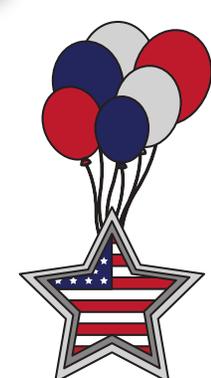




The CNTA CONNECTION

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HEY YOU! WHAT'S NEW? *A little Presidential Rest for All*

February... the month of chocolate hearts, cupid's arrow and 3-day weekends to honor US Presidents of the past. It's has also been a productive month in the CNTA office. We are in full swing preparing for Spring Bargaining, finishing up MOU's (TK/Kinder, Online Summer School and 2019-20 Compensation), and assisting our members with their questions, concerns and needs. This past 3-day weekend, my 6 year old daughter joked that we got the day off because I was the CNTA President. Though I can only aspire to make even a teen, tiny, fraction of the impact the US Presidents have made for our country; I am thankful for the work I get to do with CNTA Members (and for a much needed day off). Hope this newsletter finds you a little more rested and recharged as well! Please be sure to read those emails as we bargain this Spring and reach out to us with any questions or concerns.



-Chris Rodriguez



GOOD NEWS!! \$\$\$\$ MOU

Following the Governor's Budget and Bargaining in Spring 2019, additional funding was legislated (Trailer Bills). This created available bargainable funds within the CNUSD budget. CNTA Leadership/Negotiations Team were able to secure the following for our Members:

1. **Retro to July 1, 2019, additional \$350 toward their annual health benefit district contribution (appeared on end of Jan 2020 paycheck).**
2. **Additionally, Members will receive a one-time 1% of their salary payout on March 13th.**
3. **There is contingency language that any of the 1% "Trailer Bill Money" that proves to be ongoing following this year will be given to CNTA Members.**



Salary & Benefits

One time Payout for Salary !
1% on March 13th

Benefits increase!
\$350 per year has been added to the Fringe



Single	\$7,550
2 Party	\$8,300
Family	\$9,470

Welcome CNTA Permanent Educators

CNTA Executive Board had a terrific time serving dinner and honoring our CNTA Members that reached Permanent Status!



Those first few years in the district can be tough and we are so thankful to have some truly terrific Educators join our permanent CNTA ranks! We look forward to seeing you again soon and hope you will find a place to get involved in some of our CNTA Committees or becoming Site Reps of the future.

Thank you to our Executive Officers that came out to serve and to our Members and guests that made the evening an amazing celebration!

CONGRATULATIONS!!!!

FAMILY MOVIE MORNING!!

Your Mission: Have CNTA Fun!

Who: YOU & your Family!



What: Come See Mulan at the Dos Lagos Cinemas, April 11th at 11:30am. Tickets are on us!

How: Space is limited, so please use the link below to RSVP for you and your immediate family members (those living with you) for the event:



<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/FMM>

Important Dates!!

February 18th- Rep Council, 4pm (All Site Reps and Members)

March 17, 2020- Rep Council 4pm (All Site Reps and Members)

April 11th- Family Movie Morning!! MUST Register to Attend

April 21st Rep Council, 4pm (All Site Reps and Members)



Contact Information

We are committed to serving our members and want to provide answers to your questions quickly. Since we are in and out of meetings with Members, sometimes email is a more expeditious way to get an answer to your question.

Please reach out to us anytime!

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