

# BRIEF CASE

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## Heisman winner Eddie George to speak at Capital Conference

Ohio State University and NFL football great **Eddie George** will be one of the keynote speakers at the OSBA Capital Conference. The Heisman Trophy winner will headline the Nov. 13 Conference Luncheon. After retiring from football, George went on to become a successful entrepreneur, building businesses that help people grow and succeed. He also donates his time and money to a number of charities and organizations. George recently received a Master of Business Administration from the Kellogg School of Management at Northwestern University. For more information on the Capital Conference, which runs Nov. 11-13 in Columbus, visit <http://conference.ohioschoolboards.org> or contact OSBA.

## Group unveils introductory resources for race and rural equity report

Groundwork Ohio is conducting an in-depth data analysis and communications project examining race and rural equity in child outcomes from birth through career readiness in Ohio. Ahead of the release of its full report, the nonprofit group has created two resources to set the framework for the project. The first, *Unearthing Fairness for Ohio Kids*, outlines some of the key concepts used in the report. It is posted at <http://links.ohioschoolboards.org/79243>. The second resource, *Brains are Built ... Not Born*, explores how early brain development and experiences impact a child's lifelong growth and success. It is available at <http://links.ohioschoolboards.org/30277>. Groundwork Ohio works to educate key Ohio policymakers about the importance of high-quality early childhood education and experiences

## OSU hosting opioid crisis conference for educators

Ohio State University (OSU) is hosting a conference July 25 to help educators support students and families dealing with opioid addiction. School board members, administrators, principals, teachers, counselors and other education professionals are invited to attend. Presenters will discuss how the opioid crisis is affecting schools; the science of addiction; ways to identify students or families suffering from addiction; how to connect families to social services; strategies for effective prevention programs; and how to recognize and respond to an overdose. To register, or for more information, visit <http://opioidsconference.osu.edu>. The registration fee is \$60.

## OSBA conference registration materials to be mailed soon

Registration packets and the program for the 2018 OSBA Capital Conference and Trade Show will be mailed in early July. The conference is set for Nov. 11-13 at the Greater Columbus Convention Center. The program is being sent to school board members, superintendents, treasurers, Ohio Council of School Board Attorneys

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### Route workshop information to:

- Administrators
- Building principals
- New board members
- School resource officers

members and sustaining members. It has information on speakers, workshops, special events, hotels and registration. Registration packets are going to superintendents and treasurers; board members should contact their treasurer to register for the conference and special events. Visit <http://conference.ohioschoolboards.org> for more information.

### A few Student Achievement Fair booths remain available

Districts still have time to nominate one of their exemplary programs for the Student Achievement Fair, held during the OSBA Capital Conference in November. A highly popular event, the fair features 100 displays of innovative programs that promote student achievement, student performing groups and an art exhibit. It runs from 10:30 a.m. to 2 p.m. on Nov. 12. Submit nominations at <http://links.ohio>

### Exchange program develops cultural connections

The summer break often provides more opportunity to spend time with friends. A group of 22 students from **South-Western City's** Park Street Intermediate Elementary School are making new friends in Hong Kong.

Since 2010, Park Street health and wellness teacher **Ed Nelson** has been coordinating the biennial trips through the International Alliance for Invitational Education, a foreign exchange program.

"The trip to Hong Kong always inspires our students," Nelson told a local newspaper. "I really think trips like this can do more for world peace than the politicians can."

Students and teachers from China traveled to central Ohio in January, and a second group was welcomed in May.

Source: ThisWeek Community Newspapers

[schoolboards.org/61034](http://schoolboards.org/61034). For details on the fair, visit <http://links.ohioschoolboards.org/26997>.

### ODE announces Career Connections Conference

Plan to attend the 2018 Career Connections Conference July 23 in Columbus. Sessions will focus on

how programs, strategies and resources have been implemented so they can be replicated and customized across Ohio school districts and communities. Join education leaders, teachers, school counselors and others to learn about the innovative career awareness and planning work happening throughout Ohio. For registration information and to view the agenda, visit [www.ohioacte.org/event-2766273](http://www.ohioacte.org/event-2766273).

