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EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR'S MESSAGE

Ruth Huff, NCACTE Executive Director



School days, school days, are here again. As we begin this 2016-2017 school year, we will be very busy with the daily activities of education. As you begin your work this year, be sure you have joined NCACTE and thought about attending the two staff development activities. A misconception is that these are just for NCACTE board members. These seminars are for all members interesting in acquiring new ideas for you position. The first seminar will be held in Asheville, October 31-Noember 2, 2016. Information is included in this newsletter. All participants will receive 1 CEU. The second seminar will be held Feb 15-18, 2017 in Atlantic Beach. Please try to attend at least 1 or both if possible. This is one of the benefits of being a member of NCACTE.

We have been busy processing memberships, updating the handbook for the website, and developing the fall seminar information. All memberships that have reached our office have been processed. If you paid your dues and area not receiving emails from me, please let me know. We have many e-mails that return weekly.

I have been your executive director for 1 year now. Please let me know if you need anything or if I can help you. T-shirts have been ordered and many distributed. We do have a few left and can always order more in 25 shirt increments. I hope all of you will wear them and get our CTE name out in the public. We will be finding new ways to advertise CTE. It has been way too long that we are the only ones who know our importance.

Some of you are planning to attend the Region II conference and/or the CareerTech Vision 2016 conference. Please send me your name if you are planning to attend either or both. I want to be able to see you at the conferences. We want North Carolina to be well represented at both conferences.

We hope you have a great productive school year.

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From Your President

Carol Harper

Welcome Back!

Another school has started and we are all busy with lesson plans, staff meetings, and making sure all new initiatives are in place. Summer Conference was a success and I am sure each of you attended many beneficial workshops. As you plan your new year, remember to plan for NCACTE activities and become an active member. Please visit the website often for news, updates, and the calendar of activities. There will be many opportunities for you to participate in some of the organization's activities.



The first opportunity you have to participate is the Fall Leadership Seminar in Asheville. See the website for more details. And remember that you can get CEU credits there as well.

As your new President, I look forward to a wonderful and busy year. Communication is a key to our organization becoming strong so spread the word! This year I have chosen "United WE Stand" as our theme. We must continue to work diligently with our co-workers and students. Everyone's mission should be to increase membership. The way to do this is by advocating for CTE, being an active member. We will have updates throughout the year. Get communicating the word!

This year will provide it's own opportunities and trials. We must use every possible source of communication, partnerships and personal commitments to continue the services and support, especially with NCACTE.

As I close I want to thank all those committee chairs and committee members that said yes as we selected the leadership team for this year. You can make a difference for all of us by being active and attending meetings. This year remember communication is important for our association to remain strong! Our mission is possible with everyone working together. And as always we are listening and supporting our members.

I look forward to a Great Year!



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From Your President Elect

Pam Orbison

Greetings NCACTE Members!

As I write this, I am a little overwhelmed with the beginning of this school year and the many changes that are taking place. Like many of you, I am teaching new courses, and we are now on a semester versus quarter schedule (middle school). I am incorporating new tools such as OneNote, Sway, and Office Mix into my class, as well as many new ideas gained at summer conference.



While change can be daunting, it is also exciting because it offers my students and myself new opportunities. We have moved beyond the period when teachers were the “sage on the stage”. While it is still hard for many of us (me included) to get past this mindset, embracing it frees us up to learn new things from our students, and to be excited when they create or learn something new and then share that with us. In the past, I approached class sessions with a predetermined agenda in mind. I had a picture of how material would be presented, how students would imbibe the information, and what the expected outcome or product would be. Now I approach the classroom with the end goal in mind. I establish what the learning objectives are for the particular lesson and work backward to design lessons that provide for maximum student input.

As president-elect, I would like to use this same approach with the strategic planning committee. I want to begin with the end in mind. To do this, I would like to enlist your assistance and get your input in identifying goals and objectives for this association—what should the NCACTE look like in two years? In five years? If you would please take a few moments to complete this survey, I would appreciate it. You may use the link or QR code.



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Have a great first semester! I hope to see many of you at fall conference.

