



Virginia Child & Adult Care Food Program Sponsors' Association Conference

May 16-17, 2018

Charlottesville DoubleTree
990 Hilton Heights Road
Charlottesville, Virginia 22901

Thank you for coming to the 2018 Virginia CACFP Sponsors' Association Conference!

As Virginia's original, and oldest CACFP Professional Organization, The **Virginia CACFP Sponsors' Association** provides staff training, outreach, and acts as a central voice for Virginia CACFP Sponsors. Every other year, this association organizes a state-wide training conference for CACFP Sponsors, staff, and stakeholders. Workshops are provided by State Agency and USDA staff, experts in the industry, and by colleagues.

Conferences like this help bring together CACFP professionals from across the region to provide professional development, recognition, and networking. Professionals interacting together is the best way to disseminate best-practices and discover innovative ways to help solve the problem of hunger.



Donald Reese Goff, CMP, CCNP
Virginia CACFP Sponsors' Association, President
Child Care Resources, Inc., CEO



Speakers



Dr. Sandy Curwood, PhD, RDN

Dr. Sandy Curwood is the Director of School Nutrition Programs at the Virginia Department of Education. She has been a School Food and Nutrition Services Director for 15 years in two school districts, with successful implementation of Farm-to-School programs featuring local procurement, conversion to speed-scratch cooking and incorporation of nutrition education and garden-based learning. Sandy was a consultant and trainer for the California Department of Education, Institute of Child Nutrition and Alameda County Office of Education developing, implementing and evaluating programs to support innovation in school food service. Sandy has a Bachelor of Science in Foods and Nutrition and a Master's degree in Business, Health

Care Administration. She has taught foodservice systems and nutrition courses at Cal State Northridge. She is currently a Hospitality Management Doctoral Candidate at Iowa State University, Ames, Iowa conducting research on food safety in Farm-to-school programs.

Geraldine Henchy, M.P.H., RD

Geri is the Director of Nutrition Policy at the Food Research and Action Center. Geri's work focuses on nutrition policies, such as increasing the healthfulness of nutrition programs, necessary to reach the goals of eradicating domestic hunger and improving the nutrition and health of low-income individuals and families.

Geri is a member of the Institute of Medicine's Committee to Review the Child and Adult Care Food Program Meal Requirements, which had the task of creating nutrition standards to bring the meals served into compliance with the Dietary Guidelines. Geri is the current chair of the legislation and policy committee of the American Public Health Association's Food and Nutrition section. She currently serves on the U.S. Department of Agriculture's Management Improvement Task Force.



She has been honored to receive awards for her work on the Child Nutrition Programs from the Sponsors Association, the National Sponsors Forum and the California Roundtable. Most recently, the National Association of Family Child Care honored Ms. Henchy with their Advocate of the Year Award.

She is a Registered Dietitian and has an M.P.H. in nutrition from the University of California, Berkeley.



Vernon H. Mason, Jr. M.Ed., Author, "Don't Go: A Practical Guide for Tackling Employee Turnover."

Vernon Mason has been an early childhood administrator for over 24 years with a master's degree in Early Childhood Administration from National Louis University. With a \$5,000 credit card in 1991 he and his mother opened a small child care center with a capacity of 30 that grew to 125. In 1999 it was destroyed by a natural disaster. After rebuilding and starting over in just 2 years Vernon grew WEE SCHOOL Child Development Center to 248 children.

When he turned 40 he purchased 3 troubled childcare centers in just 12 months. What a midlife crisis! He still wonders why he didn't have an affair or buy a sports car like everybody else. He is the owner of four centers with 85 staff caring for 500 children.

Event Schedule

Tuesday, May 15

Registration opens at 11:30 am

12:00pm-12:30pm	Rotunda A B	Lunch (Pre-registration required)
12:30pm-4:30pm	Gallery Room	Pre-conference Training “New Meal Pattern Guidelines-Including Infant” Lenora Phillips, MS, RD, Institute of Child Nutrition Pre-registration required
6:00pm-7:00pm	Ash Lawn Boardroom	Sponsor’s Association Board Meeting

