

Who Should Attend?

This conference is designed for district office and management level personnel of school districts and charter schools, including administrators, business office and supervisory support staff, school nutrition directors, and program managers, as well as vendors who provide goods and/or services to these programs.

We will be building on the legislative foundation laid in previous conferences. We will continue to lay the building blocks of cooperation and understanding between our legislators and the educational community for ***IMPROVED STUDENT PERFORMANCE.***

This conference will provide excellent opportunities to:



- ✓ Interact with key partners who share your passion
- ✓ Hear from Tom Horne, Arizona Superintendent of Public Instruction and other individuals who are knowledgeable about the legislative climate and protocol for visits with our lawmakers.
- ✓ Learn from experts and colleagues about current legislative issues in child nutrition.

Conference Mission

The School Nutrition Association of Arizona's 2006 Legislative Action Conference will provide participants with information regarding legislative issues that will directly affect child nutrition in Arizona and nationwide. We will take these issues, as well as our concerns and questions, directly to our elected representatives during face-to-face visits at the Capitol.

*Help us to
make a
difference!*

School Nutrition Association of Arizona
c/o Lois Stansbury, Executive Secretary
11333 W Crimson Ln
Avondale, AZ 85323-3405

School Nutrition Association of Arizona



Legislative ACTION Conference

February 22-23, 2006

Wednesday and Thursday

Hyatt Regency Hotel

122 North Second Street

Phoenix, Arizona

(602-252-1234)

For additional information, please contact:

School Nutrition Association of Arizona
Lois Stansbury, Executive Secretary
11333 W Crimson Ln
Avondale, AZ 85323-3405

Phone/Fax: 623-877-8252 (Phoenix Metro)
866-402-9038 (Toll Free)

Cost to Attend

Early Bird Registration Fee = \$90
(by February 10, 2006)

Regular Registration Fee = \$100
(February 10 – 22, 2006) *

Wednesday Dinner Only = \$50

Registration fees include dinner on Wednesday evening. They do not include lodging expenses.

*Registration after February 10 will be on a space-available basis.

How to Register

Complete the registration form on the right panel of this brochure, one form for each person attending, and mail or fax along with your check or purchase order to:

SNAAZ Legislative Action Conference
c/o Lois Stansbury, Executive Secretary
11333 W Crimson Ln
Avondale, AZ 85323-3405

If you need assistance, please contact Lois Stansbury at snaaz@cox.net or by telephone or fax at 623-877-8252 (Phoenix metro area) or 866-402-9038 (toll free statewide).

Cancellation Policy

No penalty will be assessed and a full refund will be provided if written cancellation is received prior to February 10. There will be no refunds for “no shows” or cancellations after February 10, 2006.

Tentative Conference Agenda

Wednesday, February 22, 2006

(Hyatt Regency)

- 1:00 pm Opening Remarks
Jane Johnson, SNAAZ Legislative Chair
- 1:15 pm Tom Horne
Arizona Superintendent of Public Instruction

State Legislative Update with Q and A

- 2:00 pm Mary Szafranski
Deputy Associate Superintendent
ADE Health & Nutrition
- 2:30 pm - Break -
- 2:45 pm Presentation of Position Paper
Jane Johnson and Bart Christian
- 3:15 pm Team Assignments & Appointment Schedule
- 4:00 pm Legislative Climate, Protocol, and Strategy
Mark Barnes
Barnes & Associates (Specialists in Government
Relations/Economic and Policy Analysis)
- and -
Karen Novacheck
Lutheran Advocate
Ministry of Arizona
- 5:00 pm Team Meetings and Strategy Development
- 6:00 pm Dinner

Keynote Address

Ginny Hildebrand

Executive Director, Association of Arizona Food Banks

Thursday, February 23, 2006

State Capitol and
Department of Education

- 9:00 am – Legislative Appointments
Noon
(Lunch on Your Own)
- 1:00 pm Team Reports and Wrap-Up
Department of Education Building
1535 W Jefferson St*
- 2:30 pm Adjournment

* NOTE: The ADE building is within walking distance of the Capitol

School Nutrition Association of Arizona 2006 Legislative Action Conference

REGISTRATION FORM

Wednesday, February 22, and Thursday, February 23
Hyatt Regency, Downtown Phoenix

Name: _____
Last First MI

Title: _____

District/Employer: _____

Mailing Address: _____
Street Address

City State

ZIP CODE: -

NOTE: If you supply your zip code PLUS FOUR, we will provide the number of your State legislative district at the conference.

Work Phone #: _____

Email Address: _____

Registration Fee (Circle Correct Amount):

Early Bird (prior to February 10) \$90.00

Regular (February 10 - 22) \$100.00

Wednesday Dinner Only \$50.00

NOTE: Lodging expenses are NOT included in the registration fee. Contact the hotel directly to make reservations, which are at your own expense. (Hyatt Regency: 602-252-1234) We have no special conference room rates. If desired, contact Lois Stansbury for information on other hotels in the vicinity.

On Wednesday you will be asked to sign up to meet our legislators along with a team of your colleagues. Assignments will not be made in advance. You may express your preferences at the time the schedule of visits is developed. Visits will take place on Thursday, February 23.

Send registration form and purchase order/payment to:

Arizona School Food Service Association
c/o Lois Stansbury, Executive Secretary
11333 W Crimson Ln
Avondale, AZ 85323-3405

Phone/Fax #: 623-877-8252 (Phoenix Metro Area)
866-402-9038 (Toll Free Statewide)