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Trade & Industrial Education Division

Steve Walker, President

Here we are again getting started on another year teaching future leaders of industry. The start of school seems to come so fast right after the CTE Summer Conference. With that said, for all who attended the CTE Summer Conference — I hope that it was more of what you wanted, and if that was not the case, let us know! We want to make sure that YOU receive information that will help YOU. That is one of the reasons why we are here. I was very pleased to see all of you signing up this year for your organization! It is great to know that we have so many professionals who are interested in keeping great things going and getting others started!



At Summer Conference, NCTIETA officers for 2016-17 were elected at our business meeting. They are (Left to Right):

Past President: Beth Alexander
President: Steve Walker
President Elect: Darrin Bridges
Secretary: Pamela Walker
Treasurer: Tony Bello

I hope that this year we can show you why it is important to be a member of NCTIETA! The officers this year have been members for a while and are wanting to take it to the next level. We have been where you are and want to take the

challenge to better ourselves and you in the process. With that being said, WE need YOU!

We are looking for a few people who want to take a challenge this year. People who are willing to share and borrow ideas that can be shared with others to help them in the classroom as well as with their programs. Ideas such as; where can someone get funds; where is a place to find ideas for the classroom; what can we do to make North Carolina the state to watch for CTE programs that are growing and improving student knowledge.

Do not forget to attend (if at all possible) the Fall NCTIETA Conference in Atlantic Beach at the Doubletree Oceanfront Hotel (252-240-1155). The dates are November 17th – 19th, 2016. And on November 16th, the Golf Tournament Fundraiser for SkillsUSA.

Congratulations to Darrin Bridges for receiving the Teacher of the Year award and also to Pamela Walker for receiving the New Teacher of the Year award. Also congratulations to the group as a whole! NCTIETA received the Quality Assurance award!

If anyone knows of someone that qualifies for these awards, nominate them! And for the New Teacher of the Year award, they must be in their first three years of teaching a T&I course. If you know of anyone that you feel qualifies, please send the nomination and a brief explanation why to me so that we can acknowledge them next year at Summer Conference.

I want to say 'Thank You' for trusting the elected officers with the task of taking this group to the front of the CTE organizations again! We, the elected officers, are here as motivators for you, support for you and the ones that let Legislators and Senators know how important we as a group are to the learners of today!



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Marketing Education Turns 80!

Welcome to the 2016-2017 school year.

NCMEA is working on creating a variety of supportive experiences for our educators this year. Stay tuned for more announcements.

Marketing Education 80th Anniversary Month 2016
Proclamation by Governor McCrory!
Summer Conference 2016 was filled with varying topics. We had 2 sessions with panel experts from industry to give a briefing and Q&A segment. It was very informative. Teachers were able to ask questions about the specific skills desired by companies today. NCMEA hosted the 80th Celebration of Marketing Education. Of course there was cake to be enjoyed.



At the beginning of the year, we are always working diligently to set up classrooms and prepare lesson plans that are engaging and rigorous for our students. If you have a new prep that is more challenging. NCMEA encourages all marketing teachers to utilize the Moodle and your local PLC groups. You will find many resources to support your lessons. If you create something, please post it to the Moodle for others to share. It is a statewide endeavor to provide an excellent educational experience to all of the students across North Carolina.

Here are some announcements from Moodle:

New MBA Learning Center, Wednesday, August 31, 3:00-3:45

Join us for a basic overview of the New MBA Learning Center, powered by Canvas and free to NC Teachers. Basic features, including how to get access, how to create a class, how to add LAPs to a course, and ideas for using the resources for each LAP including PowerPoint Presentations, activities, and Gray Zones will be covered. An overview of State's Connection will also be provided.

Register for the webinar at <https://attendee.gototraining.com/r/4793326815669936897>

Starting School Year 2016-2017 with MEE Hosted by NCMEA, Thursday, September 8, 2016, 3:45-4:35

Join NCMEA, NC Marketing Education Association for webinar on getting started with MEE. Your president, Pam Brunner, will cover strategies on classroom management, pacing guides, navigating the program curriculum guides, collaboration and sharing, and keeping it simple.

