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President's Message

Candy Gale

Hillsborough Educators Association Retired

Our speaker this past month was Nancy Granda from the league of Women Voters. She gave a very informative talk about gun violence prevention.

Sue Harmon has done a terrific job at providing us with a variety of excellent speakers and venues to explore. Our next meeting on April 17th we will be touring the Straz Center for the Performing Arts. Please refer to an email/letter from Sue Harmon & Jim Roney on March 25th for details. There will be a choice of lunches. Contact Sue Harmon 843-7336 or harmonbay@verizon.net by April 4 to choose your lunch.

Please join us for a reception before rep council May 9th at 4:30 in honor of this year's retiring HCTA teachers and ESPs. Help us grow our number of members. CTA is working with us to help grow by making our fellow active CTA members more aware of the retired association. With your continued help at recruitment we will grow in numbers and strength. Rich Lucas, Membership Chair, continues to send invitations to new retirees. In addition to his hard work, we need you to continue to recruit new members.



HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

April Birthday Wishes

Barbara Hess 04/02
Delores McMillan 04/04
Gwen Butler 04/09
Arlie Page 04/11
Madeleine Tellekamp 04/13
Janet Burt 04/14
Vernadill Young 04/16
Deborah Thompson 04/16
Juanita Young 04/17
Bertha Smith 04/18
Emma Thomas 04/19
Ben Cooper 04/20
Marla Rouillard 04/21
Patricia Savage 04/23
Penny Haun 04/25
JoAnne Reed 04/25
Michele Manieri 04/25
Hazel Robles 04/26
Charles Gomez 04/26
Jeannette Whitman 04/26
And a belated Happy Birthday:
John Brown 2/26

Please let me know if I didn't list your birthday. You may reach me at 813-317-7660 or cigid@me.com

News You Can Use

Nominations are being accepted for 2019 open board positions. Please contact Yvonne Lyons 988-8208 or ylyonstt@gmail.com. if you are willing to help by serving.

Don't miss our last meeting of this year!

Voting and confirmation of board positions will take place at our May 15th HEAR meeting **and annual staff appreciation luncheon** at HCTA. Sign up to bring your favorite dish with Mary Gonzalez at 748-3586 or marimartez1@gmail.com.

Sue Harmon harmonbay@verizon.net would like your written suggestions for speakers and places to visit for our next meeting year.

How did you like having a meeting at the Children's Board for a change of pace? I'm taking a poll: Would you like to have a meeting or two there next year or not? Email me cigid@me.com and let me know.

Last day of school is Friday, May 31st. The 2018 – 2019 student school year starts Monday, August 12.

Community Outreach

Due to the parking situation at the Straz we will not be collecting items for Beth El this month, but will still take a monetary collection.

Our second outreach mission is OASIS. We will also not be collecting items for them due to the parking.

I hope you all have received your new directory! There were some mistakes made, but please remember this is an all-volunteer organization. If you have corrections please send them to Jim Roney jimroney53@gmail.com or (813) 205-5669 so he can send out corrected information to everyone.



New Members

Bill Person

Allison Doughtie

Denisse Alburquerque