News to Share Since Our Last Board Meeting: We had invited Congressman Smucker to come and visit our school during National School lunch week. Unfortunately, he was in Washington at the time. On November 1, he and his staff were able to make the visit. I was able to have a 1 on 1 conversation with Congressman Smucker and share a meal with him in our cafeteria.

New or Big Ideas: (Brief description of exciting new ideas you are hearing about from state leaders, SNA members, allied organizations, industry partners, etc.)

Goals: (Discuss your short-term goals related to your board position) making sure The programming at Kalahari meets the needs of the managers and line staff learning while having fun.

Chapter Meetings: Red Rose chapter meeting was canceled in November due to the wet weather. They did meet Jan. 23 at Elanco. We learned the case of making Stromboli’s and pizza from our K B Pizza Rep and learned about care of our equipment from a 4 Star Rep.

Other Meetings Attended: (Brief description of meetings with other organizations, committee meetings, national or regional meetings, etc.)
Been listening in on the financial meeting in Nov and Dec. I find them very interesting and approve of how they are trying to make our financial statement easier to understand and more in order.