*NEW FORMAT**
Click here to visit our website and updated local chapter meetings for January and February! CEU credits available!

It Pays to Read SNAPA Happenings!

In the Fall Happenings Magazine, Carol H. Gilbert Consulting ran an ad that encouraged members to go to their NEW website and contact them with the phrase “I saw your ad in SNAPA Happening!”

We are proud to announce that the winner was Tabita Dawson of Palisades and that she won a $50 Visa gift card.

ServSafe Training Class Offered
Register Now- Time & Space Limited!

Wednesday, January 29, 2020
Montgomery Youth Center
540 Port Indian Road
Norristown, PA 19403
Class: 7:00am – 1:30pm
(15-minute break and 30-minute lunch break)
Exam: 1:30pm – 3:30pm
Cost: $165.00 including materials and exam.
Lunch: included
Contact: Kelly Diller 717-229-6619
kelly@chgilbert.com
Mail Payment to:
Carol H. Gilbert Consulting
628 Elm Street
East Earl, PA 17519

SNAPA Teaches Tuesday Webinar Series
Date: January 21, 2020
Topic:
ABC’s of Staff & Customer Retention
Time: 2:00 pm- 3:00 pm
Click here to register today!

**SNAPA Webinars are recorded for members to view at their convenience!**

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Click here to view SNAPA recorded webinars.
Celebrate January 2020

January 1st- Happy New Year!

January 4th- National Spaghetti Day

January 8th- Take the Stairs Day

January 13th – Make Your Dreams Come True Day

January 15th– National Bagel Day

January 18th – Winnie the Pooh Day

January 20th– Martin Luther King’s Birthday

January 23rd– National Pie Day

January 25th- Chinese New Year

January 28th- Fun at Workday

January 31st- National Backward Day

Scholarships & Awards

The best form of flattery and appreciation is nominating a colleague for an SNA Award

Now is the time to start thinking about

WHO YOU WANT TO NOMINATE FOR AN SNA AWARD!

Recognize a colleague—Nominate them for an SNA Award!

Apply Online Below!

Employee of the Year—This award recognizes non-managerial school nutrition employees for their contributions. The nominee must be an SNA member in the Employee category and currently hold a certificate in school nutrition or the SNS credential. Click here to apply!

Manager of the Year—in honor of Louise Sublette, this award recognizes school nutrition managers for their hard work and dedication. The nominee must be a current SNA member in the Manager category working in the school nutrition manager/head cook/assistant manager field and currently hold a certificate in school nutrition or the SNS credential. Click here to apply!

Director of the Year—This award highlights the commitment and dedication of directors in the school nutrition field. Nominees must be currently and for the past five years have served in the position of Director, currently and for the past five years have been an SNA member in the District Director or Major City Director category and hold a certificate in school nutrition or the SNS credential. Click here to apply!

2020 Legislative Action Conference

Bringing Our Future into Focus

March 8th- March 10th

Marriott Marques - Washington DC

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Apply Now for the PA Farm to School Grant Program!

Does your Pennsylvania district, school or preschool participate in farm to school? If not, is there an interest? Maybe your school sourced local food for school lunch this year, started a garden or has plans in the works. Activities like these can be supported through the PA Farm to School Grant Program. Applications are being accepted currently and are due January 15, 2020. Below is more information from the Pennsylvania Department of Agriculture:

The Pennsylvania Farm-to-School Grant Program will provide schools with funding to improve access to healthy, local foods and increase agriculture education opportunities for pre-kindergarten through fifth grade. The program aims to bridge the gap between children and the food system by connecting them to the fresh, healthy food available from Pennsylvania agricultural producers in their community and the surrounding areas. Through changing food purchasing and education practices at schools and early childhood education sites, children will become more aware and engaged with their local food system as well as empowered to leverage their own consumer influence to support Pennsylvania agriculture.

Eligibility & Funding

Any school district, charter school, or private school with pre-kindergarten classes, kindergarten, or elementary through fifth grade is eligible to apply for up to $15,000. Early education sites with blended daycare operations are not eligible.

Limitations

$500,000 is available for the Pennsylvania Farm-to-School Grant Program; grants will be awarded on a funds-available basis. Projects must be completed no later than June 30, 2020.

Grants will be funded as reimbursement grants. A single grant shall be limited to 75 percent of the cost of the project. Each school may receive no more than $15,000 annually. Recipients may use the value of in-kind support to match the amount granted.

* The detailed requirements for the Farm-to-School Grant Program can be viewed online

Click Here to Apply Online

Deadline – January 20, 2020
Contact: Patrick Andrews, 717-772-1429, patriandrew@pa.gov

**SAVE THE DATE**

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