



LEA *Express*

May 21, 2008

A weekly compilation of Association news, minutes, upcoming events and tips for LEA Members.

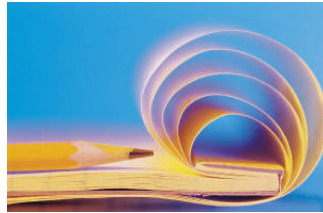
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LEA Board Minutes



Click on the following link to read the LEA Board Minutes.

<http://www.lincolneducationassociation.org/MinutesLEABoard.html>

The LEA Board of Directors is made up of twelve LEA members elected by their peers. The Executive Committee of the Board consists of the President, Vice President, and Secretary-Treasurer. In addition to the Executive Committee, there are three elementary representatives, one middle level representative, two high school representatives and three at-large representatives. The Board meets at the LEA Office twice a month during the school year and once per month during the summer. Members are always encouraged to come and observe.

LEA Tidbits



- ✓ **LEA-Retired Garage Sale**
- ✓ **Lincoln Saltdogs Event – Friday, August 15th, 7:05 p.m.**
- ✓ **Professional Growth Points**

LEA-Retired Garage Sale

The LEA-Retired Members are hosting their annual garage sale on May 29, 30, and 31 at Rita Coyle's home, 1911 Greenbriar Lane, Lincoln. Proceeds from the garage sale support the LEA-Retired Scholarships.

Donations are also being accepted for the garage sale ... contact Wauneta Peterson at 483-1649.

Lincoln Saltdogs Event – Friday, August 15th, 7:05 p.m.

Mark your calendars! On **Friday, August 15th** ... LEA is kicking off the beginning of the school year by sponsoring the fifth annual night at the Lincoln Saltdogs baseball game. We hope you, your family and friends will take part in this event. Tickets must be purchased in advance by contacting the LEA Office.

*Ticket orders/payments received by **Friday, August 8th**
will be entered in early bird drawings!*

Register and pay for your tickets by Thursday, August 13th.

Click on the following link to download the reservation form.
<http://www.lincolneducationassociation.org/LEADiscounts.html>

Professional Growth Points

Tenured certificated employees are required by law to give evidence of professional growth during the Professional Growth Period of six years. LEA FRs and Board members can claim the professional work of the Association. Acceptable work may include: serving as officers, serving on committees, attending national or regional conventions or conferences or other work of a professional character. Five hours of time spent in professional education service will entitle the applicant to two points. (Time spent typing reports, collecting dues, telephoning or other routine or clerical services do not come within the intent and purpose of the law for professional growth credit.)

Below are the times for the FR Council meetings, Board meetings, ProCom meetings and Negotiations meetings. Add the hours of those meetings you attended, divide by 5, then multiply by 2, to find your professional growth points. The same procedure can be used for attendance at DA or RA and for participation in LEA committees and LEA workshops.

FR Council met the following times:

8/20/07	3.00 hours
9/20/07	1.25 hours
10/18/07	1.50 hours
11/15/07	1.20 hours
12/20/07	1.10 hours
1/17/08	0.75 hours
2/21/08	1.20 hours
3/13/08	0.80 hours
4/17/08	1.20 hours
5/15/08	1.50 hours

Total 13.5 hours or 5.4 points for attendance at all meetings

LEA Board met the following times

6/22/07	1.17 hours
7/11/07	4.00 hours
8/9/07	3.92 hours
9/19/07	1.90 hours
10/1/07	1.80 hours
10/15/07	1.00 hours
11/5/07	0.60 hours

11/19/07	0.80 hours
12/17/07	1.50 hours
1/07/08	1.67 hours
2/04/08	2.35 hours
2/18/08	2.72 hours
3/03/08	3.02 hours
3/17/08	2.67hours
4/07/08	0.82 hours
5/05/08	2.13 hours
5/19/08	0.75 hours

Total **32.82 hours or 13.13 points for attendance at all meetings**

ProCom met the following times:

09/26/07	0.82 hours
10/04/07	3.00 hours
11/01/07	2.75 hours
12/18/07	4.50 hours
01/18/08	4.50 hours
02/12/08	3.42 hours
03/06/08	3.25 hours
04/03/08	3.50 hours

Total **25.74 hours or 10.296 points for attendance at all meetings**

Negotiations Team met the following times:

8/2,3/07	14.00 hours
10/8,9/07	8.50 hours
11/2,3/07	7.00 hours
01/09/08	2.00 hours
01/30/08	2.00 hours
02/13/08	2.00 hours
02/25/08	2.00 hours
03/11/08	2.00 hours
04/02/08	2.00 hours
04/16/08	2.00 hours
04/23/08	2.00 hours
04/28-30/08	23.00 hours
05/05/08	1.00 hour
05/08/08	2.00 hours

Total **71.5 hours or 28.6 points for attendance at all meetings.**

LEA Money Savers



- ✓ Lied Center Tickets–LEA 20% Discount!
- ✓ The Honey Baked Ham Company

Click on the following link to view the additional ways your dues can “pay-off” for you...

<http://www.lincolneducationassociation.org/LEADiscounts.html>

Lied Center Tickets – LEA 20% Discount

As an LEA member, you have the opportunity to purchase Lied Center tickets at a 20% discount! Click on the following link to take a “sneak preview” of the Lied Center’s 2008-2009 season schedule. The 20% discount applies throughout the *entire season* – however, you may place your orders *now* prior to the general public being able to. Plus, by ordering your tickets prior to August 15th the Lied’s facility charge per ticket is only \$1 per ticket rather than \$2 ... another great savings!

Click here to view the 2008-2009 Season Schedule and to obtain an order form.
<http://www.lincolneducationassociation.org/LEADiscounts.html>

The Honey Baked Ham Company and Catering

4107 Pioneer Woods Dr
(70th and Pioneers Blvd)
484-5522
<http://www.honeybakedonline.com>
Contact: Molly Shanahan

- 1) Free drink and cookie with purchase of any whole sandwich.
- 2) \$10 off your next catering order of \$100 or more

Calendar of Events



Click on the following link for the LEA Calendar of Events ...

<http://www.lincolneducationassociation.org/calendarofevents.html>