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Guidance & Career Development Division

Misty Wolfe, President

The Guidance & Career Development Division wants to thank all of its members for their participation in all of our events last year and during Summer Conference this past July. Our division organized 18 different round table sessions for CDCs and SPCs who attended Summer



Conference. We also hosted a wonderful social organized by Bena Weirs and sponsored by Gary Concelmo from DPR Construction. We are looking forward to an amazing and eventful 2016-2017 School year supporting our members and CTE students of North Carolina! We would like to welcome our incoming officers for this year: Misty Wolfe (President), Holly Tolston (President-elect), Nancy Harris (Secretary), Liz Vaden (Treasurer), and Jessica Shimer (Past President).

This year our Division is very proud of all of our award winners and scholarship recipients. The Guidance & Career Development Division received the Quality Assurance Award from



NCACTE for our accomplishments as a division this year. As a Division we awarded five regional CTE Career Guidance Professionals of the Year awards to the following deserving individuals: Amy Singletary (Western Region), Kendra Glover (Southwest Region), Jessica Shimer (Southeast Region), Nancy Harris (Northwest Region), and Misty Wolfe (Central Region). From these wonderful candidates Jessica Shimer was selected as the NC CTE Career Guidance Professional of the Year for 2015-2016. Our scholarship winners were also presented by region as follows: Adam Davis (Central Region - Randolph County), Brianna Brickhouse (Northeast Region - Tyrell County), Richard Baker (Southeast Region - Pender County), Hunter Simmons (Northwest Region - Elkin County), Kevin Christopher Berg (Southwest Region - Cabarrus County), Melissa Akduman (Western Region - Buncombe County), and Kaylee Alizabeth Joyner (President's Choice - Lenoir County).



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As a Division we would also like to recognize Elaine Webb as our Spotlight Member for this newsletter. Elaine is a Career Development Coordinator and Special Populations Coordinator for Franklin County Schools, she has been a Business Education teacher as well as an Exceptional Children's teacher, and she currently serves as the Ways and Means Committee Chairperson for the Guidance and Career Development NCACTE Division. Elaine's hard work and commitment to Career Development can be seen in everything she does in her day to day life. She is a champion for her students and we want her to know that she is appreciated for all she does both personally and professionally.

This year our division will host our 3rd Annual CDC/SPC Fall Mini Conference. The event will be held at the New Bern Convention Center October 24 - 25, 2016. There will be a hotel room block at the Courtyard by Marriott - 218 E. Front Street, New Bern (252-636-0022). More information about the event will be posted on the Career Development Moodle ASAP. Contact Misty Wolfe at mwolfe@randolph.k12.nc.us if you have questions about the event or are interested in assisting.

From Your Past President

Christy Cheek

Summer Conference provided us great professional development, award winners, and an opportunity to gain a better understanding of NCACTE. Congratulations to all of our 2016 NCACTE Award Winners: Rodney Smith - New Teacher of the Year; Michael Holman - Teacher of the Year; Sandra Murphy - Career Guidance Award, Lee O'Neal - Administrator of the Year, and Carl Perkins Community Service Award - Christy Cheek.



Whether it is being recognized by your peers, attending professional development or growing as a professional, NCACTE provides many opportunities for you. Just as our students like to be involved in their student organizations and supported by a network of peers, it is important that we model this as well.

I am so thankful for the number of friends that I have made through NCACTE and the countless contacts I know I can call when I need help. Membership provides me so much more than just a membership card. I feel that it gives me a way to be active and involved and give back to our state's CTE community. Being able to grow as a professional and have a voice for something I believe so strongly in gives me a sense of pride and satisfaction.

If you are already a member, I ask you stay active and consider stretching your leadership muscles. For those who are considering joining, I ask you to strongly consider it and become part of an organization that supports Career and Technical Education in North Carolina. Please contact me or your Division President for more details. I hope each of you have a wonderful school year.



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Technology Division

Susi Price

Welcome back to another great school year!! TED Division's new officer team is excited for the new school year and we are looking forward to seeing TED grow this year and into the future. We recognize we can't do it without dedicated teachers and administrators. Thank you in advance for all that you do to promote TED courses at your school and in your districts.

