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ECASB Summer Review



News shared with ECASB Members when we are not on vacation, at the beach, on the boat, or outside enjoying the summer weather in Western New York.

WNY LAW CONFERENCE FINALLY HERE: Powerpoint presentations from the Law Conference will be on the ECASB website until October 27, 2022.

MARK YOUR CALENDARS: Deadline to register for the Back to School Dinner is August 11th. The program will be held on August 25th. Our keynote speaker will be Williamsville Superintendent Dr. Darren Brown-Hall. Register with your District Clerk before it is too late. **Deadline to register is Thursday, August 11, 2022.** Please register through your District Clerk.

NEW EVENT - ECASB SUMMER LEADERSHIP MIXER: Deadline for registration has passed. We look forward to an enjoyable evening to all registered guests. Program is 6:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.

NYSSBA LETS CONNECT PROGRAM - AUGUST 12TH AND 13TH IN ALBANY. If you are not registered yet, time is running out. You may register up until August 8, 2022. Outline for the event is as follows:

Friday August 12, 2022

8:00 a.m. - 8:30 a.m. - Welcome by NYSSBA President Peggy Zugibe, and Executive Director Robert Schneider. Speaker: Senior Deputy Commissioner for Education Policy as SED, Jim Baldwin.

8:30 a.m. - 10:00 a.m. - Critical Role School Boards Play in Promoting Democracy

10:15 a.m. - 11:45 a.m. - Running an Effective and Civil Meeting OR State Mandated / Governance Training Part 1 of 3.

12:00 p.m. - 1:15 p.m. - Building Unity for Successful Governance OR State Mandated Training Governance Part 2 of 3.

1:15 p.m. - 2:30 p.m. - Networking Lunch

2:30 p.m. - 4:00 p.m. Best Practices for Building Constructive Community Engagement OR State Mandated Governance Training Part 3 of 3.

4:15 p.m. - 5:15 p.m. - World Café Panel.

6:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m. - Reception

7:15 p.m. - 8:30 p.m. - Dinner

8:30 p.m. - 10:00 p.m. - Entertainment - (The Flying Ivories)

Saturday, August 13, 2022

8:00 a.m. - 10:00 a.m. - Learning Not Realized - Seizing the Opportunity to Turn the Table.

10:30 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. - Mental Health: A New York State of Mind

12:00 p.m. - 1:30 p.m. - Here, I Belong! Student Matters.

SPONSOR INFORMATION: Sponsors are signing up to be Gold Level and Silver Level Sponsors. Deadline for Sponsors to sign up for the coming year is August 19, 2022. At that time, we will let all ECASB members know who the 2022-2023 sponsors will be for the year.

POLITICAL FUNDRAISERS:

1. Assemblyman Angelo Morinello - Sunday, August 21, 2022; 4:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m. @ Five Senses Nature Park, 65345 Ward Road, Sanborn, N.Y. 6th Annual Pig Roast. \$40 for individuals / \$75 for family. RSVP melissa@sparklemarketingandevents.com

ECASB SUMMER CHALLENGE UPDATE: Less than three weeks remain to submit your pictures in

your ECASB T-Shirt. Winner will be announced at the Leadership Boards and Brews on August 18th.

BOARD CONNECTIONS: I have been sending out Board Connections of those new Board Members that have returned their questionnaire. If you have returned the form....THANK YOU. If you have not returned your form, please do so either in the postage paid envelope that you were provided or feel free to email me at dlowrey@e1b.org.

LEADERS AMONG US: If you are a new Board President, please return your Leaders Among Us survey sheet in the postage paid envelope.

ANNUAL CONVENTION REGISTRATION OPENS: Registration for the annual NYSSBA opened August 1st.

DEADLINE FOR SUBMITTING RESOLUTIONS FOR NYSSBA WAS AUGUST 1ST.

SAD NEWS: Our thoughts go out to Mr. Scott Johnson, his wife Bonnie and their family. Scott's mother Barbara Johnson recently passed away. Details are still being worked out. It is anticipated there will be visitation hours on Friday, August 5th, and a church service on Saturday, August 6th. Scott is a member of the Sweet Home CSD Board of Education, has served on the ECASB Executive Board, has served as Co-Chair of the ECASB Legislative Team, is the recipient of the Laura M. Burns Advocacy for Children Award, the Lorie Sabo Advocacy Award, and several Shining Star Awards. Sympathy and condolences can be sent to Mr. Scott Johnson, 123 Patricia Drive, Tonawanda, NY 14150.

ECASB OFFICE IS CLOSED ON WEDNESDAY AUGUST 3RD: The ECASB staff will be at the Law Conference during the day. We will be back in the office on Thursday, August 4th.

ECASB Summer Challenge: A little over two weeks remain in the ECASB Summer Challenge. Lost for ideas? Try the Erie County Fair, golfing, or while attending the Niagara County Fair, the Lucille Ball Comedy Festival, or Buffalo's Country Music Festival in Akron, New York.