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 2012 State National Honor Society Conference.

Program Format

Feedback from last years’ conference evaluation form recommended a program format that would engage students in discussion on various topics pertinent to student engagement in honor society activities. Table talk discussions facilitated by honor society students will be offered and students will be given the opportunity to share ideas with one another. Concluding discussion on topics listed in the program, each participating school will receive a print out of ideas/suggestions to support their individual chapter initiatives. Alice Mitchell, a consultant associated with the Berlin Public School System will kick off the program with a talk focused on motivating students—engagement and the importance of strengthening good listening skills.

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

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

If traveling north – at end of the ramp, turn right. At first light turn right. Hotel driveway is on your right.

Any questions please contact
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CANHS News

As of February 1, 2011, approximately 200 NHS and NJHS chapters have joined CANHS as state association members.

Connecticut Association of Schools
And
CANHS

Thirteenth Annual
Connecticut Association
Of
National Honor Societies
State Conference

Monday, May 16, 2011
7:30 a.m. – 1:30 p.m.
Hartford Marriott, Rocky Hill
100 Capitol Boulevard
Rocky Hill, CT 06067
**Thirteenth Annual CANHS Conference**

**Buffet**

**Registration Fee:**
CANHS Member School Chapters
$40.00 per person prior to April 30, 2011.
$50.00 per person after April 30, 2011.

Registration for schools will be available online at [www.casciac.org/register](http://www.casciac.org/register)

Registration Deadline is April 30, 2011

Refunds will not be available for Non-attendance or cancellation after May 6, 2011.

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

Mail to payment to:
CAS
Attn: Jenn Sylvester
30 Realty Drive
Cheshire, CT 06410

CEU Credit will be awarded for Full conference attendance.

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**Thirteenth Annual CANHS Conference Agenda**

7:30-8:00  Registration - Continental Breakfast

8:00-9:00  Welcome:
           Jenny Murphy
           President, CANHS
           Westbrook High School

           David Maloney
           Assistant Executive Director, the Connecticut Association of Schools

9:00-9:30  Keynote Address:
           Alice Mitchell, Consultant
           “Motivating Honor Society Students”

9:30-10:30 Table Talk Discussions
1. Organizing Time & Tasks
2. Handling Stress
3. Good Student Merits
4. Induction Ceremonies
5. Community Service
6. Creative Fundraising
7. Displaying Leadership
8. Character: Impact of
9. M/H School Transition
10. Maximize school climate to minimize bullying

10:30-10:45 BREAK
10:45-11:45 Repeat Table Talk Discussions
11:45-12:30 LUNCH
          Candidates for office address audience
          Election of officers

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**Program Continued:**

12:30-1:00  David Cordts, Associate Director
            NHS & NJHS
            National Association of Secondary School Principals

1:00-1:15   Don Gates, Executive Director
            • Election results
            • Chapter awards

**State Officers**
Jeannette Murphy, President
Westbrook High School

Samia Billups, Vice President
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Neha Mehta, Secretary
Suffield High School

Samantha Guzzi, State News Editor
Suffield High School

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Northeast Middle School

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