

WYOMING

July 2023

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Miranda Dulmus Jennifer Ebert Ashton McReynolds Monet Hixson Robin Hilbird-Bardgett Tina Griffith

Save the Dates

Fall Meeting

Fall 2023 TBD, Riverton, WY

Fall Regional Meeting

Sept. 28-29, 2023 Costa Mesa, CA

Check our Facebook for information about Free CE Opportunities Monthly

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JULY MEMBERSHIP MILESTONES

Congratulations to our members that hit milestone membership anniversaries. We will begin recognizing: 1, 5, 10, 15 years, etc

Congratulations to Christopher Dailey for 1 year as a member of ANFP.

Congratulations to Krista Poole CDM CFPP for 5 years as a CDM!





CHAPTER PRESIDENT UPDATE:

Greetings ANFP Family,

It has been a busy summer to say the least. May was full of graduations and school ending for the summer, which kept us all running. June was a month of honor for me. ACE in New Orleans was amazing. The sessions were excellent with topics ranging on self-care, how to monitor where the money in your department goes, chapter best practices, and many other uplifting and practical sessions that we can all apply. We celebrated awards for the chapters of which Wyoming received several. Coleen Zenk CDM CFPP from Minnesota was awarded the legacy award. Georgia ANFP was awarded the Diamond award, and many other excellent award winners were recognized.

I also had the privilege of being sworn in as the ANFP Chair. My dear friend and favorite boss flew all the way from Alaska to swear me in, which was the greatest honor. I am excited to see what the next two years will bring for the future of ANFP. I am also excited to see what our chapter can accomplish this year. We want to work at bringing our members back to our live meetings as well as ensuring that we are providing topics that are relevant and applicable to your daily operations. We also want to encourage new members to get involved as volunteers at the chapter level and even apply to national committees and task forces.

We welcome any requests, recommendations and feedback of any kind that will help to make your experience as a member of Wyoming ANFP a beneficial and fulfilling one.

Thanks, Felicia Smith WYANFP President

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CHAPTER TREASURER UPDATE:

Happy July to all of you . . .

ANFP ACE 2023 in New Orleans, Louisiana was FANTASTIC!!

We watched our very own Felicia Smith, Hospitality Director at Memorial Hospital of Converse County, being sworn in as Chair of our national organization by none other than our previous boss, Karl Hertz!!

We had sessions on taking care of ourselves mentally, emotionally, and physically. Many times, we get so busy taking care of others we forget or put off taking care of ourselves. When you stop and think about it, we are taking care of others by taking care of ourselves so we can continue to care for our clients, patients, and residents at the level they need.



In Wyoming, we are not the only ones having supply chain issues. It is a national and international challenge to acquire the items we use and need. The availability of food and supplies are an ever-changing scenario. We may have to start looking at other products or avenues than we have previously used. This, of course, has a ripple effect which will change our menus and the availability of some of our disposable items. Being able to discuss our situations with our peers, while networking, brought more discussions and possible solutions.

Shola Richards, April Simpkins and Ellyn Elson were great keynote speakers. They were each very inspirational and we had one present each of the following days: Sunday, Tuesday, and Wednesday. We had a constant reminder of how important our work is whether we are in big cities or small, rural communities like our own. We learned to lean on each other when we need to and "don't be afraid to ask for help!"

"THANK YOU" to each and every one of you for everything you do – you are making a difference in peoples' lives on a daily basis! Every action and thought makes a difference and brings about change!

The checking account balance is: \$2,610.21

The saving account balance is: \$1,470.86

Thanks, Robin Hilbird-Bardgett WYANFP Treasurer

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CHAPTER COMMUNICATIONS LEADER UPDATE:

A few things:

ACE was great! On top of the informative sessions and inspirational keynotes it was special because Felicia was sworn in as the National Chair for the Board of Directors and our former boss Karl Hertz came all the way from Alaska for the opportunity. You can catch the videos of his and her speech through our Facebook page.

Summer seems to have just started and already be over all at the same time. I am officially a business owner. The hospital is selling me Mocha Molly's. This is a business that is 20 years old and I have been managing it for the last 5 ½ years. This was an incredible opportunity for me. This means that I have stepped back from managing the Arbor Café but I am still working in the cafeteria in the evenings.

My favorite time of year is coming up next month! August is National Happiness Happens Month and I take every opportunity I get to encourage people to create their own happiness. I post a lot on my personal page during August about making happiness happen and finding happiness in everyday life. Feel free to follow me there and make your own happiness happen.

Just a reminder – I will do a DISC discussion for our next conference. If you want to participate please complete a disc assessment before then, and send your results to myself or Felicia. You can find the free disc assessment at www.tonyrobbins.com/disc

Thanks, Toni Skaggs CDM CFPP WYANFP Communication Leader

Membership

MEMBERSHIP RESOURCES

Wyoming ANFP Facebook

10 Pre-professionals

2 Allied Professional

61 Certified Professionals

1 Retired Professional

Welcome New Members!

Pre-Professional Anthony Gamble

Pre-Professional Dona Burbank

Professional Carey Morgan CDM CFPP

There are so many beautiful reasons to be happy.

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