

Announcements

Walk And Talk To Voters In Your Chosen Neighborhood

Members are encouraged to walk and talk to voters in the neighborhood of their choice this weekend as part of our ongoing effort to have conversations about the importance of passing Amendment 73 and electing candidates who support public education. Please contact [Thad](#) to let him know what neighborhood you would like to walk, and he'll prepare an electronic walk list of that neighborhood as soon as he can. The weather this coming weekend is supposed to be beautiful, and this would give you an opportunity to appreciate the sunny, warm days and make a difference.

D11 Family Learning Institute

The District is offering forums across the District over the coming months for parents and guardians to gather and become more informed on social/emotional topics, academics and community resources. The District embraces parents and guardians as a vital partner in educating children and invites them to take advantage of this opportunity to learn more and become familiar with resources that they can use in parenting. The first opportunity of these events is this coming Tuesday, October 30. Additional information is available in our Events section below.

“The Family Learning Institute team is comprised of parents, community liaisons and administrators. Parents may provide suggestions for future topics. Please join us as we host this inaugural event.”

Anxiety in students, child safety, cyber-bullying and social media, and human trafficking are the topics which will be presented. Attendees will choose two of the offerings to attend. You can learn more [here](#).

Questions About Voting?

[This site](#) can answer many of your questions. If you aren't able to find your answer, please [contact](#) us and we will work with you to get your question answered.

CSEA's recommended candidates and ballot issues are available in the member side of our website at www.cseateacher.org. If you have problems logging in to the member side, please [contact us](#).

You can also see CEA's complete member voting recommendations [here](#).

CoPilot Course Offering Clarification

Members may enroll in CoPilot courses without charge beginning November 12 for classes which will be offered in the spring semester, beginning January 1. Prior to November 12, charges will apply. We will communicate additional information in November. Please accept our apology for not making this distinction in our earlier communications.

Thank you!

A special thank you to **Ryan TenBrink** (Achieve Online), for heading up the Oktoberfest and **Beth Waller** (Fremont) for coordinating the book give-away at the Giant Pumpkin Festival. Thank you to those who showed up to walk for Amendment 73, attended the Oktoberfest and donated books or participated in the Giant Pumpkin Festival! We would also like to thank the following breweries and vendors for their donations to Oktoberfest: Cerberus, Cogstone, Goat

Patch, Iron Bird, Manitou, Peaks N Pines, Pikes Peak, Red Leg, Rocky Mountain, and Storybook.

Bargaining Survey Coming Soon!

Be looking for a bargaining survey next week. Your bargaining team values your input, so please be sure that your voice is heard by completing the survey.

School Lounge Makeover Contest By California Casualty

“Educators Give So Much. We’re Giving Something Back.

We've seen your remarkable dedication firsthand and we're proud to show our appreciation. So we'd like to help you transform your school lounge to extraordinary.

Create a cheerful, restful environment where you can collaborate with colleagues, nurture your creativity, or just plain catch your breath.”

Learn more about this \$7,500 makeover and enter [here](#).

Events

Hidden In Plain Sight, The Power Of Diversity

Culturally and Linguistically Diverse Education Opportunity

Saturday, October 27 9 a.m. to noon Regis University
Northwest Denver Campus, Claver Hall

Family Learning Institute

Tuesday, October 30 6 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. Jenkins Middle School
6410 Austin Bluffs Parkway

A light dinner will be served at 5:45 p.m. provided by Grand Canyon University. See above for additional information and description.

Melting Pot Teacher Appreciation Nights

November 13-15

Once again, The Extension has arranged for a special event honoring educators! Gather your coworkers, family and friends to enjoy this great deal! The three course menu will include a choice of cheddar or spinach artichoke cheese fondue, the Land and Sea Entrée and your choice of amazing, mouthwatering chocolate fondues. The cost is only \$27.95 (plus tax and gratuity) per person.

This year's event has been expanded to cover several evenings so that you have more options. It is always a hugely popular event, so please be sure you call 385-0300 now for reservations.

Contract Fact

Article XI. D. 3. Notification of Expiration of Teaching License

As a courtesy, the District will send a notice from the Department of Human Resources six (6) months prior to the expiration of a teacher's teaching license.

Articles

[How History Class Divides Us](#)

[Halloween Lessons, Activities & Resources](#)

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