### OSBA online

● [www.ohioschoolboards.org](http://www.ohioschoolboards.org)  
OSBA has launched the 2018 OSBA Capital Conference and Trade Show website at <http://conference.ohioschoolboards.org>. The site includes information on keynote speakers, learning sessions, the Student Achievement Fair, the trade exhibition and more. Districts also can submit nominations for the Student Achievement Fair on the site.



## Briefcase

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# BULLETIN BOARD

compiled by Melanie Price, senior administrative assistant of communication services

## Other searches

Position	Location	Deadline	Contact
Superintendent	Hookstown, Pa.	July 11	Dr. Joseph C. Dimperio, acting superintendent, South Side Area School District, (724) 573-9581, ext. 3134

## Board changes

Cincinnati City appointed **Ozie Davis III** to the board effective May 25. He replaced **Lannis Timmons**, who resigned. ●●● Lakewood Local (Licking) Board of Education member **Stephen Wayne Thorp** announced his resignation effective May 29. ●●● Meigs Local (Meigs) appointed **Barbara Musser** to the board effective June 4. She replaced **Larry Tucker**, who resigned. ●●● Perry Local (Stark) Board of Education member **David J. Ramos** announced his resignation effective June 6.

## Administrative changes

### Superintendents

Eaton Community City hired **Jeff Parker** as superintendent effective Aug. 1. He will replace Dr. **Barbara Curry**, who is retiring. Parker currently is the superintendent at **National Trail Local (Preble)**. ●●● Franklin Monroe Local (Darke) hired **Jeremy Pequignot** as superintendent effective Aug. 1. He will replace **Jeff Patrick**, who is resigning. Pequignot currently is the district's elementary school principal. ●●● Groveport Madison Local (Franklin) hired **Garilee S. Ogden** as superintendent effective Aug. 1. She will replace Interim Superintendent **John Hurd**. Ogden currently is the district's director of curriculum, instruction and professional development. ●●● Ironton City hired **Joseph Gelekta** as superintendent effective July 1. He will replace **Dean Nance**, who took a teacher position in the district. Gelekta currently is the assistant superintendent for curriculum and instruction in Atlanta, Texas. ●●● Keystone Local (Lorain) hired **Dan White** as superintendent effective June 5. He replaced **Franco Gallo**, who took the superintendent position at the ESC of Lorain County. White previously was the director of education at **Midview Local (Lorain)**. ●●● Madison-Plains Local (Madison) hired **Chad Eisler** as superintendent effective Aug. 1. He will replace **Tim Dettwiller**, who is retiring July 31. Eisler currently is the district's high school principal. ●●● Massillon City hired **Paul Salvino** as superintendent effective June 2. He replaced Interim Superintendent **Mark Fortner**. Salvino previously was the district's high school principal. ●●● West Clermont Local (Clermont) hired **Natasha Adams** as superintendent effective July 1. She will replace Dr. **Keith Kline**, who is retiring. Adams currently is the director of curriculum, instruction and assessment at **Forest Hills Local (Hamilton)**. ●●● Franklin City hired **Robyn Donisi** as assistant superintendent effective Aug. 1. She will replace **Doug Cozad**, who took the superintendent position at **Bellbrook-Sugarcreek Local (Greene)**. Donisi currently is the assistant superintendent at **Clinton-Massie Local (Clinton)**. ●●● Stow-Munroe Falls City hired **Mark Manley** as assistant superintendent effective Aug. 1. He currently is the assistant superintendent at **Mansfield City**.

### Editor's note

Job postings must be received six weeks before the application deadline to ensure timely publication.  
Thank you for your cooperation.