If you have not renewed your membership yet, please do so. Anyone that renews (or joins) by October 31, 2016 will be entered into a drawing for one of two free registrations to our Spring Conference. Please mark your calendars for March 1-3, 2017 as we gather in Winston Salem for the annual NCTEDE Spring Conference. We want the spring conference to be useful and something that you can take back to use in your classroom. If anyone has suggestions for topics, please email Natalie Norman, President at nanorman@wsfcs.k12.nc.us or Susi Price, Secretary/Treasurer at susi.price@wilsonschoolsnc.net

Fall Professional Development Seminar & Board of Directors' Meeting

TO: All Career and Technical Educators
FROM: Teresa Murphy, Professional Development Committee Chair
Ruth Huff, Executive Director

NCACTE invites you to attend the Fall Professional Development Seminar scheduled for October 31-November 2, 2016 at the Crowne Plaza Hotel, 1 Resort Way, Asheville N.C. **Seminar participants will be able to earn 1 CEU of credit.** Note that the professional development will begin promptly at 8:00 am on Tuesday morning. The leadership seminar is open to all Career and Technical Educators.

The registration fee for NCACTE members is \$200.00, non-members is \$250.00. This cost will cover the following meals: Tuesday's breakfast and lunch and Wednesday's breakfast and lunch. Each individual will be responsible for handling his/her own lodging arrangements with the Crowne Plaza Hotel. The cost for lodging is not included in this registration fee. The group room rate will be \$109.00 plus tax. Identify yourself as a participant in the NCACTE Fall meeting when making your room reservations. **Hotel: 888-211-7755 or 800-733-3211** Hotel Address is: 1 Resort Way, Asheville, NC

The enclosed **registration form and payment must be completed and returned to NCACTE no later than September 26, 2016.** **Room reservations must be made by September 26th** in order to qualify for the group rate. After the cut-off date of September 26, 2016, no reservations will be guaranteed at the special group rate.

Again, this Professional Development Seminar is open to all Career and Technical Educators. Please make plans to join us in Asheville for this event. **If you need additional information regarding this conference, contact Ruth Huff at rbhuff777@gmail.com**

Tentative Agenda

If you are not a member,
it is a great time to join!

Tuesday, November 1, 2016

7:30am - 8:30 am Breakfast/Registration/Check-in
8:30am - 10:00am Session 1 Orientation, Let's Make it Better
10:15am - 11:45am Session 2 Literacy and CTE, A Winning Team
11:45am - 1:00pm Lunch/ Auction
1:00pm- 2:30pm Session 3 Math Roundtables 1+1=3
2:45pm-4:15pm Session 4 Marketing Your CTE Program
4:15pm-5:15pm Session 5 United In Leadership pt 1
Dinner on your own / Optional Division Meetings

1.0 CEU will be awarded
at this workshop

Wednesday, November 2, 2016

7:30am - 8:30am Breakfast and Auction
8:30am - 10:00am Session 5 You and Your IMC: A Unified Source of Strength
10:30am-12:00n Session 6 United in Leadership pt 2
12:00N - 1:00pm Lunch (CEU credits will be awarded during lunch)
1:00pm- until NCACTE Board of Directors Meeting

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**NCACTE
Administrators
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September 2016**

*CTE Administrators
aka Hero Makers
and News from
Summer
Conference*



*CTE
Administrators are
prepared and
ready for a great
school year!*

*A Message from
Your President*

We ARE CTE!



The story goes that a son was home for an extended visit and he knocked on his father's office door and asked, "What are you doing." He replied, "I am preparing for Sunday school." He then thought about the time that he spends in his office and added, "It seems like I am always preparing for something." Interruptions are really opportunities to demonstrate a right response. We should be grateful for these moments so we can reach out to others who need us.

There may be an encounter with stress when you are always getting something ready for somebody, like preparing for a new school year. It's a challenge to balance the priorities with the pressures to prepare presentations, documents, or data reports still on your mind.

As CTE administrators, we are continuously and enthusiastically making the most of every minute of the summer months to carefully plan for successful instruction in our CTE classrooms for the new school year. Many hours are spent making sure preparations are ready for students to find the passionate start of their future in a CTE classroom led by a quality teaching professional.

Thanks to the fellow CTE administrators who are willing to be interrupted for questions and best practices at any given moment from your peers. We are a true professional learning community who seek expertise from one another to ensure that we provide a quality product in Career and Technical Education in North Carolina's public schools.

