

TENTATIVE 2019 CONFERENCE PROGRAM-AT-A-GLANCE

Social & Emotional Connections for Healthy Relationships: Strengthening Ties that Bind Hearts and Minds

*Wednesday, February 20, 2019 Board Meeting— Ruby Tuesday, 511 Bush River Road, Columbia, SC 29210

Thursday, February 21, 2019		
7:45am	8:30am	Registration Open / Start the Quest
7:45am	8:30am	Silent Auction & Exhibits
8:30am	9:55am	Opening General Session <i>Presider: Kimberly Ray, SCAFCS President</i> <i>Conference Overview: Anna Turner, SCAFCS VP Program</i> <i>Speaker: Sam Wiley, Alzheimer's Association</i> "Love Your Elder, Love Yourself" —Understanding basics of and behaviors related to Alzheimer's disease, talking to teens and children about it, and reducing the risk of cognitive decline.
9:55am	10:55am	1st Educational Session Speaker: Sam Wiley, Alzheimer's Association "Communication is Key" — Identify effective communication strategies to help connect and communicate at each stage of the disease.
10:55am	11:55am	2nd Educational Session Speaker: Pam McIntyre, Ed.S. "Encouraging Social and Emotional Growth in Children of Today's Families" —Teachers, parents, family: All are teaching; best practices promote social and emotional growth.
11:55am	12:15pm	Break with Exhibitors, Vendors, Quest, and Silent Auction
12:15pm	1:30pm	2nd General Session—Lunch Speaker: Dr. Deborah Hutcheon, RD "Disordered Eating: Less about Food, More about Relationships"
1:30pm	2:30pm	3rd Educational Session Speaker: Dr. Deborah Hutcheon, RD "Optimizing Mental and Emotional Health: Exploring the Food/Mood Connections"
2:30pm	3:30pm	4th Educational Session Speaker: David Tafaoa, Chaplain SC Law Enforcement "Dealing with Sudden Traumatic Loss" —PTSD, drugs, shootings, abuse, and suicide touch those in homes, schools, and the community. Help those dealing with trauma and assist them in going forward.
3:30pm	4:30pm	Pre-Professional Session Student Unit Members (Business, SCSU Presentation, Service Project)
3:30pm	4:30pm	5th Educational Session Speaker: Yolanda Ferguson "Strengthening Personal and Families with Financial Stability"
4:30pm	5:30pm	6th Educational Session Speaker: Imelda Go "Food Photography: Windows of Connection" —Ideas for personal, class, FCCLA, culinary, or merchandising applications Speaker: Juanita Mendenhall "Disaster Assistance Program Updates"
4:30pm	5:30pm	Exhibits, Exhibitor Demonstrations, Silent Auction, and Quest / Presentation items and discussion with Jean Pesce, Glenna Mason, and Dorothy Blanton "Threads of Connection: Weaving Relationship Tapestries with Simple Gifts for Those with Alzheimer's"
6:30pm	8:30pm	3rd General Session Banquet, Awards, and Recognitions: Speaker: Rev. Rebecca Pinkney-Thomas, M.Div. "Strengthening Social and Emotional Ties for Strong Relationships in the Digital Age"
Friday, February 22, 2019		
7:30am	8:30am	SCFCS Coalition Meeting
7:30am	11:30am	Registration
6:30am	8:30am	Check out
8:30am	9:30am	7th Educational Session "Networking Connections for Optimal Social and Emotional" Speaker: LaToya Johnson "Using Educational Apps and Technology to Promote Social and Emotional Growth and Self-Control"
9:30am	10:30am	8th Educational Session Speaker: Office of Early Learning and Literacy "Early Beginnings to Social and Emotional Health"
10:30am	11:30am	9th Educational Session Speaker: Michelle Nienhius, DAODAS "Helping Hands in Breaking the Chains of Addiction and Improving Lives"
10:30am	11:30am	9th Educational Session Speaker: Imelda Go "Using Psychometrics to Connect Families and Develop Strengths" —Interest inventories, statistics, personality types, item analysis brought into your toolbox for use and stress relief. Speaker: Glenna Mason "4-H Healthy Lifestyles"
11:30am	12:30pm	SCAFCS Annual Business Meeting and Induction of Officers and Student Unit Leaders —All Attendee's encouraged to attend
12:30pm	2:00pm	4th General Session—Lunch Speaker: Dr. Ethel Jones "Strengthening Hearts and Minds in the Person, Profession, and Community"