Wednesday, May 16

8:45am-9:15am	Rotunda C D	Donald Reese Goff, CMP, CCNP, President Virginia CACFP Sponsors’ Association
9:15am-9:45am	Rotunda C D	Dr. Sandra Curwood, PhD, RDN, Director Office of School Nutrition Programs, Virginia Department of Education
9:45am-10:45am	Rotunda C D	Geraldine Henchy, M.P.H., RD, Director of Early Childhood Nutrition Food Research Action Center
11:00-12:00	Rotunda C D	“The Nuts and Bolts of the USDA Food Program for New Staff” Scott Hubbard, Patrick Dibert, Child Care Resources
	Rotunda A B	“Cost Effective Shopping” Lenora Phillips, MS, RD, Institute of Child Nutrition
12:00-1:00	Promenade Ballroom	Lunch
1:15-2:15	Rotunda C D	“Go Paperless with Minute Menu CS for Centers,At-risk and SFSP” Cindy Vian, Minute Menu/KidKare
	Rotunda A B	“Food Safety FUNdametals” Lenora Phillips, MS, RD, Institute of Child Nutrition
2:20-3:20	Rotunda C D	“WIC and CACFP Working Together” Jeanne Hutchens, USDA, Mid-Atlantic Regional Office
	Rotunda A B	“Mealtime Procedures” Lenora Phillips, MS, RD, Institute of Child Nutrition
3:30-4:30	Rotunda C D	“Best Practices for Monitoring Centers and Homes” Tom Saunders, Director of Ohio Operation, Child Care Resources, Inc.
	Rotunda A B	“Food Allergies and Intolerances” Lenora Phillips, MS, RD, Institute of Child Nutrition
5:00-6:30	TBA	VIP Reception (Check your registration packet for an invitation)

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Thursday, May 17

7:15am-8:15am	Promenade Ballroom	Breakfast
	Rotunda Foyer	Exhibit Hall Open
8:30am-9:30am	Rotunda C D	“Building Partnerships to Expand Summer and Afterschool Meals” Catherine Spacciapoli, Program Associate, No Kid Hungry Virginia
	Rotunda A B	“Meal Patterns for Preschoolers” Mary Watson, Food Service Manager Pittsylvania County Community Action Head Start
	Rotunda Foyer	Exhibitor Hall Open
9:40am-10:40am	Rotunda C D	“Exploring Exempt Homes and Centers in the CACFP” Conchetta Yonaitis, Special Nutrition Programs Manager Virginia Department of Health Patrick Dibert, Claims Analyst, Child Care Resources, Inc.
	Rotunda A B	“The ABCs for your SOPs: Drafting Standard Operating Procedures for Better Implementation” Katrina Florek, CACFP Program Specialist, District of Columbia, OSSE Erica Nelson, CACFP Program Specialist, District of Columbia, OSSE
	Rotunda Foyer	Exhibitor Hall Open
10:55-11:55	Rotunda A B	“Preparing for a State Review Audit” Ashley Smith, CACFP Supervisor, Virginia Department of Health
	Rotunda C D	“Twitter for Beginners” (<i>Attendees are invited to bring their laptops</i>) Mary Fender, Social Media Guru
12:00-1:00	Promenade Ballroom	Lunch (<i>CACFP Scavenger Hunt ends</i>)
	Rotunda Foyer	Exhibitor Hall Open
1:15-2:30	Rotunda C D	Keynote Speaker Vernon Mason, Jr. M.Ed. Author, “Don’t Go: A Pratical Guide to Tackling Employee Turnover.”
	Rotunda Foyer	Exhibitor Hall Open
2:45-3:45	Rotunda C D	“Detecting Fraud and Preventing Waste in the CACFP” Angela Pernell, Director of Field Operations, Child Care Resources, Inc.
	Rotunda A B	“Go Paperless with Online Enrollment for Minute Menu HX & KidKare” Cindy Vian, Minute Menu / KidKare



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If your organization or agency is a CACFP Sponsor in Virginia, it can join the Virginia Sponsors' Association too! The cost is \$100.00 the first year. There are some important obligations though. Your organization's representative must meet several times a year to discuss organization matters, CACFP challenges, and opportunities to combat hunger. Your organization must be dedicated to ensuring the longevity of the CACFP by following best practices.

Turn on your phone camera and point it at the QR Code:



<http://www.ccreourcesinc.org/wp-content/uploads/2018/04/VSA-Membership-Form.pdf>



Virginia Child and Adult Care Food Program Sponsors' Association

Membership Application 2018

MEMBER INFORMATION

Sponsor Name: _____

Sponsor Mailing Address: _____

(City) (State) (Zip)

Contact Person: _____ Title: _____

Telephone: _____ Fax: _____

Email: _____ Website: _____

Billing Address (If different than mailing address): _____

CHAAMPS # _____

Number of Operating Homes: _____ Centers: _____ Sites: _____

Please check all programs your agency sponsors:

Homes Sponsor Centers Sponsor Head Start Sponsor At-risk
 Adult Care Sponsor Emergency Shelters Other _____

Type of Membership: Initial (\$100) Annual (\$75)

Please make all checks payable to: Child Nutrition Inc.
P.O. Box 3364
Warrenton, VA 20188

Date Rec'd: _____ By: _____
(Treasurer's Designee Signature)

Amount: _____

Type of Payment: Check # _____ Money Order # _____

All applications must be approved by the Virginia CACFP Sponsors' Association Board of Directors.