Please know that planning is just the beginning. So the next time you have to prepare for something, there is no need to stress. The best preparation for tomorrow is the right use of today. Your administrative division is ready to help!

This year's theme for the CTE summer conference was that we are all CTE Super Heroes; administrators, teachers, support staff, and most importantly students. You can view photographs of the super heroes in action at the link below. We are very grateful to Dr. Bob Witchger, CTE Director for NC Community Colleges and our CTE Photographer.

<https://flickr.com/photos/35805019@N04/sets/72157670947458095>

The theme for this year is very timely because CTE is in the spotlight with the expectations and wording in ESSA and because of the upcoming reauthorization of the Perkins Act. We have the opportunity to advocate for our CTE programs and to positively impact our students' futures. I was once given a plaque that said, "Administrators are not heroes, they are hero makers." As CTE Administrators, our "super power" is to support Career Technical Education and develop our nations future heroes. Are you ready to unleash your super powers?!



The CTE Administrator of the Year is chosen from the regional winners in the fall. This year at the NCACTEA Luncheon during summer conference, the regional CTE Directors of the Year for 2015-2016 were selected. Representing the

Northeastern Region:
Catrina Williams

Southeastern Region:
Ken Buck

Central Region:
Pam Lewis

Northwestern Region:
Joallen Lowder

Southwestern Region:
Tony Fogleman

Western Region:
Cynthia Deaton



The 2016-2017 NCACTEA Officer Team was installed during the luncheon at Summer Conference. The new officer team is: Lynn Hartley-Treasurer, Robert Filter-Secretary, Sharon Johnson-Vice President, Chris Bailey-President-Elect, Anna Hair-Past-President, Chip Lucas-President, JoAnne Honeycutt- State CTE Director

Submitted by Kim Davis-Chair of the NCACTEA Newsletter Committee and CTE Director, Avery County

NC-ALIVE

Issue # Summer 2016

NC-American Leadership Institute for Vocational Educator Newsletter



NC-ALIVE Webpage Active

Please check out NC-ALIVE webpage at <http://www.ncalive.webs.com>.

Information on Membership and Professional Development

Membership
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CHALLENGE

Greetings from your Membership Chair, Barry Oxendine, NC-ALIVE! Become a Part of It! I welcome your involvement and membership. I challenge you, who are interested in helping to ensure that there will be strong leadership in Career and Technical Education, please contact any of the officers of NC-ALIVE.

Important



October 31-November 2, 2016
NCACTE Board of Director's
Meeting and Professional
Development Workshop,
Asheville, NC



A Word From Our Past-President- Sandra Murphy

Welcoming Our New NC-ALIVE President – Barry Oxendine

The summer is almost over and some of us have been on vacation, attended summer conference, and a number of other workshops and training activities. This summer has really been a restful one for me and busy as well. Soon we all will be back at work and wearing our many hats as educators.

I just wanted to say thanks to all of you for your support during my time as the President of NC-ALIVE the past two years. I know what Obama feels like, now that he will soon pass the torch. I really enjoyed my time and I know that with the help of NC-ALIVE's members and new president the division is in good hands, for a division is only as great as the members that serve and support its efforts.

With all of that being said, I would like to welcome Barry Oxendine, our new President for NC-ALIVE. The president holds two positions, one as president and the other as membership chair. One man cannot do it alone; therefore I want you to give him the support and assistance that you gave me during my time as president. When we pull together all things are possible and together we can make NC-ALIVE grow into a division that will be remembered as a division that did great things for its members and the community.

GREETINGS

NC-ALIVE President- Barry Oxendine



Greeting NC-ALIVE!

I want to give a special thanks to our past President, Sandra Murphy. She is a very professional leader, who led us during an outstanding 2014-2016 year. Thanks for mentoring me and showing me how to become a successful President for NC-ALIVE.

As your NC-ALIVE president, I want to thank the new and renewing members, without you our organization would not exist. This will be a super year for NC-ALIVE as the new officers are ready to serve you and make this organization the best it has ever been.

My goal is to make this year better and more successful, as we move on to increase membership and become a more powerful and a more professional organization. Under my leadership, I want to promote the program and embrace what the organization stands for and what we're all about, "the **power** of producing leaders and networking".