### Treasurers

**Austintown Local (Mahoning)** hired **Ryan Ghizzoni** as interim treasurer effective immediately. He will become treasurer effective Aug. 1. He replaced **Arthur J. Ginnetti**, who took the treasurer position at **Youngstown City**. Ghizzoni previously was the treasurer at **Berea City**. ●●● **Cuyahoga Falls City** hired **Barbara J. Donohue** as treasurer effective Aug. 1. She will replace Interim Treasurer **Kathryn Elizabeth Brugger**. Donohue currently is the treasurer at **Amherst EV**. ●●● **Forest Hills Local (Hamilton)** hired **Alana Cropper** as treasurer effective Nov. 1. She will replace Interim Treasurer **Robert Giuffre**. Cropper currently is the treasurer at **West Clermont Local (Clermont)**. ●●● **Southeastern Local (Clark)** Treasurer **Bradley A. McKee** announced his resignation effective June 30. He has taken the treasurer position at **Greenon Local (Clark)** and **Springfield-Clark Career Technology Center**.

### Sympathies

**Robert Alfred Howell**, a member of the former **Belmont County** Board of Education, died June 7. He was 85. ●●● Former **East Holmes Local (Holmes)** and **Garaway Local (Tuscarawas)** Superintendent **Lewis Franklin Bevington** died June 9. He was 71. ●●● Former **Fairfield City** Board of Education member **Dr. Stanley “Stan” Goodman** died May 28. He was 88. ●●● Former **Triway Local (Wayne)** Board of Education member **Marion P. “Shine” Zody** died May 27. He was 82.

A graphic for the OSBA Student Achievement Fair. On the left, a photograph shows a woman in a red jacket talking to two young girls at a booth. On the right, a blue circular graphic contains the text: "OSBA Student Achievement Fair", "Monday, Nov. 12, 2018", "10:30 a.m. to 2 p.m.", and "Greater Columbus Convention Center". The background of the graphic features faint illustrations of a globe, a pencil, and a clock.

Do you want to see your district’s students involved in the November OSBA Capital Conference? The Student Achievement Fair, held in conjunction with the Capital Conference, highlights fresh, innovative initiatives from public school districts across the state.

### Student Achievement Fair district programs

OSBA is accepting nominations for programs that showcase exemplary student achievement. Examples of previous presentations include graphic design demonstrations, world languages, industrial technology projects, career center culinary arts programs, STEM projects and outdoor education. View the list of 2017 Student Achievement Fair district programs at <http://links.ohioschoolboards.org/60021>. One hundred programs will be chosen, and nominations will be accepted until all booths have been filled.

Visit <http://conference.ohioschoolboards.org/saf-nominations> to nominate a district program today!



# New Board Member Workshop Your survival kit

Did you miss the Board Member 101 workshops in January? Attend the New Board Member Workshop and get up to speed on hot topics and find answers to your questions. This one-day workshop will focus on boardmanship, legal issues and advocacy work. This workshop is part of the OSBA new board member Passport series, so get your Passport stamped here.

**Details:** This one-day workshop is Saturday, July 21, from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. at the OSBA office in Columbus.

**Cost:** \$180, which includes four books: "Boardmanship," "Board-Treasurer Partnership," "Board-Superintendent Partnership" and "Board-Legislature Partnership."

**Registration:** Online at [www.ohioschoolboards.org/workshops](http://www.ohioschoolboards.org/workshops) or contact **Laurie Miller**, senior events manager, at (614) 540-4000, (800) 589-OSBA or [Lmiller@ohioschoolboards.org](mailto:Lmiller@ohioschoolboards.org).

## Agenda

**8:30 a.m. Registration and breakfast**

**9 a.m. Welcome and overview**

**9:15 a.m. Boardmanship: What it's really all about**

Delve into the most important aspects of board work, your role as a board member and best practices for success as a new member of your board of education.

*Steve Horton, senior board and management services consultant, OSBA*

**10 a.m. Boardmanship: Conduct and culture**

Learn strategies for working with your fellow board members and contributing to a strong, cohesive leadership team.

