

Illinois Association of School Administrators

NEWS FROM THE REGIONS

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***** ABE LINCOLN *****

Thank you to the following who participated in the 72nd *Joint Annual Conference – Lighting The Way*: **Dr. Leonard R. Bogle**, Superintendent of Cerro Gordo Unit #100; **Dr. Douglas P. Blair**, Sr. Dir./Field Services at the Illinois Association of School Boards; **Brian Braun** of the law firm Miller, Tracy, Braun, Funk & Guenther, Ltd.; **Dr. Robert E. Kidd**, Superintendent of Lincoln Elem #27; **Dr. David Lett**, Superintendent of Pana Comm Unit #8; **Daryl R. McManus**, Superintendent of Morrisonville Unit #1; **Thomas H. Mulligan**, Superintendent of Riverton CU #14; **Dr. Diane Rutledge**, Superintendent of Springfield Unit #186; and **Dr. Richard Voltz**, Superintendent of Ball Chatham CU #5.

Congratulations to the following for successfully completing the *Marketing and Public Relations* course offered by the IASA School of Professional Development: **Kathryn Garrett**, Superintendent of Auburn Comm Unit #10 and **Dr. Richard Voltz**, Superintendent of Ball Chatham CU #5.

Congratulations to **Gary DePatis**, Superintendent of Greenview Unit #200, who successfully completed the *Basic Needs for the Superintendent* course offered by the IASA School of Professional Development.

***** BLACKHAWK *****

Congratulations to **James Minick**, Superintendent of Carbon Cliff-Barstow #36, who successfully completed the *Intermediate Collective Bargaining* course offered by the IASA School of Professional Development.

***** CENTRAL ILLINOIS VALLEY *****

Thank you to the following who participated in the 72nd *Joint Annual Conference – Lighting The Way*: **Michael Burdette**, Superintendent of East Peoria #86; **Dr. James Dunnan**, Superintendent of Washington Comm HS #308; **Dr. Norman Durflinger**, Professor at Illinois State University; **Jay Greening**, **Mike Tibbs**, and **Dennis R. Triggs** of the law firm Miler, Hall & Triggs; **Jim Rich**, Superintendent of Illini Central #189; and **Wesley Wells**, Superintendent of Pleasant Hill Elem #69.

The IASA School of Professional Development would like to thank **Dr. John P. Closen**, Superintendent of N. Pekin & Marquette Hts. #102, for facilitating the *Organizational Management* course on November 19, 2004.

Congratulations to the following for successfully completing the *Basic Needs for the Superintendent* course offered by the IASA School of Professional Development: **Marc DeVore**,

Superintendent of Oak Grove Elem #68 and **Dr. David Kinney**, Superintendent of IL Valley Central Unit #321.

Congratulations to **Dr. James Dunnan**, Superintendent of Washington Comm HS #308, who successfully completed the *Intermediate Collective Bargaining* course offered by the IASA School of Professional Development.

Congratulations to the following for successfully completing the *Marketing and Public Relations* course offered by the IASA School of Professional Development: **Dr. R. Scott Russell**, Superintendent of Morton Comm Unit #709 and **Randy R. Stueve**, Superintendent of Illini Bluffs Unit #327.

Congratulations to **Dr. Don White**, Superintendent of Pekin #108, who successfully completed the *Organizational Management* course offered by the IASA School of Professional Development.

*** * * COOK NORTH * * ***

Thank you to the following who participated in the 72nd *Joint Annual Conference – Lighting The Way*: **Athena Christofalos, Cynthia L. DeCola, Stanley Eisenhammer, Robert A. Kohn, Bennett Rodick and Robert E. Swain** of the law firm Hodges, Loizzi, Eisenhammer, Rodick & Kohn; **Dr. Glenn W. McGee**, Superintendent of **Dr. Robert A. McKanna**, Superintendent of Palatine CC #15;

Congratulations to **Dr. Terry E. Barker**, Superintendent of River Trails #26, who successfully completed the *Marketing and Public Relations* course offered by the IASA School of Professional Development.

Congratulations to the following for successfully completing the *Basic Needs for the Superintendent* course offered by the IASA School of Professional Development: **Dr. Rebecca Nelson**, Superintendent of Skokie #69 and **Dr. Christine Schumacher**, Interim Superintendent of Des Plaines CC #62.

