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Wishing you all a very Merry Christmas and Happy New Year!!!

Just a reminder, that we offer Grants for CDM's going to school or taking the test. You must fill out the forms in the newsletter and send into committee. Moneys will be allocated when you show proof of passing the course or the test. If you know of anyone that is interested in going on to school, that is already taking the course or going to take the test please contact the board members.

Scott Schuld was voted to be our next President-Elect. Thanks for stepping up Scott and you will do a fantastic job. If anyone is interested in volunteering, we have many committees that could you help, and you would always have a couple people work together on those committees. Please step up and help our organization, we need to work as a team. Contact me or one of the board members for more info.

Everyone please enjoy your family and have a Blessed holiday and stay healthy and safe.





New Year, New Beginnings

As we finish what has been for most of us a year of extreme challenges, stress, and loss, and look forward to a renewed sense of hope, peace and health, I am reminded of the 1959 show tune from Rodgers and Hammerstein soundtrack, The Sound of Music: "My Favorite Things". Here is my interpretation "A.N.F.P. style" to help us remember our accomplishments and continue to grow and move our organization forward in the new year ahead with renewed strength, inspiration and anticipation. Go ahead and hum the tune.....

"Food drives and laughter and speakers with passion, Networking, planning and ANFP clothing fashions.

Committees that march with the sound of a drum, Destination conference learning, packed with some fun.

A.N.F.P. highlighted with red & black letters, Mary Jane's centerpieces, remind us of days better sanitation facts, survey readiness new rules, policies, procedures and new knowledge tools,

When COVID hits, and the new cook quits, when we feel such doom,
our dedication shows, perseverance still grows, and our passion still blooms,
A residents smile, uplifting us daily; Caring for our seniors, nutritional planning, we're not failing,
nurse managers shouting & dining aide pouting, these are a few of our favorite things,

When this year ends; and we make amends, we will laugh and smile,
we coped, overcame & drank some champagne and felt pretty good for a while,
supplements stocked too high on shelves, no cook on the schedule, we cook breakfast ourselves
the blender stopped working, floor drains overflowing, these are a few more of our favorite things,

When the clock strikes and the cook fights with a broken oven door, we simply remember our freezer leftovers and then it don't seem so bad,

Catching up on old times, meet new friends over wine, new foods we will dine,

Our vendors we'll greet us, COVID didn't beat us, these are our memories in time

we'll never forget how we've adapted and grown, perseverance, compassion: are our seeds we sow,

leaders much stronger, we'll get a reprieve, A.N.F.P.our trademark, with hearts on our sleeves,

Wiping our brow, looking back now, on our 2020 legacy, Accomplishments, amazing feats, tears and defeats, we are A.N.F.P.!

Peace, love and healing to you in the new year,

Rick Eggert, President Elect

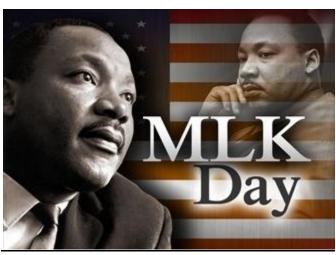
A.N.F.P. State Spring Conference Updates:

We are finalizing our speakers and program list for our A.N.F.P. State Spring Conference held in person on April 15 and 16th, 2021 at the Osthoff Resort in Elkhart Lake. Watch your email for updates on this conference (Zoom and/or in person, pending Sheboygan County group pandemic precautions and vaccination strategy results, currently underway) and deadlines for registration and hotel reservations. Save the date!!

A final decision of the board will occur after the first of the year and updates to our members in January 2021! To receive the most current updates, <u>please update your phone number, email</u> and contact mailing address in your member profile at Nationals at anfponline.com to receive the latest updates and watch our Facebook page for Fall 2021 special location to be announced.







Items needed in food pantries

Healthy cereals and oatmeal

Kids' snack items (juice boxes, individual 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





applesauce's,

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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I hope everyone has a wonderful and safe holiday season!

Now we have a short time to catch our breath and look to the first week of February. The first Sunday in February you ask? What's so special about the first week in February? It's not a holiday. Well, in a matter of speaking it is a bit of a holiday as it is "Pride in Food Service Week. FEBRUARY 1-5, 2021, Pride in Foodservice Week celebrates the nutrition and foodservice professionals and other members of the nutrition services team for their hard work and dedication on the job. Visit www.ANFPonline.org/PIFSW to learn how to participate! February 1-5, 2021 is designated Pride in Foodservice Week by the Association of Nutrition & Foodservice Professionals (ANFP). This week applauds nutrition and foodservice professionals and other members of the nutrition services team like YOU for your hard work and dedication on the job. In its 30th year, Pride in Foodservice Week will be celebrated in facilities across the country in various ways. Spread awareness of this special week by posting this flyer in a prominent spot in your department, cafeteria, or dining room! The flyer can be found at this link; https://www.anfponline.org/docs/default-source/legacy-docs/docs/pride-in-foodserviceweek/pifsw-2021-flyer.pdf. Copy and past the link to your browser. Then, brainstorm celebration ideas! Please send a short article to the newsletter to share with your fellow CDM's what you did this year to recognize your staff during this unprecedented time of COVID.