*Steve Horton*

**11 a.m. Why legislation and advocacy are so important and the basics of school funding**

Whether you like it or not, your district is affected by political leaders in Columbus, so your voice needs to be heard. Explore ways even a small district can help "educate" the legislature and get an overview of Ohio's school-funding system.

*Will Schwartz, lobbyist, OSBA*

**12:30 p.m. Lunch (provided)**

**1 p.m. Video scenarios and audience discussion**

Watch two videos and apply what you've learned to stay on the right path.

**1:15 p.m. Parliamentary procedure and ethics laws**

Learning how to run efficient board meetings and navigating your obligations under Ohio ethics laws are two skills all new board members should master early in their terms. Join an OSBA attorney for assistance on these important topics.

*Sara C. Clark, chief legal counsel, OSBA*

**2:15 p.m. Video scenarios and audience discussion**

Watch additional videos and compare your responses with those of your colleagues.

**2:30 p.m. Sunshine Law**

This session will go beyond the basics and provide an overview of board members' responsibilities under the Open Meetings Act, using hypothetical scenarios and examples from recent case law.

*Sara C. Clark*

**4 p.m. Adjourn**

# Attendance, Tuition and Custody Law Workshop

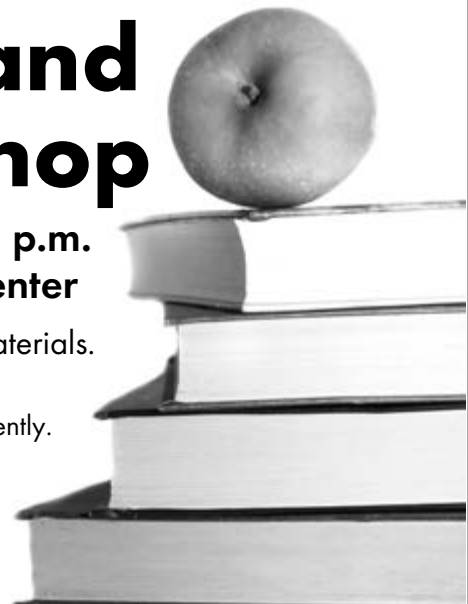
Friday, Aug. 3

9 a.m. to 3:15 p.m.

Nationwide Hotel and Conference Center, Lewis Center

Cost: \$180, includes registration, continental breakfast, lunch and materials.

The law addressing attendance and tuition matters is complex and changes frequently. How your district handles these matters affects your bottom line. Learn the latest legal developments at this information-packed seminar.



## Agenda

**8:30 a.m. Registration and continental breakfast (provided)**

**8:50 a.m. Welcome**

**9 a.m. 'Hi, I'm here to enroll ...'**

Generally, a student may attend in the district where his or her "parent" resides. However, varied definitions of parent and numerous exceptions to this general rule create quandaries for even the most veteran EMIS coordinator. Our panelists will tackle a number of enrollment scenarios and provide answers to your common custody questions.

*Sara C. Clark, chief legal counsel, OSBA; Janie Gildersleeve, truant officer/home school coordinator, Ashtabula County ESC; and Hollie F. Reedy, Esq., Ennis Britton Co. LPA*

**10:30 a.m. Break**

**10:45 a.m. Homeless students and unaccompanied youth**

Who meets the definition of homeless? Who is considered an "unaccompanied youth?" Student scenarios and common barriers to implementing the McKinney-Vento Act will be discussed.

*Christina Endres, program specialist, National Center for Homeless Education*

**11:45 a.m. Lunch (provided)**

**12:45 p.m. Custody options for children involved in the child welfare system**

Review the different custody options for children in the child welfare system, including safety plans, temporary and permanent custody, planned permanent living arrangement and kinship care arrangements. Learn about the legal implications of each option.

