

Conference Schedule  
NJSNA's 61<sup>st</sup> Annual Conference 2024

**Wednesday, November 6, 2024 (Pre- registration required for ALL Wednesday events):**

<b>11:00am – 5:00pm</b>	<b>Registration Check-In</b>
<b>1:00 – 5:00pm</b>	<b>School Nutrition Specialist (SNS) Exam - (must register through SNA)</b>
<b>1:00 – 2:30pm</b>	<b>New to K-12 Q&amp;A Educational Session</b>
<b>1:30 – 4:30pm</b>	<b>ServSafe Manager Review and Trivia</b>
<b>3:00 – 4:30pm</b>	<b>Knife Skills &amp; Food Preparation</b>
<b>6:00 – 8:00pm</b>	<b>Networking &amp; Trivia Night</b>

**Thursday, November 7, 2024:**

<b>7:30am – 5:00pm</b>	<b>Registration</b>
<b>7:30 – 8:30am</b>	<b>Breakfast</b>
<b>9:00 – 11:00am</b>	<b>General Session <i>Sponsored by American Dairy Association North East</i></b>
<b>11:30am – 12:30pm</b>	<b>Breakout Sessions</b>
	<b>Vending 101: School Meals Unpacked</b> <i>Amanda Venenzia, Med, SNS, On behalf of American Dairy Association North East</i>
	<b>Global Food Solutions Session</b> <i>Michael Levine, Global Food Solutions</i>
	<b>School Nutrition Program Administrative Review Common Findings</b> <i>INFO COMING SOON</i>
<b>12:30 - 1:15pm</b>	<b>Lunch</b>
<b>1:30 – 2:30pm</b>	<b>Breakout Sessions</b>
	<b>Being the Leader that Everyone Wants to Follow: How to Make your School Nutrition Program Stand Out</b> <i>Patty Fragioudakis &amp; Howard Grinberg, Maschio's Food Services</i>
	<b>NJDA Farm to School: "Grow" your School Food Service Program</b> <i>INFO COMING SOON</i>
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<b>2:45 – 4:00pm</b>	<b>Culinary Clash</b>
<b>4:00 – 6:00pm</b>	<b>Headshots Available</b>
<b>6:00 – 8:00pm</b>	<b>Evening Reception</b>

**Friday, November 8, 2024:**

<b>7:30am – 2:00pm</b>	<b>Registration</b>
<b>7:00 – 8:30am</b>	<b>Breakfast</b>
<b>8:00 – 11:00am</b>	<b>ServSafe Exam (Pre- registration required)</b>
<b>8:45 – 9:45am</b>	<b>Breakout Sessions</b>
	<b>CACFP &amp; Me – Funding and Flexibilities for Preschool and Afterschool Meal Programs</b> <i>Kristin Lento &amp; Stephanie Mullin, NJDA CACFP</i>
	<b>Talking the Teen Language: Reaching Gen Z Customers</b> <i>Lynn Shavinsky, SNS, Health-e Pro</i>
	<b>Hunger Free New Jersey Session</b> <i>Lisa Pitz, Hunger Free New Jersey</i>
<b>10:00 – 11:00am</b>	<b>Breakout Sessions</b>
	<b>Food Distribution</b> <i>New Jersey Dept. of Agriculture</i>
	<b>Increasing Your Plant-Based Meals: What Really Works in K-12?</b> <i>Dorrie Nang, Ph.D, The Humane Society of the United States</i>
	<b>Connecting with Regional Distributors for Local Food Procurement</b> <i>Kathryn Barr, The Common Market</i>
<b>11:00am – 2:00pm</b>	<b>Exhibit Hall</b>