We want to keep it ALIVE, like it began in 1989. Where its conception grew out of a need to identify, recruit, train and have a pool of available qualified persons for leadership roles at the local, regional and state levels, primarily in Career and Technical Education (CTE). As a leader I want to keep LIVE like the founding **Willie Randolph** had established it 27 years ago. We want to keep it ALIVE as a positive vehicle for the development of ethnic minority leaders and other ethnic leaders who wants to climb the ranks across the state of North Carolina as well as, at the national level.

NC-ALIVE is a non-profit division of NCACTE that provides professional training and personal growth for its members. We seek to enhance and enrich the lives of our members and those that we serve. As members of NC-ALIVE, we should provide a caring, nurturing and collaborative environment that seeks to fulfill the dreams of our students. For living in a technical advance and complex society, we have to embrace different cultures and learn to solve problems in ways that respect a variety of viewpoints.

For more information, view NC-ALIVE's website: www.ncalive.webs.com.

Become a Part of it!

LIVE and NC-ALIVE welcomes your involvement and membership. Persons who are interested in helping to ensure that there will be strong leadership in Career and Technical Education, please contact any of the officers of NC-ALIVE.



Business Education Division

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NCACTE - Business Division Congratulates it's 2016-2017 Leadership Team

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Teachers, we would like to encourage you to please make an effort to have an active FBLA (Future Business Leaders of America) chapter this school year. The benefits to your students are immeasurable and life changing. They include:

- Discounts
- Scholarships
- Publications
- Awards and Recognitions

For you, as an FBLA Advisor, it helps with your evaluation by allowing you to:

- Demonstrate the value of lifelong learning and encourage students to learn and grow.
- Make the content taught engaging, relevant, and meaningful to students' lives.
- Encourage students to use 21st century skills so they discover how to learn, innovate, and communicate their ideas (FBLA projects, etc.)

If you need help please reach out to a colleague in a school that already has an active chapter. You may also follow the protocol by contacting: First contact Your: Regional Adviser, Vice president, Board Member, and finally, NC FBLA State Adviser, Ms. Mary Jane Thomas.

For more information visit: [NC FBLA.org](http://NC.FBLA.org) & FBLA.org

Congratulations George Brooks NCACTE-BE 2016 Teacher of the Year



The North Carolina Association of Career and Technical Education, Business Division announced at the NCACTE-BE 2016 CTE Summer Conference, this year's Teacher of the Year Award winner is George E. Brooks. The Teacher of the Year Award is given in recognition of being selected as the NCACTE-BE Teacher of the Year.

The 2015-2016 NCACTE-BE Teacher of the Year Award winner is George Brooks, he received a B.S. in Business Administration from Methodist University and later his Business Education Teaching Certification from Fayetteville State University. He is currently pursuing a Master's of Science in Vocational Education in Information Technologies at East Carolina University. He began his teaching career at South View High School in Hope Mills has been inspiring to his students, staff and peers at South View High School for the past 20 years.

Mr. Brooks has been an active member of the state organization for past 17 years. He has served as a member and chair of the Professional Development Committee and Resolutions Committee at the state level. Within the Business Division, he has served as the Committee Chairperson for the Professional Development Committee and Resolutions over the past several years. He was elected as the Business Division President-Elect, The Division President, and The Division Past President.

Mr. Brooks has given several teacher workshops, at both county teacher in-service meetings, as well as state and regional ACTE meetings to help teachers improve their technological skills with both teachers required computer programs, and programs to assist student learning. He is energetic and takes the initiative to promote NCACTE and ACTE at all meetings with peers and colleagues.

*A good teacher can inspire hope, ignite the imagination, and instill a love of learning.
~Brad Henry~*



NCHSETA The Superheros of Health Science Education!

Welcome back to Fall Semester! Your officers have been busy planning for next Summer Conference and the Pre-conference at Greensboro AHEC. Now let's meet your officers:



- President: Elizabeth Silvey - Patton High School essilvey@gmail.com
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We are all very proud to be of assistance to any members, new or experienced.