*Jennifer A. Flint, Esq., Bricker & Eckler LLP; and Fawn Gadel, Esq., director of Ohio START, Public Children Services Association of Ohio*

**1:45 p.m. Break**

**2:15 p.m. Attendance and enrollment policies: do's and don'ts**

Join an OSBA policy consultant for a review of the most frequently discussed attendance and enrollment policies and procedures, including residency verification protocols, open enrollment policies and accounting for student absences and attendance.

*Kenna S. Haycox, senior policy consultant, OSBA*

**3:15 p.m. Adjourn**

The workshop will be held at Nationwide Hotel and Conference Center, 100 Green Meadows Drive South, Lewis Center, 43035. The phone number is (614) 880-4300. Register online at [www.ohioschoolboards.org/workshops](http://www.ohioschoolboards.org/workshops) or contact **Laurie Miller**, OSBA senior events manager, at (614) 540-4000, (800) 589-OSBA or [Lmiller@ohioschoolboards.org](mailto:Lmiller@ohioschoolboards.org).

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# SCHOOL SECURITY AND SAFETY SOLUTIONS SUMMIT

A multidisciplinary approach to school safety

OSBA is participating in a collaborative effort involving a multitude of education groups, mental health organizations and law enforcement agencies to address the issues surrounding the safety and security of Ohio's schools. Nearly 20 groups have committed to working together to make a difference for the schoolchildren in the state.

The organizations are planning the inaugural School Security and Safety Solutions Summit. This free event is designed for district teams, including administrators, board members, educators, school counselors, school psychologists, support staff, mental health professionals, parent leaders, and law enforcement and other first responders.



Visit [www.ohioschoolboards.org/safety-summit](http://www.ohioschoolboards.org/safety-summit) in July to learn more.

Sept. 12, 2018 • Greater Columbus Convention Center

## Reasonable Suspicion Training



OSBA is offering a reasonable suspicion drug and alcohol training program for supervisors. Completion of this course is required for all supervisors of safety-sensitive (commercial driver's license) drivers, including school bus drivers. Best practice is that each district have at least two administrators trained in this requirement.

The course meets the Federal Motor Carrier Safety Administration U.S. Department of Transportation requirements. Attendees will receive a certificate of completion.

**Details:** This workshop is being offered on two dates from 10 a.m. to noon at the OSBA office. Choose from Tuesday, July 10, or Tuesday, Aug. 7.

**Cost:** \$50

**Registration:** Online at [www.ohioschoolboards.org/workshops](http://www.ohioschoolboards.org/workshops) or contact **Laurie Miller**, senior events manager, at (614) 540-4000, (800) 589-OSBA or [Lmiller@ohioschoolboards.org](mailto:Lmiller@ohioschoolboards.org)



# WORKSHOP REGISTRATION

Register at [www.ohioschoolboards.org/workshops](http://www.ohioschoolboards.org/workshops)

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## How to log in

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If this is your first time logging in to the site, click “Create new account.” At the username prompt, enter your email address, select your affiliation and school district, and click “Submit.” Create a password and add your job title on the next screen. An email with a link to activate your account will be sent to you. Click on the link to activate your account, and you will be directed to a home screen.



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# FUNDING OPPORTUNITIES

compiled by Angela Penquite, managing editor

## Grants for scientific education

The American Honda Foundation engages in grant-making that reflects the basic tenets, beliefs and philosophies of Honda companies, which are characterized by the following qualities: imaginative, creative, youthful, forward-thinking, scientific, humanistic and innovative. It supports youth education, with a specific focus on STEM subjects and the environment.

**Maximum award:** \$75,000

**Eligibility:** public schools with two years of audited financial statements examined by an independent CPA for the purpose of expressing an opinion

**Deadline:** Aug. 1

**Contact:** <http://links.ohioschoolboards.org/50214>

## Recognizing information science teachers

The Thomson Reuters Outstanding Information Science Teacher Award recognizes the unique teaching contributions of information science teachers.

