



# Hospitality MINNESOTA

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## Unlock the Potential of the New Member Portal

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UPCOMING EVENTS

Dec 10	Stars of the Future 2023 Sunday, 3:00 PM	Register
Jan 21	North Stars of the Future 2023 Sunday, 3:00 PM	Register

REFER OTHERS

Do you know someone who would benefit from being a part of Hospitality Minnesota?

Refer them today!

Welcome to your member connection and resource center!

As our valued member you have the opportunity to connect with other members by searching the Directory or registering for an upcoming event. You may also access your membership details, review account history and pay all your invoices online from the Account area.

Watch our tour to learn more!

The Info Hub Tour

Watch on YouTube

**Check Your Inbox!** Hospitality Minnesota has been and will continue to send out email invitations to log into the new Member Portal, so keep an eye out for that communication! The new Member Portal is a major member benefit we want all members to take advantage of.

### In the Member Portal, members can:

- Utilize the new events module to view, add and register for member-only events
- Access our various databases to gain access to vital information and resources
- Discover how to connect with others in membership to advertise your organization's services and exclusive member deals

- Take advantage of our new Job Board to recruit new employees by posting open positions with your company
- Access invoices and pay membership dues in a quick and effective manner
- and much more!

If you haven't already, we encourage you to log into the Member Portal. On the homepage, you will find an informational video that captures all you need to know to make the most out of the various services the Member Portal provides!

Check out the Member Portal

## Register for Stars of the Future



PRESENTED BY **Aimbridge**  
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Sunday, December 10, 2023  
3:00 PM - 5:00 PM

Bunker Hills Event Center  
12800 Bunker Prairie Rd NW,  
Coon Rapids, MN 55448

### TICKETS:

**\$100 PER PERSON (TAX DEDUCTIBLE)**  
includes one beverage and small plate tastings  
created by ProStart Students and renowned  
Minnesota chefs

**\$35 FOR TEACHERS AND PARENTS**

**\$15 FOR STUDENTS**



Stars of the Future is a fundraiser that helps support Minnesota's ProStart culinary and management teams as they travel to Baltimore, Maryland next April for the National ProStart Invitational competition.

Invest in our state's future hospitality workforce by supporting Minnesota's champion ProStart students.

### SUPPORTING SPONSORS



Investing in hospitality never tasted so good! Get ready for small plate tastings at Hospitality Minnesota Education Foundation's Stars of the Future fundraiser on **December 10, 2023, from 3 - 5 PM at Bunker Hills Event Center in Coon Rapids!**

Sponsorship opportunities are still available. Interested in joining our sponsors? Contact [Cyndi](#).

Plan in attending? Make sure to register below.

## Joint-Employer Ruling Effective Date Pushed as NRA, AHLA Sign onto Lawsuit



**What's happening:** Last week, **the National Labor Relations Board (NLRB) announced it has pushed the effective date of the joint-employer ruling to February 26, 2024** to allow for legal challenges to be resolved. This occurred after the National Restaurant Association (NRA), American Hotel and Lodging Association (AHLA) and Texas Restaurant Association joined the US Chamber of Commerce in litigation against the ruling in the U.S. District Court for the Eastern District of Texas.

### What our partners are saying:

- **NRA:** “The new Joint Employer Standard is already raising a plethora of legal questions across the restaurant industry. While the National Restaurant Association attempts to educate operators on the vague, confusing, and sometimes contradictory new standards, the Restaurant Law Center will fight to restore the workable joint employer standard that has existed for nearly 30 years based on the direct and immediate control of employees.” - Angelo I. Amador, Executive Director of the NRA's Restaurant Law Center
- **AHLA:** AHLA President & CEO Chip Rogers said in a statement, “The goal of this lawsuit is to reestablish the rule of law that has governed joint-employment designation for nearly four decades. It will also prevent the destruction of the franchise business model that has provided prosperity for tens of thousands of American small business hoteliers.” - Chip Rogers, AHLA President & CEO

Check our [NewsCenter](#) for further updates and read the US Chamber's initial lawsuit below.

[Read the US Chamber  
Lawsuit](#)

[AHLA partners with IncentiFind to Benefit Owners and Operators](#)



**What's Happening?** The American Hotel & Lodging Association (AHLA) and IncentiFind announced a new partnership to help AHLA's more than 30,000 members identify sustainability-related cost savings late last month.

**What is IncentiFind?** The secret to success for hospitality businesses today is green building design. Incentifind is a leading green building incentive database offering more than a half million incentives, including tax credits, grants, fee waivers, rebates, and bill credits to their clients. These lucrative credits support the implementation of green measures like energy efficiency, renewables, water conservation, and more, which are all directed at reducing bottom-line costs for hoteliers.

**Added Member Benefit:** As part of this partnership, AHLA members will receive special pricing on IncentiFind's VERIFY Report, which identifies significant rebates and savings for asset upgrades, such as buying energy-efficient appliances or installing solar panels.

See how AHLA members can [connect to green building incentives here](#).

[Read the Announcement](#)

**Staff Thanksgiving Favorites & Office Closed Thursday & Friday**



**It's Turkey time!** From our team to yours, we wish you and your family a fun and fulfilling Thanksgiving. Our team will be out of the office on Thursday and Friday as we gorge on (and recover from) family meals!

**Staff Favorite Thanksgiving Dishes:**

- **Angie:** Mashed Potatoes and Homemade Cranberry Sauce
- **Kate:** Carrot Souffle
- **Kristine:** Wild Rice Hotdish
- **Jill:** Pumpkin Pie with *Cool Whip* - NOT REDDI WIP!
- **Cyndi:** Scalloped Corn Casserole and Sweet Potato Casserole
- **Victoria:** Stuffing and Green Bean Casserole
- **Tony:** Crockpot cheesy potatoes - A guilty pleasure for an ex-Wisconsinite cheese lover!

Have a great week!

## In The News

- [Minneapolis business leaders hope holidays restore downtown to pre-pandemic form](#) | KSTP.com 5 Eyewitness News
- [Forget pre-pandemic levels: Experts predict record holiday travel](#) | Star Tribune
- [Jennie-O shares photo of National Thanksgiving Turkey candidates](#) - InForum | Duluth News Tribune

- [More than 3 million Minnesotans worked in October, the highest total ever recorded](#) | Star Tribune
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- [Congress avoids shutdown, setting up spending pileup for early next year](#) | MPR News

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