During CTE Summer Conference we dressed as superheros, pink shirts and black capes. Our President sported a black cape with ambulances. A pre-conference was held at Greensboro AHEC. The speaker, Melanie Bunn, spoke on caring for the family of a client with dementia. Those in attendance received valuable information, a great lunch, and 5.5 CEUs!

Members of NCHSETA are the Superheros of
Health Science Education!



FACS Division

What's Cooking? Breakfast Pizza

- 1 (8 ounce) can refrigerated crescent rolls
- 1 pound bulk pork sausage
- 1 cup shredded Cheddar cheese
- 3 eggs
- 1/4 cup milk
- 1/4 teaspoon pepper
- 1/4 cup grated Parmesan cheese

Unroll crescent dough and place on a greased 12-in. pizza pan; press seams together and press up sides of pan to form a crust. In a skillet, brown sausage over medium heat; drain and cool slightly. Sprinkle sausage and cheddar cheese over crust. In a bowl, beat eggs, milk and pepper; pour over pizza. Sprinkle with Parmesan cheese. Bake at 375 degrees for 28-30 minutes or until golden brown. Let stand 10 minutes before cutting.



Fall FACS Division Meeting

The NCACTE FACS Division Fall Professional Development will take place September 21-22 in Durham, NC. There will be a special focus for new and beginning teachers on Wednesday night with FCCLA and general FACS sessions. Registration forms can be found on the FACS Moodle or by emailing Michael Holman at mholman@chccs.k12.nc.us. We encourage everyone to attend – even those who are not members of NCACTE.



CTE Programs Showcased at the Mountain State Fair



The North Carolina Mountain State Fair open on September 9, 2016. But CTE student in Western North Carolina have been working hard to create booths to showcase their schools. Each year, students from high school CTE Departments in WNC create fair booths that incorporate the fair theme and showcase CTE student work from their high schools. This year's theme is "Sew It. Grow It. Show It." Family & Consumer Science students from North Buncombe High School created a T Shirt Quilt to be included in their display. The students collected shirts from CTE courses, CTSOs, and other school spirit shirts for this project. The CTE Booths are a great way to market CTE programs to the community by highlighting student projects and opportunities.

FACS Division

Nominate Members for Awards!

Be sure to be familiar with the various awards offered through NCACTE. We want to recognize as many NC CTE Teachers as possible. Consider nominating a teacher or CTE administrator for one of the awards. The deadline is in March, but don't wait!

<https://acte.nonprofitcms.org/a/organizations/NC/home>

Newsletter Input!

Help us feature projects and student accomplishments in your schools and districts. Email Stephanie Griffin or Amy White with information to include in our FACS Division newsletter. We want to promote you and your classes – show us what you're doing!

Emails: Stephanie.griffin@bcsemail.org or amy.white@bcsemail.org

From Your FACS Division President

Michael Holman

Greetings.

I'm originally from West Virginia where I did my under graduate work in Family and Consumer Sciences and attended Culinary Arts School. I have been blessed to have two beautiful nieces and two awesome nephews who are the love of my life. As a student in high school I was an active member in two CTSO – DECA and FCCLA. Serving as my school's FCCLA President my senior year of high school.

I have had the opportunity to serve on multiple standing committees for NCACTE –FACS Division prior to having the opportunity to serve on the Board of Directors for the State Association. I have served on the NCACFS executive committee as well for the last 7 years. Over the years in North Carolina I have had the opportunity to assist the FCS State DPI consultants in the planning of summer conference and have served on the State FCCLA Management team. What I have learned in the years of service to the state that it requires a servant's heart and humility to give the best to membership in which I serve.



Our Division has its work cut out for the 2016- 2017 year as I hope to work more collaborative this year with our stakeholders. In the past this association was a thriving group of teachers and FACS teacher educators and as we have witnessed a number of our members have retired and they no longer renew or member who are still in the classroom simple don't renew. It will be my goals to reach out to these individuals and the help them see the values of our association. Lastly it is my goal to ensure that we are following the protocol that has been outlined in the state and division bylaws. This year we will work hard on behalf of membership to update our bylaws so that they reflect who we are as an association in 2016.