**Maximum award:** \$1,000

**Eligibility:** must be directly engaged in teaching some aspect of information science on a continuing basis

**Deadline:** Aug. 1

**Contact:** <http://links.ohioschoolboards.org/17124>

## STEM grants for schools using FirstEnergy Corp. companies

FirstEnergy Corp. is offering STEM Education Grants for educators in schools served by its electric operating companies. The grants are for any upcoming creative classroom projects related

to science, technology, engineering and mathematics.

**Maximum awards:** \$1,000

**Eligibility:** pre-K-12 educators in a school using a FirstEnergy Corp. electric operating company (Ohio Edison; The Illuminating Co.; Toledo Edison)

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**Deadline:** Sept. 21

**Contact:** <http://links.ohioschoolboards.org/83118>

### **Funds for environmental service learning projects**

Project Learning Tree is offering GreenWorks! grants for schools and youth organizations that propose environmental service learning projects that link classroom

learning to the real world. Students implement an action project they help design to green their school or to improve an aspect of their neighborhood's environment. The projects partner students with their school, local businesses and/or community organizations, and provide opportunities for student leadership. Some examples of past grant projects include

implementing recycling programs at school, conserving water and energy, establishing school gardens and outdoor classrooms, improving a forest or restoring a natural habitat.

**Maximum awards:** \$1,000

**Eligibility:** schools and youth organizations

**Deadline:** Sept. 30

**Contact:** [www.plt.org/greenworks](http://www.plt.org/greenworks)



## LEGISLATIVE REPORT

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by Jay Smith, deputy director of legislative services

### **Ryan Smith is new Ohio House speaker**

Rep. **Ryan Smith** (R-Bidwell) has been elected as the new speaker of the Ohio House of Representatives. He was elected June 6, almost two months after the former speaker, **Cliff Rosenberger** (R-Clarksville), resigned.

The speaker's role is to lead the House, guide the chamber's agenda, preside over sessions and provide direction to fellow members. The speaker, along with his or her leadership team, decides when and what bills reach the House floor for a vote.

Following Rosenberger's resignation, there were no House voting sessions since the chamber had no speaker. During that time, political posturing was in peak form, with both Republicans and Democrats strategizing on how best to position themselves for the

November general election and future leadership in the Ohio General Assembly.

Under House rules, to be elected speaker, a House member needs to obtain a majority of the votes from those who are present. If a candidate does not obtain a majority vote, the election is called again, up to 10 times. On the 11th vote, the candidate with a plurality of the vote wins.

In addition to Ryan, the speaker nominees were: Reps. **Andy Thompson** (R-Marietta), **Jim Hughes** (R-Upper Arlington) and House Minority Leader **Fred Strahorn** (D-Dayton). Ninety-one members were present the day Ryan was elected, which meant he needed 46 votes to win.

The tally after the first vote was taken yielded 44 votes for Smith,

28 for Strahorn, 17 for Thompson and 2 for Hughes. With no candidate receiving a majority, the vote was called again with similar results, except for some backers of Thompson switching votes to Hughes. The voting continued for 10 rounds. On the 11th round, Smith secured a plurality of the vote and was immediately sworn in as speaker.

Smith is in his third term in the House and recently served as chair of the Finance Committee. He represents the 93rd House District, which includes Jackson and Gallia counties and portions of Lawrence and Vinton counties.

He graduated with a Bachelor of Science in finance from Ohio State University. Upon graduation, he began working as a financial

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# PUBLIC SCHOOLS WORK!

compiled by Scott Gerfen, assistant editor

## Students raise northern pike, release them along Lake Erie

Toledo City students hope months of work and great care will help efforts to restore Lake Erie wetlands and the species that live there.

Over three months, students at Frank Dick Natural Science Technology Center raised 150 northern pike from tiny fingerlings to five-inch long fish.

Students then took the young northern pike to their new home along Lake Erie at Standing Rush Marsh LLC, which owns more

than 600 acres of wetland on the south shore of Sandusky Bay.

“Something small can really change a thing, especially with this amount of introduction into the ecosystem,” junior **Damien Cunningham-Wagner** told a local TV station. “It will definitely boost it. Well, that’s the hope.”