*** * * COOK SOUTH * * ***

Thank you to the following who participated in the 72nd *Joint Annual Conference – Lighting The Way*: **James J. Briscoe**, Superintendent of Oak Lawn Comm HS #229; **Dr. Thomas R. Long**, Assistant Superintendent/Business at Burbank #111; and **Dr. Griff E. Powell**, Interim Superintendent of Rich Twp HS #227.

Congratulations to the following for successfully completing the *Intermediate Collective Bargaining* course offered by the IASA School of Professional Development: **Dr. J. Kamala Buckner**, Superintendent of Thornton Twp HS #205 and **Dr. Michael T. Korsak**, Superintendent of Blue Island #130.

Congratulations to the following for successfully completing the *Basic Needs for the Superintendent* course offered by the IASA School of Professional Development: **Jeanne Dominik**, Superintendent of Steger #194 and **Dr. Theresa Sak**, Superintendent of Palos Heights #128.

Congratulations to **Rita Wojtylewski**, Assistant Superintendent at Orland Park #135, who successfully completed the *Organizational Management* course offered by the IASA School of Professional Development.

* * * COOK WEST * * *

Thank you to the following who participated in the 72nd Joint Annual Conference – *Lighting The Way*: **Jack Baldermann**, Superintendent of Riverside Brookfield Twp #208; **Dr. David J. Bonnette**, Superintendent of Riverside #96; **James P. Bartley** of the law firm Klein, Thorpe & Jenkins, Ltd.; **Dr. James Cunneen**, Superintendent of J. S. Morton #201; **Dr. John C. Fagan**, Superintendent of Oak Park #97; **Ares G. Dalianis**, **John A. Relias**, **Patricia J. Whitten** and **James J. Zuehl** of the law firm Franczek Sullivan, P.C.; **Lynda K. Given** of the law firm Chapman and Cutler LLP; **Susan W. Glover** and **Lorence Slutzky** of the law firm Robbins, Schwartz, Nicholas, Lifton & Taylor, Ltd.; **A. Lynn Himes** of the law firm Scariano, Himes and Petrarca; **Mary Kay Klimesh** of the law firm Seyfarth Shaw LLP; **Dr. Raymond A. Lauk**, Superintendent of Lyons #103; **Dr. Myra Sanders**, Superintendent of Westchester #92-5; **Dr. Randolph L. Tinder**, Superintendent of Forest Park #91; and **Dr. Patricia A. Wernet**, Superintendent of Berwyn South #100.

Congratulations to the following for successfully completing the *Basic Needs for the Superintendent* course offered by the IASA School of Professional Development: **John Belmont**, Superintendent of Berwyn North #98 and **Dr. Douglas Rudig**, Superintendent of Brookfield #95.

Congratulations to **Dr. John C. Fagan**, Superintendent of Oak Park #97, who successfully completed the *Organizational Management* course offered by the IASA School of Professional Development.

The IASA School of Professional Development would like to thank **Dr. James Rabbitt**, Professor at St. Xavier University, for facilitating the *Basic Needs for the Superintendent* course on November 19, 2004.

Congratulations to **Dr. Jeffrey Schleff**, Superintendent of Rhodes #84-5, who successfully completed the *Intermediate Collective Bargaining* course offered by the IASA School of Professional Development.

* * * CORN BELT * * *

Thank you to the following who participated in the 72nd Joint Annual Conference – *Lighting The Way*: **Dr. Calvin C. Jackson**, Retired Member; **Dr. Hardy Murphy, Jr.**, Superintendent of

Evanston CC #65; **Dr. Robert S. Nielsen**, Superintendent of Bloomington #87; and **Nicki Rosenbaum**, Retired Member.

Congratulations to **Dr. Larry K. Dodds**, Superintendent of Ridgeview #19, who successfully completed the *Organizational Management* course offered by the IASA School of Professional Development.

Congratulations to **Brad K. Hutchinson**, Assistant Superintendent at Olympia #16, who successfully completed the *Marketing and Public Relations* course offered by the IASA School of Professional Development.

The IASA School of Professional Development would like to thank **Dr. Ronald J. Yates**, Retired Member, for facilitating the *Organizational Management* course on November 19, 2004.

