



# AGENDA

- 8:00 – 8:30 Registration / Coffee And...
- 8:35 – 8:45 Introduction & Welcome
- 8:45 – 9:30 “My Reason Why”
- 9:35 – 10:30 Elementary, Middle, High School Roundtables
- 9:35 – 11:40 NHS Advisers with Attorney Julie Fay, Shipman & Goodwin
- 10:30 – 10:40 Break/Exhibitors\*
- 10:45 – 11:40 Roundtables by Topics\*\*
- 11:45 – 12:00 Panel Presentation / Next Steps

\* Exhibitors will be available throughout the morning

\*\* Tentative Topics: Orientation, Fundraising, New Advisers 101, Service Learning, School Climate Improvement, NHS

## REGISTRATION DEADLINE - October 10, 2017

Regretfully, refunds will not be given for cancellations after October 1, 2017.

REGISTER ONLINE: <http://casci.ac/2384>

\$30 per person

For questions please email or call: Anna Flores at [aflores@casciac.org](mailto:aflores@casciac.org)  
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# EXHIBITORS

- Arts For Learning
- CT A.D.L.
- CT Association of National Honor Societies
- CT Association of Student Councils
- CT Kid Governor
- Driscoll Cares, Inc.
- Generation Leadership
- High School Debate
- Interactive Theatre
- Josten's
- KiDSMARATHON
- Middle School Debate
- The Discovery Center
- Unified Art
- Unified Sports
- Unified Theater



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Friday, October 13, 2017

Aqua Turf Club

556 Mulberry Street, Plantsville, CT



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CAS Student Activities Division

Connecticut Association of Schools  
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# INTRO

Study after study points to the value of student activities and their interplay with positive student behavior, social-emotional learning, school climate and culture, and academic success.

**While CT has enacted legislation establishing school climate guidelines and schools have unfolded many climate initiatives, there has never been an EXPO by NHS, Student Council and Club Advisers “Showcasing” their best practices!**

The CAS Division of Student Activities is pleased to present this conference for advisers that will put a spotlight on a variety of student activity programs at all levels that epitomize exemplary civic awareness, cooperation, and boundless potential for school-community impact.

**The EXPO will feature TWO WORKSHOPS in a single, half-day workshop – ONE for National Honor Society programs and ONE for Student Council / Clubs! The Aquaturf Club is the perfect setting to host this unique event! (See agenda)**

The Student Activity EXPO will feature both innovative and impactful programs nominated by school principals across the state as well as ‘Exhibitors’ who offer our schools with additional learning and enrichment services.

**EXPO attendees will find valuable net-working opportunities embedded in the rotational schedule which provide a variety of elementary, middle, and high school presentations. In addition, more than twelve ‘Exhibitors’ will be available throughout the morning to share their unique programs and services for Connecticut schools. In short, attendees will be able to acquire a “toolkit” of topics, ideas, strategies, and approaches to improve their local student activities.**

If you want to see and uncover the examples of what we truly want to see our students achieve through service, excitement, and passion through student activities this an unique opportunity not to be missed!

# Scheduled Presentations

## ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

### “The Look For The Good Project”

Presenter: Anne Kubitsky, CEO, Founder

### “Leadership Capacity”

Presenter: Bonnie Etense, Adviser, Live Oaks Elementary School

### “Dream Team Mentorship Program”

Presenter: Dr. Carter Welch, Principal  
Totoket Valley Elementary School, North Branford

## MIDDLE SCHOOL

### “Sage Park Leaders: A Young Men’s Leadership Group”

Presenters: Paul Cavaliere, Principal and Jen Wilson,  
Assistant Principal, Sage Park Middle School, Windsor

“Feeding Children Everywhere” Presenters: Cameron MacKay  
& Caitlin Ferrailo, Advisers, Gideon Wells School, Glastonbury

“Wingman, A Student Centered Approach To Social Emotional Learning” Presenter: Ian Hockley, Dylan’s Wings of Change

“Peer Mediation” Presenters: Tim Salem, Principal and  
Lisa Rodden, Adviser, Scott’s Ridge Middle School, Ridgefield

“Cupcake Manicures” Presenter: Dr. Albert Sackey, Principal and  
Tanika Vellucci, Adviser, Nathan Hale Middle School, Norwalk

## HIGH SCHOOL

“Unite For Kindness Week” Presenter: Jamie Miller,  
Norwich Technical High School, The Community Service Club

“A New Model For NHS” Presenter: Nick Ives, Sheehan High School

### “R.S.V.P. – Raising Student Voice and Participation”

Presenter: Karen Cordero, Adviser, Bolton High School,  
Student Council

### “Center For Youth Leadership”

Presenter: Bob Kocienda, Brien McMahon High School, Norwalk