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#### **CERTIFY**

- To report an out-of-pocket expense, you will need to use Certify.
- Please note:
  - All receipts will need to be submitted in a single expense report.
  - Receipts older than 60 days will not be accepted!

Please reach out to your scheduler if you have any questions or concerns!



#### **1HUB FAQ'S**

Today, we will be answering some of your most frequently asked questions regarding 1HUB! A few topics we will be covering are:

- How to pause/un-pause a mPlan
- How to check your schedule
- How to enable your location services (it is mandatory to have this turned this on)

Please reach out to your scheduler if you have any questions or concerns!



#### MANDATORY TO CONTACT YOUR SCHEDULER WHILE AT THE STORE WHEN...

If for <u>any</u> reason you arrive at the store but are not able to execute your event, you are required to contact your scheduler <u>before</u> leaving the store.

Some reasons for an unsuccessful execution include:

- Insufficient Inventory
- Store Refusal
- Damaged Display
- · Unable to locate display

Also, please reach out to your scheduler if you are:

- Running late
- Encounter issues submitting your mPlans
- · Have any other questions during setup/execution
- Your Comdata card isn't working



#### **INVENTORY UPDATE**

#### Effective August 11th,

It is mandatory to call your scheduler before setting up with a backup item. This is a mandatory component of the program, if you do not call your scheduler before setting up with a backup item, it may result in removing you from the schedule.



#### **LABOR DAY HOLIDAY SCHEDULE 2023**

Reminder: Schedulers, office, and field support will closed/not be working Monday, Sep 4th in observance of Labor Day.

#### **Labor Day**

- Setup Friday, 9/1/23
- · Demo Dates
  - Friday, 9/1
  - Saturday, 9/2
  - Sunday, 9/3
- Teardown Tuesday,9/5
  - Teardown after demo if low inventory

#### SCHEDULER'S OFF DAYS

The scheduler's days off are Wednesday & Sunday.

- · Wednesdays: For urgent needs, contact Angela Zapata
  - Email: angela.zapata@productconnections.com
  - Phone: (954) 740-1054
- Sundays: Please contact Heaven Ringle.
  - · Email: heaven.ringle@productconnections.com
  - Phone: (704) 299-7959



#### **AUGUST EVENT UPDATE**

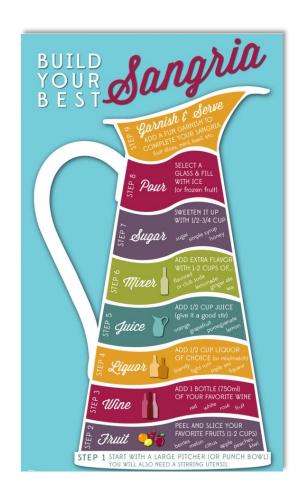
- August has historically been one of the slower months for scheduled events as suppliers push their budgets toward the fall and holiday seasons.
- Steps our Sales and Operations teams are taking to have more events scheduled in our slower months:
  - Continuing to partner with Target, the Sales team now has access to the Target Feature Calendar throughout the year; this will allow the Sales team to partner with suppliers to activate while their products are scheduled to be on the feature.
  - Actively rescheduling events and swapping stores; by tracking inventories well in advance, fewer events will be canceled due to lack of inventory.
  - Potential opportunities with other corporate divisions: If you are interested in temporary work at Sam's please alert your scheduler- we will do our best to increase your work hours.



#### **AB EXPERT SERIES – END OF SUMMER SANGRIA**

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=QnJ\_OAsfAxU

- Remember, you have the best tools at your fingertips with QR codes take the time to watch the sampling videos, learn about the product by listening to the BA in video, and continue telling the story.
- We will continue to provide additional videos and training material to help make of you the best in the category.



# 1 YEAR ANNIVERSARIES

Dorthea Madison, NV
Rebecca Randolph, VA
Tamara Walker, AZ
Joel Cruz, AZ
Allen Reidel, FL
Dolly Diaz, AZ

### 3 YEAR ANNIVERSARIES

**Emily Levenstein, TX** 

# EMPLOYEE OF THE MONTH NOMINEES:

Teresa Stone, VA
Malcom Weeks, NC
Quintin Hunter, NH
Ilsa Olsen, FL
Emily Levenstein, TX
Rosemary McCallum, IL



# EMPLOYEE OF THE MONTH

### Teresa Stone

August 2023

## THANK YOU for going the EXTRAMILE

BAs nominated will get a gas card for going the "extra mile." These folks go above and beyond in their BA duties!

# THANK YOU!

Jeanette "Jenny" Nye, MN Connie Miller, MO Quintin Hunter, NH Jerani Torres, TX

## PHOTO OF THE MONTH NOMINEES:

Hazel Balaceres, 000000







# PHOTO OF THE MONTH

#### WINNER: Lisa Nicoski, MN

- Clean & Complete Uniform
- Name Tag
- WE ID Sign
- Sampling Supplies
- Fully Stocked Featured Product
- D2D Cart Price Sign and QR Code



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