FLORIDA EDUCATIONAL NEGOTIATORS

35th Annual Spring Training Program

Performance Pay: Promises & Problems

Embassy Suites Orlando – Lake Buena Vista South 4955 Kyngs Heath Road Kissimmee, Florida 34746 May 18-21, 2015

Monday, May 18, 2015

6:00 – 8:00 p.m. Board of Directors Meeting Discovery Boardroom

Tuesday, May 19, 2015

8:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. Conference Registration West Registration Desk

8:15 – 9:15 a.m. Continental Breakfast Palms Foyer

9:15 – 9:30 a.m. Welcome Palms E, F & G

Speakers: Kim Sabol, F.E.N. President

Martin County Public Schools

Melba Luciano, Superintendent Osceola County Public Schools

9:30 – 10:30 a.m. General Session 1 Palms E, F & G

Keynote Speaker – Gordon Jackson Jackson, Shields, Yeiser & Holt "New Era Negotiation Strategies"

10:30 – 10:45 a.m.	Break	Palms Foyer
10:45 – 12:15 p.m.	General Session 2	Palms E, F & G
	Florida Dept. of Education Update: Making Teaching Better Brian Dassler, Deputy Chancellor for Educator Quality, F.D.O.E.	
12:15 – 1:45 p.m.	Lunch on Your Own	
1:45 – 3:00 p.m.	General Session 3	Palms E, F & G
	"FSRBC - A Winning Combination for Retiree Benefits" John Robinson, C.E.O. Robinson Bush, F.B.M.C. & The Brevard County School District	
3:00 – 3:15 p.m.	Break	Palms Foyer
3:15 – 3:30 p.m.	Annual Business Meeting Election of 2015-2016 Officers Kim Sabol, F.E.N. President	Palms E, F & G
3:30 – 4:30 p.m.	General Session 4	Palms E, F & G
	Performance Pay: Roundtable Discussion # 1 Doug Griffin, Asst. General Counsel, Broward County School Board & Accompanying Attorneys	
5:30 – 7:00 p.m.	Reception	Palms D

Wednesday, May 20, 2015

7:30 - 8:30 a.m.	Continental Breakfast	Palms Foyer
8:00 – 10:00 a.m.	Conference Registration	West Registration Desk

8:30 – 9:30 a.m.

General Session 5

Palms E, F & G

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9:30 – 9:45 a.m.

Break

Palms Foyer

9:45 – 10:45 a.m.

Concurrent Session 1 (Select One)

- Basic Bargaining Part I (F.S. 447) (B) Palms E Session 1 ONLY Martin Miller, Miller Consulting Group
- 2. Responding to E.E.O.C. & O.C.R. Palms F
 Complaints Session 1 ONLY
 Terry Harmon, Esq.
 Sniffen & Spellman, P.A.
- 3. Federal Employment Law: F.L.S.A. Palms G F.M.L.A. & A.D.A. Session 1 ONLY Doug Griffin, Asst. General Counsel, Broward County School Board
- F.R.S. Investment Plan & Plan Choice Magnolia C Session 1 ONLY Walter Kelleher, CEBS, Director of Educational Services, State Board of Administration

10:45 - 11:00 a.m.

Break

Palms Foyer

11:00 – 12:00 p.m.

Concurrent Session 2 (Select One)

- Basic Bargaining Part II (B) Palms E
 Nuts & Bolts Session 2 ONLY
 Martin Miller, Miller Consulting Group
- Terminations 7 Deadly Sins vs. Palms F
 Performance Evaluation Sessions 2 & 4
 Doug Griffin, Asst. General Counsel,
 Broward County School Board

- Education & Labor Law Updates that Palms G
 Impact Union Negotiations Session 2 ONLY
 Terry Harmon, Esq.
 Sniffen & Spellman, P.A.
- 4. F.E.F.P. Timeline & Overview: Early Magnolia C Planning for the Budget & Negotiations Session 2 ONLY Jim Hamilton, President, H.B.E.C. Group, Inc.

12:00 – 1:15 p.m.

Conference Luncheon

Palms D

1:30 - 2:30 p.m.

Concurrent Session 3 (Select One)

1. Impasse Palms E
Session 3 ONLY
Leonard J. Dietzen, III
Rumberger, Kirk & Caldwell, P.A.

- Advanced Bargaining: Mandatory & Palms F
 Permissive Subjects in Collective Bargaining
 Session 3 ONLY
 Doug Griffin, Asst. General Counsel,
 Broward County School Board
- 3. Grievances & Arbitration Palms G
 Sessions 3 & 4
 Erin Jackson, Esq.
 Thompson, Sizemore, Gonzalez & Hearing, P.A.
- The PERC: History & Jurisdiction Magnolia C Session 3 ONLY Steve Meck, Esq. & Greg Morton, Esq. The Florida Public Employees Relations Commission

2:30 - 2:45 p.m.

Break

Palms Foyer

2:45 – 3:45 p.m. Concurrent Session 4 (Select One)

Unfair Labor Practices Palms E
 Session 4 ONLY
 Erin Jackson, Esq.
 Thompson, Sizemore, Gonzalez & Hearing, P.A.

 The PERC: Hot Topics & Current Trends Palms F Session 4 ONLY
 Steve Meck, Esq. & Greg Morton, Esq.
 The Florida Public Employees Relations Commission

Grievances & Arbitration Palms G
 Sessions 3 & 4
 Leonard J. Dietzen, III
 Rumberger, Kirk & Caldwell, P.A.

4 Terminations – 7 Deadly Sins vs. Magnolia C
Performance Evaluations Sessions 2 & 4
Doug Griffin, Asst. General Counsel
Broward County School Board

4:00 – 5:00 p.m. General Session 6 Palms E, F & G

Performance Pay: Roundtable Discussion # 2 Doug Griffin, Asst. General Counsel, Broward County School Board & Accompanying Attorneys

Thursday, May 21, 2015

7:30 – 8:30 a.m. Continental Breakfast Palms Foyer

8:30 – 11:30 a.m. General Session 7 Palms E, F & G

The 2015 Florida Legislature: A Final Report Ruth Melton, Director of Government Relations, Florida School Boards Association, Jessica Janasiewicz, President of F.E.L.L &

Members of the Florida Education Legislative Liaisons

10:00 - 10:15 a.m.	Break	Palms Foyer
10:15 - 11:30 a.m.	General Session 7 continued	
11:30 – 11:45 a.m.	Closing Comments Kelly Krostag, F.E.N. President Escambia County Public Schools	

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