



BCEA UPDATE



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PLEASE POST!

October 2015

Remember:

1. BCEA Presidents' Dinner is October 26. We're celebrating our 28th annual dinner "Mardi Gras-Let the Good Times Roll". Sign up through your Association VP. Deadline is 10/21 Hors d'oeuvres & Buffet Dinner \$40 per person.
2. The State Board of Education will address and answer questions about current issues in NJ's educational system, Thursday, Nov. 5 3-4:30 Convention Room 202.
3. Sign up to work at the NJEA PAC phone bank to help re-elect Herb Conaway and Troy Singleton to the 7th Legislative District. See your local president or LAT member to sign up or call the BCEA office.

BCEA/NJEA ESP Workshop

November 18, 2015

The Merion— 5:00

"Financial Essentials"

Sign up through your local president before November 11

The Burlington County Public Employee Charitable Campaign

Soon you will be asked to contribute to this campaign. The funds raised during this annual drive will support over 250 organizations that are helping people here in Burlington County and all over the world.

The services cover a range of areas including: Youth at risk, handicapped and disabled, as well as, elderly, mentally ill, troubled families, young people in need of guidance, and educational agencies.

The money contributed is well spent; 90% of every dollar goes directly to the agencies. The participating nonprofit services have all met state and local criteria for inclusion. Please remember you can direct your pledge to the agencies of your choice.

2015 NJEA-PAC ENDORSEMENTS

Endorsements for political office are given to a candidate by the NJEA PAC committee after considering the candidate's position on educational issues. NJEA PAC carefully examines each candidate's position on public education and members rights before making its decision.

The New Jersey Education Association's 125-member political action committee has voted to recommend for endorsement pro-education, friendly candidates:

Legislative District 7—Herb Conaway and Troy Singleton

BCEA has endorsed Aimee Belgard & Joanne Schwartz for Freeholder

OCTOBER 5
NJEA Fall Focus
 The Merion - 4:00

OCTOBER 6
Legislative Action Team
 BCEA Office - 4:30

OCTOBER 7 - 4:30 pm
Professional Development Wksp.
 School Improvement Panels (SciP)
 BCEA Office-Registration required

OCTOBER 8
Minority Leadership & Recruitment Committee
 BCEA Office - 4:30

OCTOBER 15
ESP Training Workshop #1
 "Understanding the Union & its Importance to You"
 BCEA office— 5:00 start

OCTOBER 19
Meet & Greet
 Carlucci's Waterfront
 4:00

OCTOBER 26
Presidents' Dinner
 The Merion 5 pm
 "Mardi Gras-Let the Good Times Roll"

OCT. 28-Nov. 2
NJEA PAC PHONE BANK
 Selected Times
 BCEA Office

Eight new Professional Development Workshops are being offered this year at the BCEA office. Each workshop includes a box lunch. A \$10 registration fee is required but your check is returned when you attend. Visit our website for the Professional Development Brochure. Click on "Workshops & Events"

NJEA Convention

We hope you will attend the convention and enjoy all that NJEA has planned for you. "Standing Strong for Public Education" Convention badges will be mailed to you in October. There are hundreds of exhibitors; the New Member Lounge; Main Street NJEA; the Art Gallery; Author's Alley; SEHBP Health Fair; and Member Benefits sponsored vendors, the ESP Pavilion.

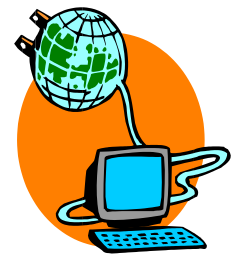
Child care is offered for children ages 3-12 @\$20 per child, per day. Children must be toilet trained.

Download the NJEA Convention mobile app. Go to the link on njeaconvention.org

BCEA HOSPITALITY RECEPTION

Thursday, November 5 — 2:00 - 3:30 p.m.
The Sheraton Crown Ballroom 4 & 5
Burlington County Public School Employees and one adult guest—ID Required

Visit the improved BCEA website for pictures of current activities, flyers for all coming events.
www.bceanjea.org



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