



EACC Site Meeting Agenda (December ?, 2015)

What was discussed at the EACC Representative Assembly last time? (8 minutes)

- Jake Zebley, 2015 Cecil County Teacher of the Year, was our guest at the RA to speak to us briefly. He is running for NEA Director in the MSEA elections in the spring.
- The nominations for **Ruth Ann Hall Champion Student Recognition** for middle school students will open December 1, 2015. This award is intended to recognize students who have worked hard, despite having some difficulties, and who have persevered. Please nominate students who have shown improvement in the areas such as attendance, good citizenship, excellent effort or other related academic reasons. There may be multiple nominations per middle school (and we encourage that). Nominations are due Friday, January 29, 2016.
- **“Less Testing, More Learning” Town Hall**- The EACC Public Relations Committee is sponsoring a Public Town Hall to discuss testing issues. The Town Hall is open to anyone who wishes to attend (teachers, parents, students, etc.). The Town Hall is on December 17, 2015, from 6-8PM, in the Thomas Stone High School Auditorium. Please RSVP at <http://bit.ly/eacctownhall>
- **Print Shop** – Please continue to let the EACC rep/s know of print shop issues/concerns so that we can get them addressed.
- **Early Dismissal Days** – Unit I employees are allowed to work from an alternate location. You are only required to tell the administration if you are working off-site; you are not required to tell them where you are working. If you plan to a whole day of leave on an ED day, you are required to report a full day of leave (7.5 hours) and not subtract the 2 hours of planning time. If you plan to take a half-day of leave (PM), you are required report a half-day of leave (3.75 hours) and not subtract the 2 hours of planning time.
- **The EACC is sponsoring some financial workshops to help members at all stages of their careers :**
 - “Saving for Retirement” (for new and mid-career teachers), Tuesday, 2/23/16, 5:00-6:30 PM, Stoddert MS Cafeteria. ****date change****
 - “Understanding your Retirement”(for teachers within 5 years of retirement), Thursday, 3/31/2016, 5:00-6:30 PM, Stoddert MS Cafeteria. ****date change****

Sick Leave Exchange Donations Needed... Please consider donating:

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| • Jennifer Toone – North Point | • Jen Summers – Jenifer |
| • Aryn D. Dobbins - Lackey | • Marie Burgess- Westlake |
| • Tara Warker – Barnhart | • Angela Juracko – Mt Hope |
| • Shelby Boley - Barnhart | • Brenda Wesley – Stoddert |
| • Chelsea Pogar- Gwynn | • Judith Vecchio - Westlake |
| • Sheila Wise – Stone | |

An EACC victory you should be proud of is: (1 minute) In November, the Board of Education held a Teacher Town Hall to hear the concerns of teachers. It was an open discussion where the teachers present could speak openly about their concerns, and their voices could be heard. The discussion was frank and honest, with passionate testimonials from new and veteran teachers alike. It was a positive environment where teachers could share their experiences and concerns with the Board directly. Many of our members came forward to advocate for themselves and their professions.

Please feel free to share any positive occurrences, outcomes, etc. that have happened at your site or within CCPS below.

**Time’s up! We told you we could do it in 10 minutes!
Don’t forget to leave your questions and suggestions with your building rep. before leaving.**

(Tear on the dotted line, complete slip below, and leave it on your way out the door.)

Name: _____ Site: _____

Questions, Concerns, Suggestions and/or something positive that has happened at your site or within CCPS:
