

## Statewide Staff Meeting

April 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2017

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### Counties Represented

Beaver  
Box Elder  
Cache  
Davis  
Duchesne  
Emery  
Garfield  
Iron  
Millard  
Piute  
Salt Lake  
Sevier  
Utah  
Washington  
Wayne  
Weber

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### Create Farm Fresh Food -- Casey

Supplies for CFFF will be available to order through the staff supply order form beginning April 17<sup>th</sup>. Would someone in each county that is interested in doing CFFF send me an email so I can get an idea of how much interest is out there.

### AggieTime -- Gayla

Here are some important things to note about our payroll system change over to AggieTime:

- Hours should be submitted by noon of the day after the end of the pay period (the 16<sup>th</sup> and the 1<sup>st</sup>).
- Hours should be input after each shift. It should take less than five minutes to input them.
- Do not try to submit hours from March A using Aggie time.
- Contact Gayla with any questions or concerns that come up.

### *Social Media Reports*

### Kerry Garvin for Snappily Ever After

<http://snappilyforever.blogspot.com/>

I recently had a really successful Instagram post about washing strawberries with vinegar to help them last longer. It had a lot of positive feedback. Because of this, I've decided to do kitchen tips for some of my posts. If you have any kitchen tips- especially about fresh produce, please send them to me at [chocoknit@gmail.com](mailto:chocoknit@gmail.com).

### Candi Merritt for Eat Well Utah

<https://eatwellutah.org/>

I'll be doing blog posts about eating better on a budget, workplace meals and snacks, and green peas. Since green peas are in season, I'll be sharing lots of new and delicious recipes using green peas.

Also, the Eat Well Utah newsletter will go out this week. I would like to encourage each county to collect emails from class participants and other interested parties in their counties. That way I can send out a newsletter to them! All I need is names and email addresses.

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## *County Reports*

### Wasatch

No report

### Washington

(Marcia Gertge) I recently had some success in teaching a series at SUU Head Start. It took a long time to get in there. Once I got in, the teachers and kids had a lot of fun. We did the CREATES Youth curriculum with an added physical activity component. Next time, I'm hoping to coordinate with the teachers so they can match their lessons with mine.

How I got into the class in spite of some resistance: Really it came down to persistence in explaining the program over and over and what I would be teaching.

### Wayne

(Kate Chappell) I am finishing up training. We are figuring out the program and getting it started, so I will be reaching out to some of you for some help as we get the program started up.

Kate's background: My background is in restaurant work. I received a Bachelor degree from The Culinary Institute of America in New York and am currently working on a nutrition degree from USU.

### Weber

(Sharon Lloyd) We recently did a couple of health fairs where we had laptops at our booth with the Food \$ense blogs up. We also made a handout with the links to the blogs. We also did a class for the staff at DWS and showed them the blogs. They were really fascinated with them and loved them!

Note: The state staff will look into making cards with blog addresses

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## *Next Meeting*

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Next meeting: April 17<sup>th</sup> at 10:00 a.m.

Counties Reporting: Beaver, Box Elder, Cache, Davis