

Executive Director Thoughts: AASPA gives school personnel administrators the information and resources they need to become influential advocates for their schools, staff and students. With our current advocacy program, we have been able to participate and contribute in conversations about current and future federal legislation affecting school personnel administrators. As State Affiliate leaders, I want to make sure you are aware of the work being done by your AASPA leadership and the Legislative and Governmental Committee. Below is information on a recently reintroduced legislative bill supported by AASPA. The EDUCATORS for America Act is essential for retaining, growing and diversifying our educator workforce and pipeline. Please feel free to share this Legislative Brief with your state members and encourage them to contact their member of Congress and Senators.

https://assets.noviams.com/novi-fileuploads/aaspa/Legislative Brief May 2023.pdf

State Leaders Retreat/Day on the Hill: Registration for the 2023 State Leaders Retreat and Day on the Hill, scheduled for July 10-11 in Washington, DC, is open. This event is free to attend and is open to AASPA state affiliate Presidents, President-elects, Past-presidents and Executive Directors. You may attend one or both days and will be responsible for travel and hotel rooms. To register go to https://www.aaspa.org/events/july-2023-state-leaders-retreat

pHCLE Training: We have announced an upcoming opportunity to participate in a pHCLE Blended Learning Cohort, June 21-22 in Phoenix, AZ. Like the virtual options, the Blended Cohort prepares participants to become a Certified Professional Human Capital Leader in Education (pHCLE). For more information go to: https://www.aaspa.org/phcle-20-virtual-cohort

Upcoming AASPA events:

AASPA's Personnel Administrator Summer Boot Camp is a little over a week away! We currently have 102 attendees registered to join us June 15-16, 2023 in Kansas City, MO. There's still time to register at <u>https://www.aaspa.org/events/june-2023-boot-camp</u>. This is an event you won't want to miss!

Can't join us in person? Join us virtually at **AASPA's Virtual August Boot Camp** scheduled for August 17-18! Registration is now open at https://www.aaspa.org/events/2023-august-virtual-boot-camp

AASPA's 85th Annual Conference is only 122 days away and exciting things are coming together! Join us October 3-6, 2023 in Anaheim, CA as we **Power Up!** We currently have 190 attendees registered. This is 58 more registrants than we had at this time last year. In addition, we received over 100 proposals for our clinic and ignite sessions, breaking presentation proposal records. Our conference website, <u>www.aaspaconference.com</u>, is full of valuable information including links to hotel registration, pre-conference descriptions and

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much more. Stay tuned for more information and updates! Go to <u>https://www.aaspa.org/events/2023-annual-conference</u> to register.

Mark your calendars and save the date for these upcoming events. <u>Registrations and hotel information will be coming soon!</u>

- **AASPA's Human Capital Leadership Summit** is scheduled for November 30-December 1, 2023 in Tucson, AZ.
- AASPA's 2024 Personnel Administrator Winter Boot Camp is scheduled for January 25-26, 2024 in Jacksonville, FL.
- AASPA's 2024 Diversity, Equity & Inclusion Summit is scheduled for April 18-19, 2024 in Dallas, TX.
- AASPA's 2024 Personnel Administrator Summer Boot Camp is scheduled for June 13-14, 2024 in Charlotte, NC.

Books of the Month: We are offering **NEW** books this month on the topic of Employee Engagement.

- Beyond Happiness How Authentic Leaders Prioritize Purpose and People for Growth and Impact "NEW"
- The Dream Manager "NEW"
- The 5 Languages of Appreciation in the Workplace
- Your First Year. How to Survive and Thrive as a New Teacher.

Don't delay and pick up your copies today at https://www.aaspa.org/products/featured-books.

Upcoming Webinars:

- <u>The State of Substitute Teaching: 2023-24 Strategic Planning –</u> <u>Part 2</u> – June 6/1:00 pm
- <u>Supporting Compliance in Special Education</u> June 13/1:00 pm
- Great Questions are the Key to Sustainable Talent June 27/11:00 am

Register today at: https://www.aaspa.org/upcoming-webinars

Membership Update as of 6/2/23:

- 1,566 Active
- 34 Retired
- 175 Support Staff
- 88 Business

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- 257 Institutional Primary
- 730 Institutional Associate 32 Honorary
- 292 Institutional Associate Extra

Total: 3,208