

WSNA Meeting

Casper – Conference Meeting 6/18/2019

Board Members: Wes Clarke, Megan Scholebo-Smith, Shannon Thompson-Emslie, Mike Pyska, Linda Martin, Denise Kinney (on conference call)

- Wes began – thank you to everyone for conference
 - Denise confirmed Ramkota is available for next year June 21-23 Sun -Tues
 - Jen – provided information about dietetic association meeting
 - Do director's meeting at another date
 - Suggesting to pool resources ie Key Notes.
 - Jen has been involved with other state meetings. Feels the increase in numbers would help.
 - Tentative schedules – 18 CEUs for RDs and SNA members
 - Vendors prefer food show in the middle
 - 13 members
 - Possible partnership with diabetes educators too about 75
 - Get sponsors to pick up meals?
 - Looking into Ramkota for 200 at conference
 - Idea for speakers – cover conference fee
 - How would vendor profits be separated
 - Maybe a problem with capacity, as of this year we are at the maximum
 - Do more sponsors for snacks and meals
 - Everyone is in agreement to pursue this idea

Next meeting this Thursday June 20 at Noon in Natrona room to meet with Ramkota and get final dates secured.

Mike Pyska – Administrative Assistant has been helping with the food show Deseree

Meeting adjourn 6:30pm

6.20.19 Continuation 12:00 pm

Linda Martin, Leah, Megan Scholebo-Smith, Wes Clarke, Denise Kinney, Shannon Thompson-Emslie, Marie

Discussion from all on combining conferences. All feel there is value, but overall agree that the combination does not overlap enough with school nutrition. We don't want to segregate directors from frontline staff. It was decided to not combine conference, but willing to re-evaluate next year.

Discussion about Jessica Campbell presentation –

- Classes for next year. Did we pay her enough? Denise will check, payment was made based on last year's presentation. We comped her room.

New candidates

- Candice from Sheridan?

- Heather yes
- Dawndrea interested in Southeast rep – Marie will speak with her about it.

Discussion with Mega from Ramkota about next year's conference dates 2020

- Sunday 20th check in day – no classes. June 21 Monday and June 22 classes. Wed June 23 elections, food show and half day. Food show 11-1 conference is over.
- Denise Motion to approve dates for Ramkota. Leah second. Signed and dated by Denise to secure Ramkota for next year.