Upcoming Events

October 31 - November 2, 2016
NCACTE Fall Professional Development
Conference and Board of Directors' Meeting
Asheville, NC

September 30 - October 1, 2016
ACTE Region II Leadership Conference
Tampa, Florida

November 30 - December 3, 2016
ACTE CareerTech Vision 2016
Las Vegas, Nevada

February 2017
Career & Technical Education Month

February 15 - 18, 2017
NCACTE Spring Professional Development
Conference and Board of Directors' Meeting
Atlantic Beach, NC

March 13 - 15, 2017
ACTE National Policy Seminar
Arlington, Virginia

March 28, 2017
Raleigh Legislative Policy Seminar
Raleigh, NC

May 1, 2017
Nominations for ACTE / NCACTE Awards
due

July 23 - 27, 2017
CTE Summer Conference
Greensboro, NC

2017 ACTE National Policy Seminar

<https://www.acteonline.org/nps/>



Would you like to learn more about ACTE and develop your leadership skills? Would you like to participate in the ACTE National Leadership Fellowship Program? Applications for the 2016 class are due Nov. 1.

<https://www.acteonline.org/fellowship/>



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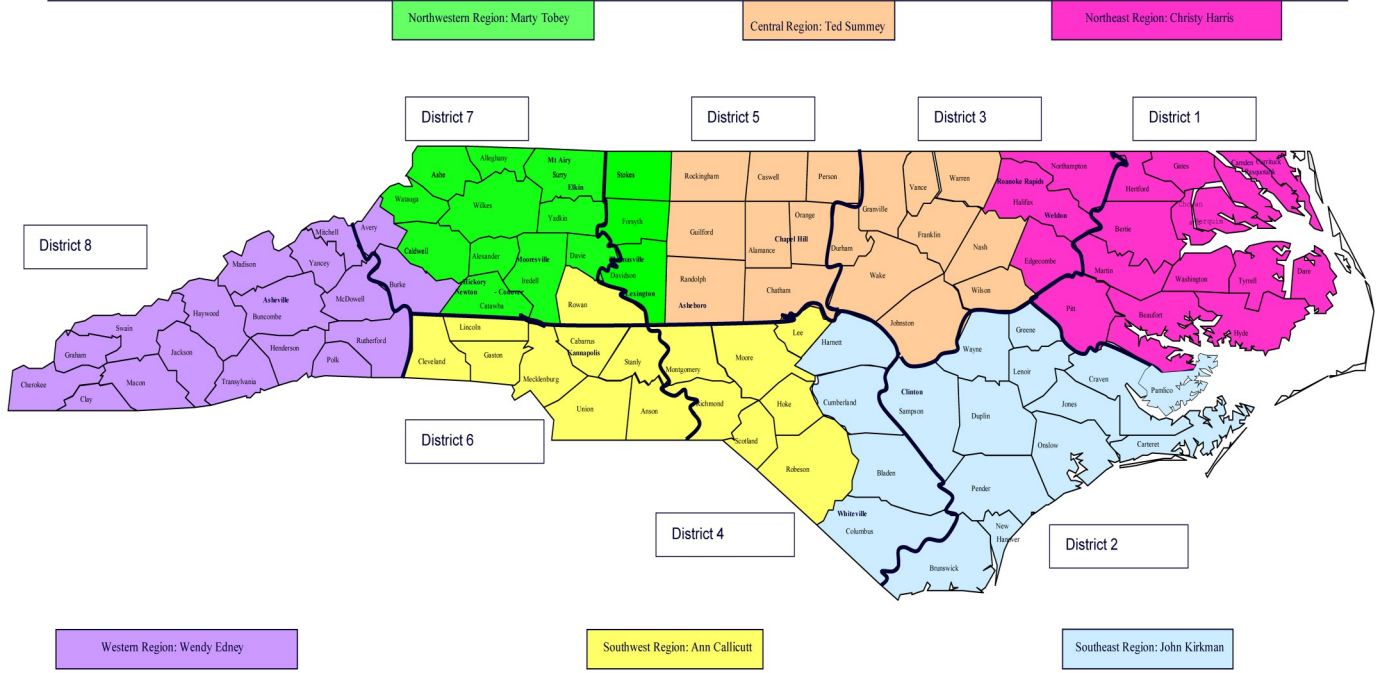
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to submit for our Newsletter ?

News from your school or CTSO?

A classroom activity to share ?

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