Thank you!



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CACFP Scavenger Hunt

Test your CACFP knowledge.

Rack up points with each clue.

Win an Amazon Echo Dot!



Rules: There are no rules. You can use any legal means to complete the challenges.

You may work alone or in a Team (Teams do better and have more fun).

You can begin the CACFP Scavenger Hunt as soon as the conference starts on May 15.

The Team or individual with the most points on May 17 at noon will win.

You do not need to run. *You are scored on how many challenges you complete.

Instructions: There is no cost to play. To begin playing the CACFP Scavenger Hunt, go to the app store on your Smartphone and download the app, SocialScavenger. After you've installed the app on your phone create an account. Make sure to join the game "CACFP Scavenger Hunt" using the secret unlock code "GoodFood".

Extra Credit: If you find any Minute Menu apples laying around the conference venue, you should collect them. You'll receive extra credit for each Minute Menu apple you turn in at the conclusion of the game (Noon on Thursday, May 17, 2018). Bring your Minute Menu apples to lunch.



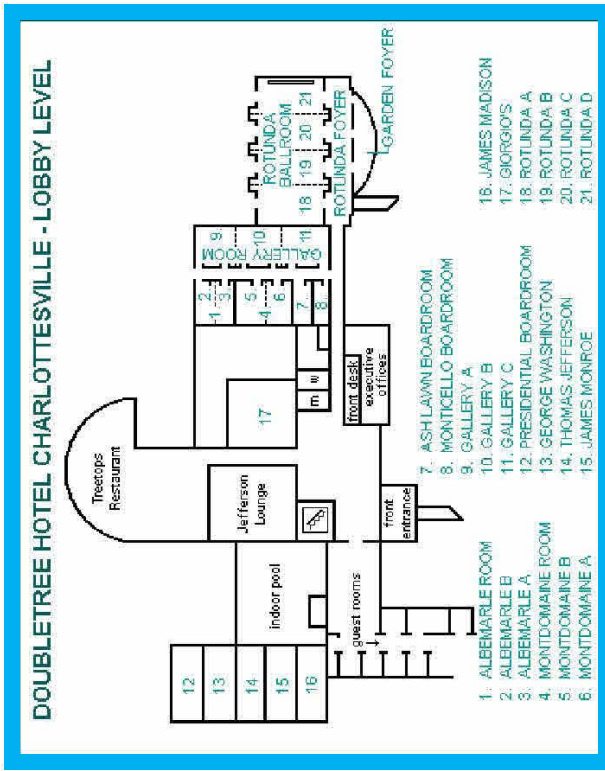
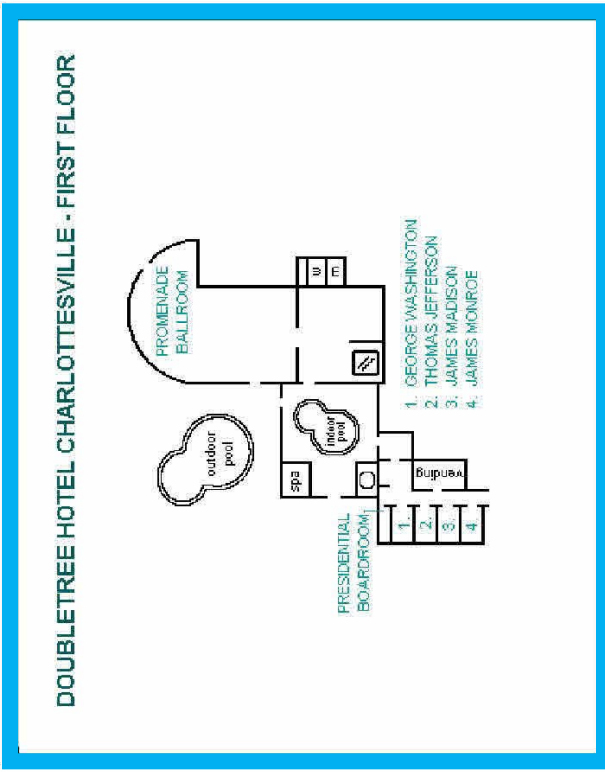
Don't feel like playing?

That's all right. You don't have to miss out on the action. Watch the Teams progress with live feed in the Exhibit Hall.

*In case of a tie, a winner will be selected at random among the qualified players.



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