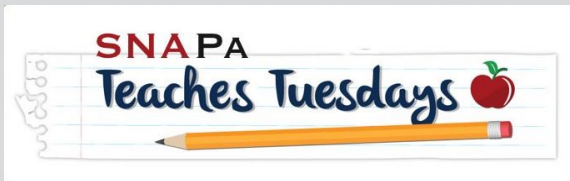




MONDAY MORNING

Newsletter



We hope to see you tomorrow, December 14th, as we discuss Tech Tips for School Nutrition Professionals. Join us to learn more about utilizing technology in school nutrition. We will explore different programs available to you and ways to increase efficiency and productivity of day-to-day tasks! Forget to register? There's still time!

[REGISTER NOW!](#)

LEGISLATIVE ACTION CONFERENCE- APPLY FOR A SCHOLARSHIP TODAY!

This year's Legislative Action Conference will be hosted March 6-8, 2022 at the J.W. Marriott in Washington, D.C.

SNAPA is pleased to award eight (8) scholarships this year for participation in this conference. Each scholarship includes a fully paid LAC registration (valued at \$500) and a \$350 award to help defray the costs of travel, hotels, and meals.

For more information and to apply for this scholarship, please click [HERE](#). All scholarships should be emailed to executivedirector@snapa.org by **December 20, 2021**. For more information on this year's conference visit the SNA website [HERE](#).

SNF EQUIPMENT GRANTS

The School Nutrition Foundation is teaming up with industry partners to provide new kitchen equipment to deserving districts! Apply now for the 2022 SNF Equipment Grant Program, featuring applications for not one but FIVE grants!

[View the grants now!](#)

The deadline for the SNF Common application is January 31, 2022, at 11:59 pm EST.

Winners will be announced in May 2022!

THANK YOU!

School nutrition professionals do amazing work and Lunch Assist wants to thank you! Visit *Served Magazine* to check out their thank you to school nutrition professionals and even more content! From highlights, nutrition partners, and letters from industry professionals they have it covered in November's issue!



INTERESTED IN SERVING ON A SNA COMMITTEE OR COUNCIL?

Serving on an SNA national committee or council offers exciting opportunities to grow professionally, develop new skills, work on issues from a national perspective, and contribute to the school nutrition profession.

Apply for the Mid-Atlantic region to start in June 2022!

To submit an **SNA Committee & Advisory Council Interest Form** click [here](#)! All forms are due by January 28, 2022.

Visit the [website](#) to learn more about the process and open positions.

If you have any questions, please contact nominations@schoolnutrition.org.

IN THE NEWS

[ICYMI: National Computer Science Organization Highlights Wolf Administration's Investments In STEM Education](#)

[Ag groups, schools press for clarity on 'Buy American' school lunch provision](#)

[Extend pandemic aid for school meals for another year – survey](#)

[Nutrition Provisions in Build Back Better](#)

Call for Presenters! 2022 SNAPA Annual Conference

Are you interested in presenting at the 2022 SNAPA Annual Conference? Fill out our online form [HERE](#). Submission Forms should be submitted by **January 31, 2022**.

Please contact Travis Folmar, Program Chair at taf16@scasd.org with any questions.

SNA MEMBER AWARDS

The School Nutrition Association has made some major changes to the SNA Awards Program so all members can be recognized for their hard work to ensure well-nourished students across the country are prepared for success.

Nominations must be submitted online by Tuesday, March 1, 2022.

Nominate your self or someone else for:

- Employee of the Year Award
- Manager of the Year Award, in honor of Louise Sublette
- Director of the Year Award
- National Industry Member of the Year Award

Learn more [here](#).



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