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Ohio School Boards Association Central Region hosts spring conference

COLUMBUS — Nearly 275 school board members, administrators, staff, students and guests from across central Ohio gathered in Columbus on March 13 for the Ohio School Boards Association (OSBA) Central Region Spring Conference. The region hosts two conferences a year, one in the spring and one in the fall.

The conference featured updates from OSBA officers and staff and a number of awards and recognitions. The region recognized outstanding schools and school programs; veteran school board members; outstanding board members; and board members achieving service milestones of 10, 15 and 20 years.

The keynote speaker was Debra Smith, an assistant professor of health technology at Ohio University Lancaster. Her presentation was titled, “And one more thing — You have to translate the culture too.”

For more details on the awards and recognitions, contact Central Regional Manager Kim Miller-Smith at the phone number or email address above.

Fourteen counties comprise the OSBA Central Region: Crawford, Delaware, Fairfield, Fayette, Franklin, Knox, Licking, Madison, Marion, Morrow, Pickaway, Richland, Ross and Union. The other OSBA regions are Northeast, Northwest, Southeast and Southwest.

In its 64th year, the Ohio School Boards Association leads the way to educational excellence by serving Ohio’s public school board members and the diverse districts they represent through superior service, unwavering advocacy and creative solutions.