November 2021 Newsletter - Virginia Peninsula Chapter

Fall Winery Visit – THIS Saturday, November 6th – Please join us at the Saude Creek Vineyards, in Lanexa (<u>http://www.saudecreek.com/visit</u>). Our van is full so we are not selling any more tickets, however we welcome you to drive yourself, meet us there, and pay as you go. We plan to arrive around 1:30p and stay until approximately 5:00pm.

Register now for *Economic Update: Virginia and the Nation***, our next chapter meeting, Thursday, November 18, 2021, 12:00 – 1:00pm, 1 CPE, FREE!** Speaker is Dr. Alice Louise Kassens, Professor of Economics at Roanoke College. <u>Register</u> here! You must register in advance to receive the zoom link. Registration closes one week prior to the event. *Members can invite prospective new members to attend as their guests for free. Please note, this is a new registration system so you will be prompted to load your AGA member number and password or create a new account if you are a non member. Please reply if you have problems registering.*

Thursday and Friday, December 9-10th, 26th Annual Commonwealth PDT. This is one of our marquee educational events, offering 16 CPEs, including the opportunity to earn the annual ethics required of CPAs in VA. It will be virtual again with marquee speakers like former Comptroller General David Walker and VA Secretary of Finance Joe Flores. Member discount offered. Virtual! Registration link expected to be open THIS week.

Save the date for our next community service project – December 18, noon - Join us in helping place veterans' wreaths on the headstones of American Heroes as part of National Wreaths Across America Day. Hampton National Cemetery (Cemetery Rd At Marshall Ave). Please bring as many family and friends as possible.

Last month for CGFM BOGO Exams - AGA is offering a BOGO promotion for candidates taking exams between September 1st and November 30th, and our chapter will reimburse the cost of the three exams to the first candidate to obtain their CGFM certification before July 2022. Please contact our CGFM Chair Claudia Ohar <u>ohar.claudia@gmail.com</u> if you are interested in participating in our chapter study group or have questions about the CGFM program. Check out our chapter website for more details and upcoming study sessions.

Membership Promotion – Ten more days for nonmembers to take advantage of our \$20 reimbursement offer! Join AGA and the VA Peninsula chapter by November 10th and we will reimburse you \$20 of your membership fee! Membership offers so many benefits, it's already a great value and with the chance for a price reduction, now is the time to

join! <u>https://www.agacgfm.org/Membership.aspx</u>. Invite a colleague or prospective member to join us for our November 18th meeting so they can experience firsthand the great educational and networking opportunities AGA offers. For every new member you get to join, you will be automatically entered into drawings for prizes like Amazon gift cards or registration to PDT 2022. Everyone wins with an AGA membership!

Please be sure to visit our chapter website - Our chapter website is up to date and chock full of lots of current information <u>https://www.agacgfm.org/chapters/Virginia-Peninsula-</u> <u>Chapter/Home.aspx</u>. Book mark it and check it regularly. You can go there now and <u>register</u> to attend our November 18th noon meeting for FREE.

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