

REDWOOD EDUCATORS CONFERENCE 2017

April 21-22, 2017

SPECIAL GUEST: CTA VP THERESA MONTAÑO

REGISTRATION FORM

Chapter Name: _____

Name: _____ CTA Membership #: _____

Address: _____ City: _____ Zip: _____

Telephone w/Area Code (h) _____ (c) _____

Email (Personal Preferred): _____

Miles from Home to Hotel (one-way): _____ (Reimbursement for 50 miles or more one way)

*****REGISTRATION WILL BEGIN AT 3:00 P.M. ON FRIDAY, APRIL 21, 2017*****

I PLAN TO ATTEND

- Friday Night Reception/Dinner & Saturday Sessions Saturday Sessions Only
 Treasurers Training 12 – 3 pm Saturday Including PAC Includes Lunch

SPECIAL NEEDS

Vegetarian Other Dietary Needs _____

I WILL NEED A ROOM FOR FRIDAY NIGHT (Double occupancy included in registration fee)

I will room with _____ (name of roommate)

Please assign me a roommate:

I prefer a (check one):

Female Roommate Male Roommate No Preference

I would like a single room and will pay a supplement of \$65

Registration deposit (includes workshops, double occupancy and meals)	**	\$60	
<input type="checkbox"/> Single Room Supplement (\$65 – use separate check), non-refundable			\$65
Total Amount Enclosed: (Payable to RSCC)		\$ _____	\$ _____

****NOTE:** When you attend the conference, your registration deposit of \$60 will be refunded. The \$60 deposit will be forfeited if you do not attend or cancel after the March 11, 2017 deadline.

Return by mail with check (s) payable to RSCC:

CTA/Redwood Educators Conference, 4300 Redwood Hwy, Suite 200, San Rafael, CA 94903

RESERVATION SECURED ONLY WHEN THIS FORM IS RECEIVED WITH PAYMENT.

RESERVATION MUST BE RECEIVED BY SATURDAY, MARCH 11, 2017

CONFERENCE SESSION DESCRIPTIONS

Education Support Professionals (ESP): Meeting the Needs of the Whole Student

Learn about the critical role Educational Support Professionals play in keeping students healthy, safe, engaged, supported, and challenged – the five tenets of the ASCD whole child approach. Whether you are a classified or a certificated employee, this session addressing issues of importance to ESP members will surely strike a chord. Everyone gains when we work together to address concerns and many of those concerns will overlap. Please join us.

Meeting the Local Control Challenge: Setting the Agenda through LCAP

This session will review the Local Control Accountability Plan (LCAP) components and purposes and focus on how educators can select, develop and advocate for the programs and priorities important to improving teaching and learning. Hear updates on what's new in 2017 and consider the impact for your work with students, colleagues, district administration and community allies.

More Month than Money: Understanding Personal Financial Management (NEA Member Benefits)

This session focuses on setting financial goals, learning about various investment vehicles, tracking daily expenditures, creating a cash flow statement, and establishing a budget.

Stressed

Learn helpful tips for managing stress in all aspects of your daily life. Discover how life changes and your behavior impact your stress level.

Legal Rights & Remedies

This session will introduce various rights and duties for members dealing with students, parents, and administrators including employment, academic freedom and school safety topics. The elements of unlawful employer bargaining behavior, member representation rights, possible discrimination based on members' union activity, and avoidance of waiving rights under the collective bargaining law will be discussed.

Electronic Voting

This elective session will describe and inform local chapter presidents and Service Center Council Chairs of their roles and responsibilities regarding local and council elections. Included will be basic information regarding voting methods, which will now include the option of electronic/online voting. Orientation on how to utilize the CTA approved vendors will be part of the training.

CTA/NEA Member Benefits for You, Your Family, and Your Career

Learn about your numerous exclusive Member Benefits, just one of the advantages of your association membership.

How CTA Can Help You Plan for a Dignified Retirement with 403(b) and 457 Plans

CTA Member Benefits will explain the importance of supplementing your pension benefits and provide an introduction to several basic retirement investment principles. The session will cover 403(b) and 457 plans, product offerings, and plan fee information.

Grievance

Learn the Roles & Responsibilities of Officers & Reps in processing grievances, Duty of Fair Representation and alternatives to grievance.

Classification, Layoff and Rehire (A Non-Trivial Pursuit)

Learn the Ins & Outs of Employment Classifications and how they factor in the lay-off and rehire process.

Membership Engagement - Work Smarter, Not Harder & Have Fun!

Membership Engagement is an essential function for chapters, and it is accomplished in a variety of ways: site socials, rep council recognitions, local mixers and get-togethers held with your local and school board members. This session will provide local leaders the opportunity to set a membership engagement goal for their chapter and encourage discussion and sharing of experiences.

Technology/Communication

This interactive session will present how local chapters are using "e-organizing" to communicate on a variety of issues including advocacy organizing campaigns. Participants will share strategies, gadgets, apps, tools and resources to save time, gain efficiency, connect with others and have fun in the process. We encourage you to bring your technology tools with you so others can add to their digital toolbox.