



# 2025 EXPO & EDUCATION EVENT

**SEPTEMBER 30-OCTOBER 1, 2025**

**CHERRY VALLEY HOTEL & THE OHIO EVENT CENTER, NEWARK, OH**

Please join us on September 30th through October 1st back in Newark, Ohio for SNA of Ohio's Annual Expo & Education Event, sponsored by the Ohio Department of Education & Workforce. This event will include educational sessions and the School Nutrition Expo! See the full schedule of events below.



## WHO ARE THE ATTENDEES?

From industry members to directors and managers overseeing multiple schools or districts, to kitchen staff who are experts in using products and services daily—everyone you meet plays a vital role in shaping school nutrition across Ohio!

## WHY ATTEND?

In addition to gaining valuable knowledge (and CEUs!) and networking with colleagues from across the state, you'll also get hands-on experience with the latest products, equipment, and services available to school nutrition programs. All school and industry personnel are invited to attend—but Directors and Managers, this is one event you won't want to miss!

**Industry Partners:** If you are interested in donating an item for the raffle, please contact Lori Mattingly at [lmattingly@rich.com](mailto:lmattingly@rich.com) by September 26th.

**NEW THIS YEAR!** *School Nutrition Expo – Breakfast focus, Lunch Focus*

**1.5 hrs. CEU 2430 – Purchase Food, Supplies, & Equipment**

Always a highlight, the Expo will include the newest products, equipment, and services available to school nutrition personnel! This year we will host an expo during the breakfast hour and during a lunch hour.

# REGISTER ONLINE BY SEPTEMBER 22!

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**ATTENDEE**  
**REGISTRATION**



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**EXHIBITOR**  
**APPLICATION**



## TRIVIA NIGHT NETWORKING EVENT

Tuesday, September 30th

**Build relationships with food service personnel by sponsoring a team for game night!**  
**SNA of Ohio Industry Member companies have the opportunity to purchase a table!**

- Cost is \$250 per industry company to purchase a table (one table per company).
- Includes: One industry representative from your company to lead a trivia team of school district/ODEW registrants.
- SNA of Ohio staff will assign trivia teams with multiple school members at each table - reach out to [Sydney@assnoffices.com](mailto:Sydney@assnoffices.com) with questions.
- The winning team will receive prizes!

## SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

### TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 30

12:00 PM – 5:00 PM

**Vendor Move in**

12:00 PM – 4:15 PM

**Onsite Check-In for Educational Sessions**

1:00 PM – 2:00 PM

**Menu Planning Burnout**

Alison Jordan from JTM

2:00 PM – 3:00 PM

**Interactive Menu Planning**

Industry and School District Attendees

2:00 PM – 3:30 PM

**IAC Meeting**

3:00 PM – 3:15 PM

**Break**

3:15 PM – 4:45 PM

**Annual Civil Rights Training**

Ohio Department of Education & Workforce

7:00 PM – 9:30 PM

**Dinner on your own**

**Networking Reception: Trivia**

## WEDNESDAY (A TRACK - BREAKFAST EXPO)

8:00 AM – 12:30 PM	<b>Onsite Check-In for Educational Sessions</b>
8:30AM – 9:00 AM	<b>Welcome &amp; Enhancing your Exhibit Hall Experience</b>
9:00 AM – 9:15 AM	<b>Break</b>
9:00 AM – 10:30 AM	<b>School Nutrition Expo Open! – Breakfast Focus</b>
10:30 AM – 11:00 AM	<b>Break – Check out the Raffle Items!</b>
11:00 AM – 11:30 AM	<b>Student Panel</b>
11:30 AM – 1:00 PM	<b>DEW Updates &amp; Mandatory Procurement Training</b>
1:15 PM	<b>Raffle</b>

## WEDNESDAY (B TRACK - LUNCH EXPO)

8:00 AM – 12:30 PM	<b>Onsite Check-In for Educational Sessions</b>
8:30AM – 9:00 AM	<b>Welcome &amp; Enhancing your Exhibit Hall Experience</b>
9:00 AM – 9:15 AM	<b>Break</b>
9:15 AM – 10:45 AM	<b>DEW Updates &amp; Mandatory Procurement Training</b>
10:45 AM – 11:00 AM	<b>Break – Check out the Raffle Items!</b>
11:00 AM – 11:30 AM	<b>Student Panel</b>
11:00 AM – 1:00 PM	<b>School Nutrition Expo Open! – Lunch Focus</b>
1:15 PM	<b>Raffle</b>

## IMPORTANT REMINDERS

### Networking Reception:

Industry partners are required to purchase a table in order to attend the event. Attendance is limited to those who have secured a table, and capacity may be limited based on the number of tables and attendees.



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