

Engaging Underserved Volunteers August 3-5, 2016

CareerSource Southwest Florida

750 S. 5th Street
Immokalee, Florida

Wednesday, August 3, 2016

Time	Host/Presenter	Description
11:00 pm	FAVRM Team	Registration Opens
12:00 pm	Lunch	Provided
1:00-2:00 pm	<p>Kim Berghs <i>Volunteer Center Manager, United Way of Lee, Hendry, Glades & Okeechobee, FAVRM Board Member</i></p> <p>Kris Juve <i>Retired and Senior Volunteer Program Coordinator, South FL State College. FAVRM President</i></p>	Welcome, Introductions, Activity
2:00-3:15 pm	Kim Berghs	<p>The Underserved; Who Are They? <i>Identifying, recruiting, interacting, and supporting them</i></p>
3:15 pm		Break
3:30-5:00 pm	<p>Panel Discussion</p> <p>Suzu Gamblain (moderator) <i>Executive Director, Flagler Volunteer Services, FAVRM Treasurer</i></p>	<p>Building the capacity of neighbors to serve neighbors <i>Innovative ways to build and sustain your community with underserved volunteers</i></p>

6:30 pm	Networking Dinner	Lozano's Mexican Restaurant <i>(405 East New Market Road)</i> <i>A family-owned restaurant with a long tradition of serving the very best in homemade style Mexican food.</i>
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Thursday, August 4, 2016

Time	Host/Presenter	Description
8:30-8:45 am	Joe Taylor <i>Executive Director, Franklin's Promise Coalition, FAVRM Vice-President</i>	Buenos dias!
8:45-10:00 am	Jessica Rhea <i>Director of Community Engagement Office of Service-Learning Florida Gulf Cost University</i>	Connecting with Colleges and Universities: <i>Learn how to build mutually beneficial partnerships that allow you to gain the support you need from students and faculty as they engage in service-learning and community-based research experiences with your organizations.</i>
10:00 am		Break
10:15-12:00pm	Patrice Cunningham <i>Special Projects Manager, United Way Volunteer Center, United Way of Lee, Hendry, Glades & Okeechobee,</i>	"Get Connected" <i>Using various social and digital media platforms to reach and engage volunteers</i>
12:00pm-12:45pm	Lunch	Provided
12:45-2:00pm	Margaret Baugher <i>RSVP Director, Friendship Centers, Fort Myers</i>	Age is Just a Number; <i>How organizations can help older volunteers reap the rewards</i>
2:00pm		Break
2:00-2:45 pm	Audrey Kidwell and Jovita Woodrich <i>Volunteer Florida</i>	Strengthening Florida; One Volunteer at a Time!
3:00 pm	Service Project with RCMA <i>Redlands Christian Migrant Assn.</i>	"Leaving our footprint in Immokalee"
6:00 pm	Networking Dinner	To be announced

Friday, August 5, 2016

Time	Host/Presenter	Description
8:30-8:45 am	Dr. Phillip Harris <i>Deputy Director, Department of Children's Services, Hillsborough County, FAVRM Board Member</i>	Good morning!
8:45-9:45 am	CNCS Volunteer Florida United Way	National, State & Local Updates
9:45 am		Break
10:00-10:45 am	Kris Juve <i>President FAVRM</i>	Business Meeting
10:45-11:30 am	Michelle Kennedy <i>Mentor Coordinator The Immokalee Foundation</i>	Engaging mentors in under-resourced rural communities
11:30 am	Kay Pelt-Walker <i>Volunteer Coordinator, Leon County Volunteer Services, Secretary, FAVRM</i>	Evaluations
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(Forum sessions are subject to change)

Registration: \$30 www.FAVRM.org or <http://favrm.wildapricot.org/event-2103471>

Registration includes lunch Wednesday and Thursday

Information: www.favrm.org

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