



# 2009 TFBN Agency Relations Conference

Hosted by The North Texas Food Bank

**DON'T MISS OUT ON THE FIRST TFBN AGENCY RELATIONS CONFERENCE!!!!!!**

**Bring your Agency Relations Team and experience great workshops and activities that will include:**

## **Serving U**

Serving U is a first-class, corporate teambuilding course. The program is designed to help key executive and departmental personnel sharpen their communication and teamwork skills – while serving a larger purpose. Teams of five to 40 people work together, communicate, plan, solve logistical problems and build communication skills. Unlike other corporate workshops, Serving U unites people around tangible results: honing teamwork skills while helping to feed thousands of people across North Texas.

## **Disaster Planning**

Disaster Planning is a must for all Food Banks in order to operate and dispense food to Agencies during emergencies and natural disasters that may alter or threaten the Food Banks' ability to respond. We will display a model of preparedness as well as learn about the major challenges of first responders, and strategize together ways of overcoming those challenges.

## **Agency University**

Agency University, our education program for Agencies, has been successful because we have utilized the technological infrastructure and Continuing Education Units incentives provided by our local community college. Our partner, El Centro Community College, will inform you about how community colleges partnering with Food Banks can be beneficial to your Food Bank, the Agencies and the colleges.

## **Mobile Food Pantry**

The Mobile Food Pantry program is an opportunity for Food banks to directly serve people in areas where food needs are high, but Agency support is insufficient to address the problem. We will share several models of this program operated by Food Banks in Texas.

## **PLUS**

- ✓ **Multiple vendors will come to inform you of new and exciting products that may aid you in your work.**
- ✓ **Your registration will include both a Thursday morning breakfast and lunch prepared by our very own Community Kitchen Chef!**
- ✓ **We have two great Additional Group Activities for the low cost of \$35 per event:**

### **Dallas Stars Hockey Night**

Join us as the Dallas Stars take on the Phoenix Coyotes and enjoy unlimited complimentary food and beverages up to the 2<sup>nd</sup> intermission. The Texas Food Bank Network will be recognized during intermission.

### **Dave & Buster's Night**

Dave & Buster's is the only place where great food, drinks, and games come together to create full on fun experiences that really stick with you. At Dave & Buster's we will turn an ordinary night to an extraordinary night. This is the perfect place to mix business with fun!