Week, which is set aside by the Association for Healthcare Foodservice each October. We hope you will enjoy both celebrations, and we can't wait for you to showcase your pride this February!

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