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Thank you to the following who participated in the 72nd *Joint Annual Conference – Lighting The Way*: **Dr. Lawrence M. Baskin**, Superintendent of Glen Ellyn #89; **Dr. Gary T. Catalani**, Superintendent of Wheaton #200; **Dr. G. Robb Cooper** of the law firm Ottosen, Trevarthen, Britz, Kelly & Cooper, Ltd.; **Emmert P. Dannenberg**, Marketing Director at ISDLAF+; **James O. Davis**, Sr. Vice President at PMA Securities, Inc.; **Dr. Henry A. Gmitro**, Superintendent of Community Consolidated #93; **Dr. William H. Jordan**, Superintendent of Bensenville #2; **Dr. Loren D. May**, Superintendent of Marquardt #15; **Dr. Gary M. Smit**, Retired Member; **Mary E. Summers**, Superintendent of Salt Creek #48; and **Dr. Donald E. Weber**, Vice President at PMA Financial Network, Inc.

Congratulations to **Dr. Carol J. Auer**, Superintendent of Keeneyville #20, who successfully completed the *Marketing and Public Relations* course offered by the IASA School of Professional Development.

Congratulations to **Dr. James A. Blanche**, Superintendent of Lombard #44, who successfully completed the *Basic Needs for the Superintendent* course offered by the IASA School of Professional Development.

Congratulations to **Cynthia L. Heidorn**, Superintendent of Gower #62, who successfully completed the *Organizational Management* course offered by the IASA School of Professional Development.

* * * EGYPTIAN * * *

Congratulations to the following for successfully completing the *Basic Needs for the Superintendent* course offered by the IASA School of Professional Development: **George Hopkins**, Superintendent of West Frankfort #168 and **Donald Miller**, Superintendent of Nashville #49.

* * * ILLINI * * *

Thank you to **Dr. Nick R. Osborne** who participated in the 72nd *Joint Annual Conference – Lighting The Way*.

The IASA School of Professional Development would like to thank **Dr. Guy Banicki**, Superintendent of Catlin #5, for facilitating the *Basic Needs for the Superintendent* course on November 19, 2004.

Congratulations to **Larry D. Lilly**, Superintendent of Mattoon Unit #2, who successfully completed the *Basic Needs for the Superintendent* course offered by the IASA School of Professional Development.

Effective September 1, **Dr. Carol L. Struck**, retired, is the new Interim Superintendent of Thomasboro #130. She replaces **Douglas G. Hesbol** who is the new Superintendent of Laraway #70C.

Congratulations to **Dr. Victor Zimmerman**, Superintendent of St. Joseph Ogden #305, who successfully completed the *Organizational Management* course offered by the IASA School of Professional Development.

* * * **KASKASKIA** * * *

Thank you to **Sharon H. Johnson**, Superintendent of Litchfield #12, who participated in the 72nd *Joint Annual Conference – Lighting The Way*.

* * * **KISHWAUKEE** * * *

Thank you to the following who participated in the 72nd *Joint Annual Conference – Lighting The Way*: **Dr. Kenneth M. Arndt**, Superintendent of Community Unit #300; **Dr. Barbara F. Erwin**, Superintendent of St. Charles #303; **Dr. Michael A. Jacoby**, Superintendent of Geneva Unit #304; **Dr. Connie Neale**, Superintendent of Elgin #U-46; **Karl Plank**, Retired Member; **Dr. Michael Radakovich**, Superintendent of Aurora East #131; and **Linda Rafanello**, Vice President at Harris Trust & Savings.

Congratulations to **Jack Bambrick**, Assistant Superintendent at Hononegah Comm #207, who successfully completed the *Basic Needs for the Superintendent* course offered by the IASA School of Professional Development.

Congratulations to the following for successfully completing the *Organizational Management* course offered by the IASA School of Professional Development: **Greg Buchanan**, Associate Superintendent at Woodstock #200; **Dr. Jacklyn Crosby**, Superintendent of Cary #26; **Dr. Sandra L. Thornhill**, Associate Superintendent at Cary #26; **Scott Wakeley**, Superintendent of Genoa-Kingston #424; and **Ellyn Wrzeski**, Superintendent of Woodstock #200.

Congratulations to the following for successfully completing the *Marketing and Public Relations* course offered by the IASA School of Professional Development: **Dr. Marsha Hollis Golden**, Assistant Superintendent at Oswego Comm #308; **Michael J. Houselog**, Superintendent of

North Boone #200; and **Kathleen J. Watkins**, Executive Director at the Kishwaukee Education Consortium.

