Washington Teachers' Union Local 6, American Federation of Teachers AFL-CIO



First General Membership Meeting and Open Enrollment Fair

Welcome Back, Members!

September 13, 2016, 4:30pm – 6:30pm McKinley Technology High School **Elizabeth A. Davis, President**

- □ Call to Order
- □Introduction to New Executive Board
- □Opening Remarks: Welcome, New WTU Members (482 Joined July 31-Aug 11)!
- □ Thanks to Our Partners for Refreshments!

Ades & Associates, Kaiser Permanente, SF&C Insurance, United Healthcare, Wells Fargo

- **□Open Enrollment Ends on Friday!**
 - **■** Enroll Today: Dental, Vision, Leave Banks
 - □ Dependent Verification Information Due at Time of Enrollment (no later than Friday, September 16)
 - ☐ Benefits effective on October 1, 2016
 - □ Dental cards on the way; Vision cards not issued
 - ☐ See Jasmine Wright: jwright@wtulocal6.net

- □ Committee/Task Force Reports
 - COPE, Laura Fuchs and Jacqueline Hines
 - ☐ State Board of Education (SBOE) Endorsement Process in Progress
 - □ Next Round of SBOE Interviews on Monday, September 19, 5:30 pm@WTU Office
 - □ All Members Invited!



SBOE Candidates September 13, 2016

- At Large
 - Ashley Carter
 - Tony Donaldson, Jr.
 - Mary Lord
- □ Ward 2
 - Carrie Bachner
 - Jack Jacobson
- Ward 4
 - Jaclyn Smith
 - Lanette Woodruff

- Ward 7
 - Marla Dean: Dorothy Douglas:
 - Karen Williams
- □ Ward 8
 - Markus Batchelor
 - Shakira Hemphill
 - Tierra Jolly



- WTU FY17 Budget, Jacqueline Hines, WTU Treasurer (Budget in Packet)
- WTU Chancellor Search Task Force, Jacqueline Pogue Lyons, General Vice President
 - New Task Force has 25+ Active Members Involved!
 - Next Community Forum- TOMORROW@Savoy, 6:30 pm
 - □ WTU Chancellor Search Survey 350+ Responses (Review Key Qualities from Our Members Survey Results in Packet)
 - □ Read WTUs Position (Flyer and Informer Article in Packet)

- **WTU Fall PD Classes Still Available!**
 - □ Register TODAY with Your Credit Card @wtulocal6.org
 - ☐ FREE Course for New Full Dues Members!
 - ☐ First Class Begins September 20th!
- Join the Walk-ins Across the Country, 10/6
 - WTU Seeking One Partnership School (See Packet)
 - □ Free Swag and Goodies for the School Community!
 - ☐ Interested? Email: <u>dialogue@wtulocal6.net</u>

Special Guest Presentation September 13, 2016

The Every Student Succeeds Act (ESSA)

Presented by:

DC Office of the State Superintendent of Education (OSSE) and DC State Board of Education (SBOE)



Special Guest Presentation September 13, 2016

LEAP

Presented by Maggie Thomas

DCPS, Chief of Staff, Instructional Practice



□President's Report

- Legal Updates (Grievances in Packet)
 - WTU Filed Class Action Grievance on LEAP
 - WTU Filed Class Action & 100+ Individual IMPACT Grievances
- Outstanding Local School Elections
 - □ Union Representation is TOP Priority for Every School!
 - ☐ Field Representatives Available to Conduct Elections (See Packet)
- Contract Update
- Contract Action and Member Mobilization



- Save-the-Dates!
 - Back-to-School ULI & Make-up Training
 - Designed for Extended Year Schools, All Leaders Invited
 - Saturday, September 24th@Kellogg Conference Center, 8am-5pm
 - □ Regional Meetings begin in October, Every 4th Tues.
 - Deal- Meet with Devin Nixon
 - Moore- Meet with Rejil Solis
 - Simon- Meet with Charles Moore
 - Whittier- Meet with Jacqueline Pogue Lyons



Open Forum for Questions & Answers





Questions/Concerns/Ideas?? We're Here to Support You!



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One Union, One Voice! Solidarity Forever!

Thanks for your support and commitment!

Elizabeth A. Davis, President