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NEOE-R Email Bulletin Blast for Monday August 22

OEA-Retired Fall Conference – Register Now

Tuesday, September 6, 2022 9:30 AM—2:45 PM at OEA Headquarters, Columbus. The Theme for 2022-2023: Relevance, Engagement, and Visibility (R.E.V.). Pick three of four sessions: Mental Wellbeing by Building Resilience—De Lena P. Scales MPA, TRCC II, Neighborhood Program Specialist, Department of Neighborhoods, Columbus Public Health and Kristen Hicks, LISW, TRCC, CTRP-C, Owner of Seasons Counseling & Consulting, LLC; OEA-R Opportunities for an Active Retirement—Mary Binegar, OEA-R Chair and Makia Burns, OEA Organizer; Physical Wellbeing Through Movement—Janine Harris, Degitz M.S., TRCC – II
What I Want My Loved Ones to Know—Guy Kendall-Freas, NEA Member Benefits.
Download Registration form: OEA-R 2022 Fall Conference registration form
\$25 registration fee. Register by August 30 with Cvent: <https://web.cvent.com/event/4ec6ccdc-6243-44fd-8f70-978972d9e746/> summary.

KSEA Mentoring – Volunteers Needed

By Beryl M Burkle, NEOEA-R Organizing Committee
We have been invited back to KSEA for our 14th year to Mentor students. We are very proud that the President of KSEA has been one of our Mentees for 3 years. President Eleni Karakostas will be this year's President. She will have her first meeting at Kent on September 5th and invite students to sign up to be Mentees. They will let us know what their major is and concentrations, first and last name, addresses at school and at home with city/state/zip code, and email. The last two years we have mentored virtually by computer, phone, and FaceTime. This has worked very well and has been successful. We do not need to go to Kent to mentor. Remember you are their professional FRIEND. When in college I'm sure we all wished we had someone to talk to that would help us with our education! We don't give grades, we just give good advice. Ours is the only Retired Mentoring Program that has survived in the state. We will match you with students you can help. Please join us this year. We need YOU! Please send me an email at berylburkle@gmail.com that tells me that you will be a mentor this year. I would like to start the program by October. If you have never mentored you can call me on my phone after 10:00 in the morning and ask questions. Call me at 330-659-3928 and leave a message and number if you don't hear my charming voice. Yes, we need you! It only takes a little time. YES, send me an email that says "YES" I can do it.

Retired POP5 – Protect Our Pensions

OEA Report—Lavezzi Analysis

It's that time of year again. Many members have again received a solicitation from an organization called Protect Our Pensions, also known as POP5. OEA and OEA Retired want you to know that while there does not appear to be any inherent conflict between the stated goals of POP5 and OEA, it is important to note that there is nothing that POP5 is seeking to accomplish that OEA and our allies are not already working on.

Download the POP5 - OEA Report: <http://neoea-r.ohea.us/files/2017/09/POP5-OEA-Report.pdf>.

For an in depth analysis check this October 2020 post from former NEOEA Executive Director, Bill Lavezzi: <https://lavezzi.us/education/a-parliamentarian-looks-at-pop/>.

OEA-Retired Delegates to the OEA Representative Assembly

If you wish to be a candidate for OEA-Retired delegate to the OEA Representative Assembly, you must file a Declaration of Candidacy form by September 20, 2022. Contact William Baird at OEA (800) 282-1500 or (614) 227-3169 for more information. You may download the form at: <http://oea-r.ohea.us/page/election-information/>.

OEA-R Delegates also attend the OEA-R Delegate Assembly prior to each OEA Representative assembly. OEA-R Delegates from NEOEA also attend the NEOEA Representative Assemblies.

OEA-Retired Advisory Council Vacancies

There are two vacancies on the OEA-R Advisory Council that are open to NEOEA-R members:

Educational Support Professional – OEA-Retired Advisory Council Representative; (Term ending July 14, 2025)

Higher Education – OEA-Retired Advisory Council Representative; (Term ending July 14, 2023)

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