Sunday, February 7, 2021 is the biggest sports holiday of the year! It's what we have come to know as the Super Bowl or the Big Game! Many of you do special Super Bowl parties for your residents. Share with your fellow Dietary Managers what you do in your home that is enjoyed so much by your residents. Send me your Super Bowl news and photos. I will get it in the newsletter.

Then, following the Super Bowl, there is Valentine's Day on Thursday, Feb. 14th. I know most of you do special things in your home for the residents, even if it doesn't involve food. Please share it with us. Inquiring minds want to know!

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





January Birthdays

1st – Angela Flemming; Glennis Kitzrow

2nd – Josephine Kikon

3rd - Ellen Natwick

4th - David Draeger; Alexander; Omans

8th - Connie Deja

9th – Justina Kulig; Adam VandenHoogen;

Lori Turk; Linda Ziel

13th – Vicki Metallo

15th - Crystal Zickert

16th – Hope Schiller

17th - Jean Myhre

20th – Eric Douglass; Jackie Wojciechowski

23rd – Jennifer Bessert; Cynthia Noll-Gilson

25th – Judy Bingenheimer

27th - Joseph Miller

28th – Allan Evans 30th – Jennifer Baribeau





December 21 - First Day of Winter

December 25 – Christmas Day

December 31 - New Year,s Eve

January 1, 2021 – New Year's Day

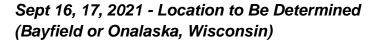
April 9 - 2021 - MI ANFP 2021 Spring Meeting, Mt. Pleasant, MI





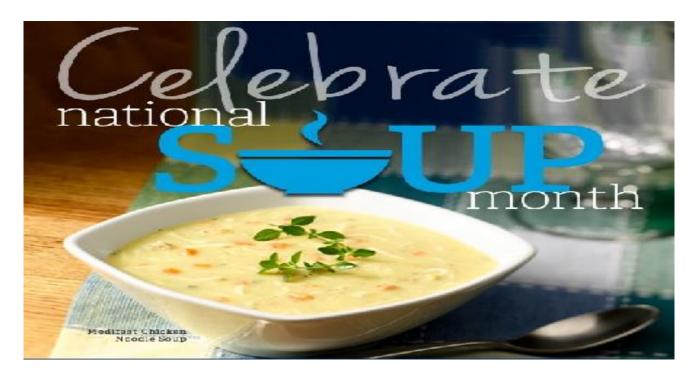
April 15, 16 - ANFP 2021 Spring Regional Meeting, Memphis, TN

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



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







Berry Fresh Month

Celebration of Chocolate Month

Great American Pies Month

National Cherry Month

National Fiber Focus Month

National Hot Breakfast Month

National Grapefruit Month

National Snack Food Month

Potato Lover's Month

Sweet Potato Month

2nd Week of February – Great American Pizza Bake

2nd Week of February – Jello Week

2nd Week of February – Kraut and Frankfurter Week

4th Week of February – National Pancake Week

2nd Monday of February – Oatmeal Monday

1st – National Baked Alaska Day

2nd – Heavenly Hash Day

3rd - National Carrot Cake Day

4th - National Stuffed Mushroom Day; Homemade Soup Day

5th – National Chocolate Fondue Day

6th – Nutella Day

7th - National Fettucini Alfredo Day

8th - Molasses Bar Day

9th – National Bagels and Lox Day; Pizza Pie Day

10th - Cream Cheese Brownie Day

11th - Peppermint Patty Day

12th – National Plum Pudding Day

13th - International Pancake Day (Shrove Tuesday); National Tortellini Day

14th - National Crème-Filled Chocolates Day

15th - National Gumdrop Day

16th – National Almond Day

17th – National Indian Pudding Day; National Café Au Lait Day; National Cabbage Day

18th - Crab-Stuffed Flounder Day; Drink Wine Day

19th - National Chocolate Mint Day

20th – National Margarita Day

21st – New Sticky Bun Day;

22nd – National Cherry Pie Day

23rd - National Banana Bread Day

24th - National Tortilla Chip Day

25th - National Clam Chowder Day; National Chocolate-Covered Nuts Day

26th - National Pistachio Day; National Chili Day

27th - National Strawberry Day; National Kahlua Day

28th - National Chocolate Souffle Day







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 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!

CDMs Cultivating Roots

Rallying Organizations & Officials in Training Standards

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- 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.

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Cultivate, Grow, REAP!

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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, <u>www.osthoff.com</u>, for the great amenities, luxurious spa & dining options, recreational opportunities and accommodations. Watch for details next month!

All ANFP Members!! It has been a tough year.... But let's make it memorable by emailing in your most memorable photos from 2020 of you or your Dietary team to feature in the January 2021 newsletter. Please email your best photos to reggertknu@yahoo.com to be featured in the January 2021 ANFP collage. Deadline is 12/15/20 for emailing. So don't delay!

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)





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