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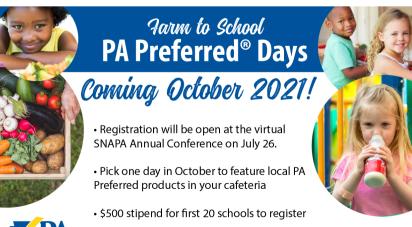
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Farm To School- PA Preferred Days

PA Preferred is your resource for finding locally grown and processed agricultural products from Pennsylvania. Join the Pennsylvania Department of Agriculture and colleagues across the state for this year's Farm to School PA Preferred Days! Registration will open on July 26th. For more information on PA Preferred click HERE.





Click here to read this month's issue of School Nutrition (SN) magazine. The School Nutrition Association is celebrating 75 years of serving America's children! From lessons for students to key concepts for staff, the June/July 2021 issue has all sorts of ideas and inspiration.



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Register now for the 2021 SNAPA Virtual Annual Conference, July 27-29, 2021! Registration ends **July 16**, **2021**! <u>Click here</u> for registration information and a tentative conference schedule.



Join SNA during National Dairy Month and learn about dairy's journey from farm to school, the nutritional benefits of dairy in children's diets & most importantly how to ADD or UPDATE your district's smoothie and parfait programs.

Register Here!

History of School Lunches

A piece of President Joe Biden's recently released American Families Plan aims to provide school lunches throughout the summer to some 29 million school-aged children. If passed, the proposal would greatly expand the current school lunch program and ensure that millions of food-insecure children are guaranteed at least one meal each day. Using government and news reports, Stacker traces the history of school cafeteria meals from the late 1800s through the present day. Read more to see how various legal acts, food trends, and budget cuts have changed what kids are getting on their trays.



Pittsburgh Public Schools' Food Guru Wins National Nutrition Award

SNAPA member Curtistine Walker was featured in the Pittsburgh Post-Gazette, recognizing her as the School Nutrition Association's 2021 Northeast Regional Director of the Year. Ms. Walker has served Pittsburgh Public Schools as a teacher and School Nutrition Director for over 20 years. Congratulations Curt, and thank you for your unwavering support of school nutrition and children across the state!

Read More Here!

IN THE NEWS

Why you should actually break for lunch

Education funding front and center as clock ticks on PA budget talks

With a legacy at stake, Gov. Tom Wolf pushes for fair school funding

Education Department Issues Directive on Shielding Students in Poverty From Funding Cuts

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