

SNAPA'S BIWEEKLY NEWSLETTER

OCTOBER 5, 2020





SNAPA is excited to announce a new series of "Teaches Tuesdays", an opportunity for you to learn from industry experts and network with school nutrition personnel from across the state. Be on the look out for registration information.

IN THE NEWS

REPRESENTATIVE DAVIS INTRODUCES OPERATION FEED OUR KIDS ACT

SNA APPLAUDS HOUSE VOTE TO EXTEND CRITICAL WAIVERS

SNA JOINS ALLIED GROUPS ON LETTER TO USDA

PA SCHOOLS FINDING WAYS TO FEED STUDENTS

HOUSE COMMITTEE VOTE ON ESA VOUCHER POSTPONED; SENATE EDUCATION COMMITTEE TO DISCUSS VOUCHERS ON MONDAY

CONGRESS AVERTS GOVERNMENT SHUTDOWN, MAKES IT EASIER FOR SCHOOLS TO FEED HUNGRY KIDS





NATIONAL SCHOOL LUNCH WEEK

National School Lunch Week, October 14-18, 2020 is quickly approaching! For ideas and resources on how you can celebrate this year visit SNA's website <u>here</u>.

National Farm to School Month!

"It Takes a Community to Feed a Community"

October is Farm to School Month, an annual 31-day campaign to recognize, appreciate and celebrate the connections happening across the country between kids, families and their community food systems. For more information on how you can be involved this october visit the <u>National Farm to School Network</u> website.

USDA Launches A Resource Hub on Local Food System Response to COVID-19

Food Justice is Racial Justice: National Farm to School Network Movement Meeting Wednesday, October 14, 1-3 p.m. ET (Virtual)



UPCOMING EVENTS

INNOVATIVE SOLUTIONS SHOWCASE OCTOBER 12-20, 2020

SNAPA TEACHES TUESDAYS OCTOBER 13, 2020

NATIONAL SCHOOL LUNCH WEEK OCTOBER 12-16, 2020

DIRECTORS' BEST PRACTICES VIRTUAL CONFERENCE OCTOBER 26-28, 2020

ANNUAL NATIONAL CONFERENCE CHICAGO, IL, JULY 11-13, 2021

SNAPA STATE CONFERENCE MONROEVILLE, JULY 26-29, 2021

SPONSOR SPOTLIGHT

4 STAR REPS

4 Star Reps is excited to announce Vulcan Equipment's new K-12 Promotion: Vulcan is offering a 5% rebate payable to your School Nutrition Department on equipment purchases from August 1, 2020 through the end of this year. If you have any questions or concerns, please reach out to Caralynn Reddig at caralynn@4starreps.com or (717) 475-3124.





TYSON FOODS

Tyson K-12 is pleased to announce seven K-12 school foodservice teams were awarded a piece of \$25,000 in grant funding through the company's Great Grant Giveaway program. Grant recipients can use the funds to purchase equipment or materials that can help enhance their foodservice operations. For more information click <u>here.</u>

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