



A monthly update from Bonnie McCarvel,
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MACA Monthly News

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November – Everyone is busy these days trying to get their jobs done. This issue has a fresh look – it's a *quick* look at some key things in the world of MACA! If you have any questions, please contact the MACA office for additional information.

Enjoy Thanksgiving with family and friends wherever your travels take you!

NOVEMBER BOARD MEETING NOTICE

The MACA November Quarterly Meeting will be held at the **Renaissance Airport Hotel, 9801 Natural Bridge Road, St. Louis, MO 63134.** Committee meetings will be on Wednesday, November 9 with the Board of Directors meeting on Thursday, November 10, 2022. All times CT. The schedule follows:

Wednesday, November 9

- Committees Meetings:
 - o 8:30 - 10:30 am Executive Committee Meeting
 - o 11:00 am Committee Chair & Vice Chair Training
 - o Noon - 1:00 pm Lunch
 - o 1:30 - 5:00 pm D&E
 - o 1:30 - 5:00 pm Industry Communications
 - o 1:30 - 5:00 pm PES
 - o 3:00 - 5:00 pm Annual Meeting Committee
 - o 6:00 pm Team Building Event: 'Competitive Rib Barbequing 101'
 - Featuring Brian Clark, BBQ Chef, and Jaime Yanes, BBQ Judge

Thursday, November 10

- Board meeting begins with breakfast at 7, the meeting at 7:30 and adjournment by 11:00 am.

MEMBERSHIP MATTERS

The membership invoices for the 2023 membership year were emailed out on Friday, October 28. If you are the company contact and did not receive yours, please check your spam folder or let me know so it can be resent to you. Remember, dues are on the honor system, and you can pay this calendar year or by February 15, 2023. Thanks for your continued support!

YOUNG LEADER SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

We are **NOW** accepting applications for the Young Leader Scholarship Program (YLSLP) 2023! Deadline is November 19, 2022! To learn more about the program and to encourage students to apply, please visit our website <https://maca.org/young-leader-scholarship-program/>.

If you would like to be a sponsor for the 2023 YSLP program, please contact [Bonnie](mailto:bonnie@maca.org).

CROPLIFE AMBASSADOR NETWORK

Thanksgiving is a time to give thanks, so in keeping with the season I would like to thank each and every one of you for being a part of our CropLife Ambassador Network. Giving of your time is not always easy but it is so important to agriculture's future. As you sit down to your Thanksgiving dinner table this year you can be proud that you are part of the most abundant, safe food supply in the world. We are receiving more speaking requests this year than the past 2 years and could really use your help. You can do that by becoming an ambassador and if you are already, then help us find schools we can reach out to. To learn more about the CAN Ambassador Program and to sign up go to ambassador.maca.org

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CALENDAR

Nov. 9-10 **MACA Quarterly Board Meeting**, St. Louis, MO.
Nov.27-28 Happy Thanksgiving! MACA office closed.

2023

Jan. 17-19 IFCA's 2023 Winter Convention, Peoria Civic Center, Peoria, IL

THOUGHT FOR THE MONTH

"Thanksgiving Day is a good day to recommit our energies to giving thanks and just giving."

~ Amy Grant