The IASA School of Professional Development would like to thank **Dr. Ralph L. Marshall**, Superintendent of Hononegah Comm #207, for facilitating the *Intermediate Collective Bargaining* course on November 19, 2004.

Congratulations to **Dr. Dennis L. Thompson**, Superintendent of Rockford #205, who successfully completed the *Basic Needs for the Superintendent* course offered by the IASA School of Professional Development.

*** * * LAKE * * ***

Thank you to the following who participated in the 72nd *Joint Annual Conference – Lighting The Way*: **Dr. Dennis R. Conti**, Superintendent of Woodland #50; **Dr. Jon L. Mink**, Superintendent of Aptakisic-Tripp #102; **Dr. Douglas Parks**, Retired Member; and **Patrick G. Patt**, Retired Member.

Congratulations to **Larry Hewitt**, Superintendent of Oak Grove #68, who successfully completed the *Organizational Management* course offered by the IASA School of Professional Development.

The IASA School of Professional Development would like to thank **Dr. Larry K. Fleming**, Superintendent of Lincolnshire-Prairieview #103, for facilitating the *Marketing and Public Relations* course on November 19, 2004.

*** * * NORTHWEST * * ***

Thank you to the following who participated in the 72nd *Joint Annual Conference – Lighting The Way*: **Mary A. Bush**, Superintendent of Mt. Carroll Comm #304; **Dr. Theodore L. Bradshaw**, Superintendent of Thomson Comm #301; **Dr. Dennis D. Dunton**, Superintendent of Galena #120; **Dr. Edward L. Olds, III**, Retired Member; **Dr. Donald L. Kussmaul**, Retired Member and President of the American Association of School Administrators; **Paul A. Seymour**, Retired Member; and **Lowell Taylor**, Superintendent of Forrestville Valley #221.

Congratulations to **James L. Brown**, Superintendent of Dixon #170, who successfully completed the *Organizational Management* course offered by the IASA School of Professional Development.

Congratulations to the following for successfully completing the *Marketing and Public Relations* course offered by the IASA School of Professional Development: **Dr. Brett S. Gayer**, Superintendent of Montmorency #145 and **Marcey Bolin King**, Superintendent of Ashton-Franklin Center CU #275.

Congratulations to **Todd Prusator**, Superintendent of Oregon #220, who successfully completed the *Basic Needs for the Superintendent* course offered by the IASA School of Professional Development.

*** * * SHAWNEE * * ***

Thank you to the following who participated in the 72nd *Joint Annual Conference – Lighting The Way*: **Dr. Thomas K. Oates**, Retired Member; and **Dr. Marleis Trover**, Superintendent of Vienna #13-3.

The IASA School of Professional Development would like to thank **Dr. Marleis Trover**, Superintendent of Vienna #13-3, for facilitating the *Basic Needs for the Superintendent* course on November 19, 2004.

*** * * SOUTHWESTERN * * ***

Thank you to the following who participated in the 72nd *Joint Annual Conference – Lighting The Way*: **James Burgett**, Retired Member; **Merry C. Rhoades** of the law firm Tueth, Keeney, Cooper, Mohan & Jackstadt, P.C.; **Dr. James T. Rosborg**, Superintendent of Belleville #118; and **Darrell L. Sy**, Superintendent of Pontiac-W Holliday #105.

Congratulations to the following for successfully completing the *Marketing and Public Relations* course offered by the IASA School of Professional Development: **Dr. Dennis Craft**, Superintendent of Collinsville #10 and **Dr. Sandra Schroeder**, Superintendent of Madison Comm #12.

The IASA School of Professional Development would like to thank **Dr. Rob R. Hawkins**, Superintendent of Freeburg #70, for facilitating the *Marketing and Public Relations* course on November 19, 2004.

Congratulations to **Julie L. Miller**, Director of Curriculum at Collinsville #10, who successfully completed the *Basic Needs for the Superintendent* course offered by the IASA School of Professional Development.

The IASA School of Professional Development would like to thank **Dr. James T. Rosborg**, Superintendent of Belleville #118, for facilitating the *Basic Needs for the Superintendent* course on November 19, 2004.

*** * * STARVED ROCK * * ***

Thank you to the following who participated in the 72nd *Joint Annual Conference – Lighting The Way*: **Dr. Henry Boer**, Retired Member; and **Dr. Laurel A. Walker**, Superintendent of Leland Comm #1.

