

## Dates to Remember! Mark your Calendars

- Professional DevelopmentApril 23, 2024
- AAFCS Annual Conference
- June 5-10, 2024
- WAFCS Annual Business Meeting
   July 17, 2024

## WAFCS-STARS

Conference Co-Chairs
Congratulations on a job well done!



Co-Chairs - Amber Miller & Judy Knudsen

# APRIL PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

SIGN UP NOW FOR TUESDAY'S FINAL PD!





Students and Alumni attending WAFCS Annual Conference
UW-Stevens Point UW-Stout





WAFCS celebrates with Elaine Staaland, former DPI FCS Consultant and FCCLA State Adviser, on her recent HOSA Honorary Life Member Award!

Elaine made significant contributions to the growth and improvement of HOSA, Future Health Professionals and provided support to many HOSA projects.

Congratulations, Elaine!



WAFCS thanks the family and estate of Mary Kaye Merwin on the recent donation to the WAFCS Foundation.

Mary Kaye's Trust offered financial gifts to the associations and institutions she valued and that supported her life and career with WAFCS being one of them.

Thank you, Mary Kaye!

## Congratulations to six WAFCS members -AAFCS Certified in Family Consumer Sciences WAFCS proud!

These six WAFCS members made a pact that they were going to pass the CFCS exam this year. Starting in December they shared resources, created ways to remember information, started Zoom study sessions all while sharing a lot of laughs.

### Newly certified Members:

Char Kelly Kelly Yeakey Tara Weber Stephanie Fox Melanie Wroblewski Ryan Lehman



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# WAFCS FOUNDATION

### CHECK IT OUT!

#### **Foundation Donations**

The WAFCS Foundation gratefully acknowledges donations totaling \$1,110 around the time of the 2024 WAFCS Annual Conference.

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- Carol Anderson
- Donna Dinco
- · Jean Zeithaml
- Town & Country Home and Community Education (HCE) Club of Black River Falls

#### -- In honor of Cathy Lader, 2024 WAFCS Leader

- Donna Dinco
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- Susan Turgeson
- Jean Zeithaml

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