Mission: Food Possible invites you to participate in a mission of high importance entitled...

“Mobilizing Change at a Grass Roots Level to Improve Food Security in the Caribbean”

Mission/Objective: To cut through all of the ‘talk’ and theoretical jargon to provide solid examples and recommendations on how each sector in society can work individually and collectively to deal with the Caribbean food crisis that has been exacerbated by the COVID-19 pandemic.

The mission, if you choose to accept will take place on

Wednesday, July 15, 2020

2 pm to 4 pm (Southern Caribbean, Miami & New York)
1 pm to 3 pm (Northern Caribbean)

Programme

• Welcome Remarks: Karetta Crooks Charles, Moderator & Mission: Food Possible (M:FP) Communications Director
• Opening Remarks: Peter Ivey, Founder, M:FP
• “Grow it | Eat it | Live it: Caribbean foods nourishing our communities”
  Professor T. Alafia Samuels, Principal Investigator, Improving Household Nutrition Security and Public Health in CARICOM, Food and Nutrition (FaN) Project, UWI
• “How the definition of food security has changed since COVID-19”
  Daphne Ewing-Chow, Senior Contributor, Forbes
• “Rural Women – the invisible change agents in the food security crisis in St. Lucia”
  Keithlin Caroo, Founder/ President, Helen’s Daughters
  Q&A – Round 1
• “How the public and the private sector can work together to drive change at a grassroots level”
  Minister Floyd Green, State Minister in the Ministry of Agriculture and Fisheries (Jamaica)
• “The role of chefs in fighting food insecurity in light of COVID-19”
  Peter Ivey, Founder, M:FP
• “Getting the youth to take their place in agriculture”
  Alpha Sennon, Founder/ Executive Director, WHYFARM
  Q&A – Round 2
• Closing Remarks/ Vote of Thanks: Moderator, Karetta Crooks Charles
• Group photo