The northern pike’s journey began some 500 miles away at a New Jersey hatchery. At the technology center, students needed to provide an ideal growing

environment by monitoring water acidity and temperature.

The odds of all 150 fish surviving are low. A very small percentage make it to adulthood, Standing Rush Marsh LLC President **Eric Kraus** said.

“But those fish can then have the protection of the marsh, until they’re large enough to go out into the lake and then come back to the marsh to spawn once they’re adults,” he said.

Source: WTOL-TV

*Legislative Report, continued from page 6*

adviser. In 2005, he joined his current financial advising firm as vice president and partner.

Smith was twice elected to the **Gallipolis City** Board of Education and served as board president. He also was engaged in local economic development efforts as president of

both the Gallia County Chamber of Commerce and Gallia County Civic Improvement Corp. In addition, he served as a board member with Holzer Health Systems, one of the largest employers and health care providers in southeastern Ohio.

Smith has been a longtime

supporter and advocate of public education in Ohio. OSBA looks forward to continuing to work with him as leader of the Ohio House of Representatives.

*Editor’s note:* Information in this article was current as of June 14, 2018.



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**June**

30 2017-18 school year ends — RC 3313.62; end of third ADM reporting period — RC 3317.03(A).

**July**

1 2018-19 school year begins — RC 3313.62; last day for board to notify teaching and nonteaching employees of succeeding year salaries — RC 3319.12, 3319.082; board may begin to adopt appropriation measure, which may be temporary — RC 5705.38(A) and (B); treasurer must certify available revenue in funds to county auditor — RC 5705.36(A)(1).

9 Last day for voter registration for August election — RC 3503.01, 3503.19(A) (30 days prior to election).

10 Reasonable Suspicion

Training ..... Columbus

10 Last day for termination of teaching contract by a teacher without consent of the board of education — RC 3319.15.

15 Last day to adopt school library district tax budget on behalf of a library district — RC 5705.28(B)(1).

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Workshop ..... Columbus

30 Last day to submit certification for November income tax levy to Ohio Department of Taxation — RC 5748.02(A)

31 (100 days prior to election). Last day to adopt a plan to require students to access and complete online classroom lessons (“blizzard bags”) in order to make up hours for which it is necessary to close schools — RC 3313.482(A)(1); semiannual campaign finance reports must be filed by certain candidates (by 4 p.m.) detailing contributions and expenditures made through June 30, 2018 — RC 3517.10(A) (4).

**August**

1 Central Region Executive Committee Meeting ..... Columbus

1 Northeast Region Executive Committee Meeting ..... TBD

1 Last day to file statistical report with Ohio Department of Education — RC 3319.33.

3 Attendance, Tuition and Custody Law Workshop ..... Lewis Center

3 Last day to submit November emergency, current operating expenses or conversion levy to county auditor for November general election — RC 5705.194, 5705.195, 5705.213, 5705.219 (95 days prior to election).

6 Southwest Region Executive Committee Meeting ..... Cincinnati

7 Reasonable Suspicion

Training ..... Columbus

7 Special Election Day — RC 3501.01 (first Tuesday after the first Monday).

8 Last day for school district to file resolution of necessity, resolution to proceed and auditor’s certification for bond levy with board of elections for November election — RC 133.18(D); last day for county auditor to certify school district bond levy terms for November election — RC 133.18(C); last day to submit continuing replacement, permanent improvement or operating levy for November election to board of elections — RC 5705.192, 5705.21, 5705.25; last day to certify resolution for school district income tax levy or renewal of conversion levy for November election to board of elections — RC 5748.02(C), 5705.219(G); last day to submit emergency levy for November election to board of elections — RC 5705.195; last day to submit phased-in levy or current operating expenses levy for November election to board of elections — RC 5705.251(A)(90 days prior to election).

19 Southeast Region Executive Committee Meeting ..... Logan

22 Central Region Legislative Open House ..... Columbus

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