Congratulations to **Herman E. Ahlfield**, Superintendent of Marseilles #150, who successfully completed the *Organizational Management* course offered by the IASA School of Professional Development.

Congratulations to **Christine M. Benson**, Superintendent of Ottawa #141, who successfully completed the *Intermediate Collective Bargaining* course offered by the IASA School of Professional Development.

Congratulations to **Jeff Prusator**, Superintendent of Mendota Twp #280, who successfully completed the *Basic Needs for the Superintendent* course offered by the IASA School of Professional Development.

Congratulations to **Kirby N. Rodgers**, Superintendent of Midland #7, who successfully completed the *Marketing and Public Relations* course offered by the IASA School of Professional Development.

*** * * THREE RIVERS * * ***

Thank you to the following who participated in the 72nd *Joint Annual Conference – Lighting The Way*: **Vicki Hensley**, Assistant Regional Superintendent at ROE #32; **Dr. George M. Kohut**, Superintendent of Lisbon Comm #90; **Thomas F. Leahy**, Superintendent of Quincy #172; **Dr. Kay M. Pangle**, Regional Superintendent of ROE #32; **Anthony Jay Plese**, Superintendent of Wilmington #209U; and **Roger Sanders**, Superintendent of Newark Comm #18.

Congratulations to the following for successfully completing the *Marketing and Public Relations* course offered by the IASA School of Professional Development: **Howard Butters**, Superintendent of Manhattan #114 and **Keith R. Pain**, Superintendent of Summit Hill #161.

Congratulations to **John Harper**, Superintendent of Plainfield #202, who successfully completed the *Organizational Management* course offered by the IASA School of Professional Development.

Congratulations to **Kathleen Hickey**, Superintendent of St. Anne Comm #302, who successfully completed the *Basic Needs for the Superintendent* course offered by the IASA School of Professional Development.

The IASA School of Professional Development would like to thank **Dr. George Kohut**, Superintendent of Lisbon Comm #90, for facilitating the *Intermediate Collective Bargaining* course on November 19, 2004.

Congratulations to **Dr. Phillip A. Smith**, Superintendent of Momence Comm #1, who successfully completed the *Intermediate Collective Bargaining* course offered by the IASA School of Professional Development.

*** * * TWO RIVERS * * ***

Thank you to the following who participated in the 72nd Joint Annual Conference – *Lighting The Way*: **Dr. Gary J. Allison**, Superintendent of Jacksonville #117; **Michael Barry**, Superintendent of Carrollton #1; and **Michael A. Lane**, Superintendent of Virginia Unit #64.

Congratulations to **Raymond Scheiter**, Regional Superintendent at ROE #1, who successfully completed the *Organizational Management* course offered by the IASA School of Professional Development.

* * * **WABASH VALLEY** * * *

Thank you to the following who participated in the 72nd Joint Annual Conference – *Lighting The Way*: **Roger L. Eddy**, Superintendent of Hutsonville #1;

Effective November 16, **Grover C. Burkett**, retired, is the new Interim Superintendent of Edwards County #1. He replaces **Patricia Healy**.

Congratulations to **Dan Niemerg**, Superintendent of Dieterich Comm #30, who successfully completed the *Basic Needs for the Superintendent* course offered by the IASA School of Professional Development.

* * * **WESTERN** * * *

Thank you to the following who participated in the 72nd Joint Annual Conference – *Lighting The Way*: **Dr. Robert Hall**, Professor at Western Illinois University; **Dr. Frances B. Karanovich**, Superintendent of Macomb Comm #185; **Charles D. Langley**, Superintendent of Dallas City #336; **Dr. Neil E. Sappington**, Superintendent of Galesburg #205; **Dr. Janice M. Spears**, Superintendent of Fulton County Comm #3; and **Kent H. Young**, Superintendent of Nauvoo-Colusa #325.

Congratulations to **Dr. Frances B. Karanovich**, Superintendent of Macomb Comm #185, who successfully completed the *Intermediate Collective Bargaining* course offered by the IASA School of Professional Development.

Congratulations to **Kim Schilson**, Superintendent of Warsaw Comm #316, who successfully completed the *Basic Needs for the Superintendent* course offered by the IASA School of Professional Development.