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NEA RA Is In Minneapolis June 30 - July 5



The National Education Association (NEA) Representative Assembly (RA) will be in Minneapolis, Minnesota **June 30 through July 5**. This is the annual meeting of all the state affiliates including the California Teachers Association (CTA).

The State Declaration of Candidacy Form is in the December-January issue of the California Educator (**Due to CTA Wednesday, January 31.**)

The local Declaration of Candidacy Form is on the reverse side of this *Contact*. (**Due to the MTA office Friday, January 26 no later than 3 p.m.**)

All members of the Association are eligible to submit Declarations. Both the Local and State Declaration forms are available at **MontebelloTeachers.org**.

Draft Calendars Available On-Line 2018-2019, 2019-2020 & 2020-2021

The Calendar Committee has agreed to calendars for three consecutive school years: 2018-2019, 2019-2020, and 2020-2021. The Committee includes District and CSEA representatives.

The Calendar Committee was successful in negotiating multi-year agreements to aid in professional and personal planning.

The calendars are available for review on MontebelloTeachers.org.

Council was presented the calendars at the Tuesday, December 19 meeting. The calendars have been on-line since Wednesday, December 20. Council will vote on the calendars Tuesday, January 23. The Board of Education is expected to approve the calendar package at the February 1 meeting.

Questions and concerns can be directed to Calendar@MontebelloTeachers.org



Calendar Committee Members: Jessica Zwaal (MAI), Elizabeth Kocharian (BGH), Alma Orta (SUE), Adrianna Rodriguez (MPE Head Start) and Jaime Quintero (FPA).

DUTIES OF DELEGATES TO THE NEA REPRESENTATIVE ASSEMBLY

1. Each delegate will be expected to arrive in **Minneapolis, MN** in time to insure registering as an official delegate to the Representative Assembly (RA) with both the California delegation and the NEA.
2. Each delegate will be expected to attend all caucuses of the California delegation. Normally the caucus begins at 7:00 a.m. daily. Delegates must be registered with the California delegation to participate in the caucus. Delegates are expected to remain through the convention.
3. Each delegate shall attend all business meetings of the R.A.
4. Each delegate is strongly encouraged to attend NEA Budget Committee hearings, Resolutions Committee hearings, Bylaw Committee hearings, speeches by prominent national figures, etc.
5. Each delegate should take into consideration MTA Council policy when voting.
6. Each delegate is encouraged to participate fully in all activities of the California delegation.
7. Each delegate, state and chapter, will be expected to sit with his or her Service Center Council delegation on the RA floor or to inform the appropriate person where he or she will be seated. This is to insure communication regarding RA business and/or personal emergency information of concern to the delegate, as well as to verify attendance.

I understand that, as a delegate of the Montebello Teachers Association, my attendance is being directly funded by membership dues. I hereby, accept my responsibility to carry out the above all of the above specified duties.

Signature

Date

MONTEBELLO TEACHERS ASSOCIATION NEA-RA DECLARATION OF CANDIDACY

2018 NEA-RA CONVENTION MINNEAPOLIS, MN
ANY NEA MEMBER IS ELIGIBLE TO SEEK A DELEGATE POSITION

First Name

Last Name

Home Address

Apt. #

City

State

Zip

Home Phone

Cell Phone

School Site

Ext.

Non-MUSD Email Address

TERM:

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One Year

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Two Year

I will declare candidacy for a State Delegate position.

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YES

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NO

Completed declaration of candidacy form due

Friday, January 26, 2017 by 3:00 PM.

This form must be completed in full and signed. Incomplete forms will be considered invalid.

Fax to: (323) 722-0543 or email to: mta@montebelloteachers.org.

You may also US Mail or deliver to:

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