An opportunity for National Honor Society Members, Faculty Council members, and Honor Society advisors to come together to create enthusiasm for scholarship, stimulate a desire to render service locally and statewide, enhance and promote leadership skills and focus on student member character development.

TRIP DRAWING

Every school attending the conference is eligible to win five prepaid registrations for the 2010 State National Honor Society Conference scheduled for May, 2010.



CANHS News

As of February 1, 2009, approximately 190 NHS and NJHS chapters have joined CANHS as state association members.

GENERATION TO GENERATION WORKSHOP

Creating and writing a manuscript to facilitate outreach efforts to serve senior citizens

The theme for this year's conference is "Generation to Generation". During this annual conference, students will work in teams to create a manuscript that can be used to promote opportunities for honor society students to participate in activities with senior citizens. The outcome of this conference will be to create a published manuscript that can be sent to every middle and high school honor society chapter to be used as a guide in support of community service activities focused on connecting students with "seniors".

During the spring of 2009, a survey instrument was sent to every senior citizen center and nursing home in the state of Connecticut. Respondents were asked to identify the types of activities they would like to see occur with honor society students. Data from responses to these surveys will be categorized and used to develop a manuscript publication. Students will write a narrative to support identified categories i.e. "board/computer games", "entertainment", "educational programs", "special events", etc. along with brief descriptions of the various recommended activities.

Directions – Hartford Marriott, Rocky Hill

Take I-91 south or north to exit 23 (West Street – Rocky Hill)

<u>If traveling south</u> – at end of the ramp, turn left. At second light turn right. Hotel driveway is on your right.

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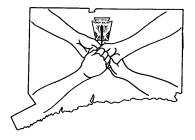
Any questions please call:
Don Gates, Assistant Principal, East Hampton Middle
School

Chair, National Honor Society Committee (860) 365-4060 or David Maloney, Assistant Executive Director at the CAS office: (203) 250-1111



Connecticut Association of Schools and CANHS

Eleventh Annual
Connecticut Association
of
National Honor Societies
State Conference



Thursday, May 28, 2009

7:30 a.m. – 1:30 p.m.

Hartford Marriott, Rocky Hill 100 Capitol Boulevard Rocky Hill, CT 06067

Eleventh Annual CANHS Conference

Buffet

Luncheon: Fresh Garden Salad – selection of dressings, "Sandwich On The Go" with roast beef, provolone cheese, smoked turkey, Muenster cheese, pickle wedges, assorted baked cookies and brownies. Coffee, tea, soft drinks.

Registration Fee:

<u>CANHS Member School Chapters</u> \$40.00 per person prior to April 30, 2009. \$50.00 per person after April 30, 2009.

Non Member School Chapters \$60.00 per person prior to April 30, 2009. \$65.00 per person after April 30, 2009.

Registration for schools will be available online at

www.casciac.org/register

Registration Deadline is April 30, 2009

Refunds will not be available for non-attendance or cancellation after May 15, 2009.

Please collect payment from each attendee and mail **one** school check, payable to *CAS*.

Mail to payment to:

CAS
Attn: Noreen Liberopoulos
30 Realty Drive
Cheshire, CT 06410

Eleventh Annual CANHS Conference

Agenda

7:30-8:00 am Registration -Continental Breakfast

8:00-9:00 <u>Welcome</u>:

Salma Akhter President, CANHS Westbrook High School

David Maloney

Assistant Executive Director, The Connecticut Association of

Schools

Greetings:

Connecticut State Department of

Education

9:00-9:30 Keynote Address:

David Cordts, Associate Director

NHS and NJHS

9:30-10:00 Intergenerational Speaker

10:15-10:45 Group Workshops

Group A Graphic Artist Group B Cover Design Group C/D/E Narratives

10:45-11:45 Group Reports

11:45-12:45 pm LUNCH

12:45-1:30 *Executive Director Don Gates

Comments – Statewide Initiative/Lead Conferences

*Election of Officers for

2009 - 2010

*Chapter Recognition Awards

*Election Results

*Closing

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CEU Credit will be awarded for full conference attendance.