

Anaheim Elementary Education

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The vision for AEEA is to build strength through unity, growth in leadership, and increased participation by providing service, support, and advocacy for members' rights. *AEEA Executive Board, July 28, 2008*

DO YOU KNOW?

The AEEA Calendar Committee needs your input for the 12-13 survey. The survey is available online at our award-winning website through December 15.

AND...

The recent AEEA Negotiations Survey included some questions from members. Please read the following answers and information.

- *Why aren't Back to School Night and Open House on a Thursday?* The AEEA contract allows for only 31 Instructional Planning Days (IPD) and 11 minimum days. If you count the weeks in any given track and "take out" the minimum days for report cards, conferences, and the day before either going off track or on a break, there would likely have to be full instructional days on some Wednesdays if minimum days included Thursdays. See Article 7 page 29 for more details.
- *Why can't all ten sick leave days be used for personal business?* They can! Up to ten (10) credited days may be used in a school year for personal business. See Article 4.4 page 15 for more details.
- *Why doesn't the team do more for temporary teachers? We pay dues too.* All provisions of the contract apply to temporary teachers. By law, a School District is not required to bargain probationary or permanent status for temps, and ACSD has refused to do so. The team continues to engage the district in discussions regarding the needs and concerns of temporary teachers. See Article 1.5 page 2 for more details.

AEEA MEMBERS FEATURED

Many thanks are extended to Sara Camm (Orange Grove), Consuelo Garcia (Revere), Jaime Ramirez (Mann), and Janine Ranes (Revere), for their time, effort, and participation in the article for the November Educator issue! Many thanks are also extended to the families and students that were willing to be interviewed and/or photographed. While the subject matter of the article (students living in poverty) is a sad reality for many of the families we serve, it was a positive thing to have four of our outstanding and dedicated members featured and their work and that of their students highlighted. AEEA greatly appreciates your work and professionalism. Way to go Sara, Consuelo, Jaime, and Janine!!!

AEEA members that didn't receive the magazine at home most likely need to update their address with the Anaheim Educators office who in turn will update CTA .

QUICK NOTES

- **Sign up for AEEA Texting by Dec. 31 and be entered in the contest for one of ten (10) \$10.00 Starbucks cards!!!** Key in **25827** and put **aeaa4u** in the message. Texts will be sent on a very limited basis so members need not worry about incurring a lot of messaging charges.
- **Urban Issues Conference Scholarship Recipient, Faith Daverin (Edison)** – Faith has been an active AEEA member for many years and has served and serves on a number of committees. Faith was nominated and has been awarded a scholarship to attend this annual CTA conference. Way to go Faith!
- **CTA Scholarships** - There is a variety of scholarship opportunities available for members, dependent children of members, and ethnic minorities. The AEEA office has a hard copy of each scholarship packet, but all information is online at the CTA website. AEEA members are encouraged to access the site directly or via our own website and view the description and requirements of each. There are also many ethnic minority scholarships available for CTA conferences.
- **Discount Movie Tickets** – Purchase Regal/Edwards, AMC, Cinemark or Krikorian discount tickets at the Anaheim Educators office. **Remember:** ten (10) tickets per visit; exact change or check is required. Call and make certain tickets are in stock; they have been in great demand already this holiday season!
- **www.aeea4u.org** has won the CTA communications award for websites once again! Thank you Sam Castellano (Guinn) for your skill, dedication, work, talent, and for keeping AEEA up-to-date and online! Way to go Sam!!!



Have a Wonderful Winter break and Happy Holidays!

Nov. Rep Council

Schools Represented:

Barton Edison Franklin
Gauer Guinn Juarez
Lincoln Loara Madison
Marshall Olive Street
Palm Lane Price Ponderosa
Revere Roosevelt Ross
Stoddard Sunkist Westmont

Schools not represented:

Henry Jefferson Mann Orange Grove
Sorry we missed you; hope to see you next time!

DATES TO REMEMBER

Dec. 15	Education Council @ 3:15 12-13 Calendar Survey Deadline
Dec. 22	Tentative Gift Wrap Event at the Boys and Girls Club
Dec. 21 – Jan. 3	AE OFFICE CLOSED
Jan. 9, 2012	AEEA Executive Board @ 4:00 ACSD Facilities Impact Study @ 5:00
Jan. 23	AEEA Rep Council @ 4:00 ACSD School Board @ 6:00

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