

Save-Plan-Prepare



Informational Seminar

**Saturday November 12, 2016
8:00 A.M. – 12:00 Noon
Professional Learning Center
524 E. Schaumburg Road
Schaumburg, Illinois 60194**

Dear Colleagues,

Region 35, in conjunction with the Schaumburg Education Association, Schaumburg Education Employees Organization and Schaumburg School District #54, is proud to offer you this seminar that will provide you with valuable information as you move forward with planning for your work and/or personal future. This seminar is available to **all District #54 employees.**

Please review the session's descriptors that are listed below. Then, follow these guidelines to reserve space at the Seminar:

- Complete the registration form found on the next page. Choose the sessions that you are interested in attending. **(Please select no more than three.)** Seminar descriptions can be found below. Indicate your choices with a checkmark (✓).
- Send your completed form to Victoria Mikos, Region 35 Chair, at Stevenson Elementary School prior to **October 28, 2016** Registration will take place on a first come, first served basis. If you have any questions, please call Victoria at 847-357-5237.

Session Descriptors

Balancing Multiple Demands-How to Achieve Work-Life Balance: Most of us are aware that work-life balance is critical to good physical and emotional health. When our lives are in balance, we are at our best and our stress levels are manageable. As a result, our lives run more smoothly, more efficiently and more productively. Workplace Solutions will help you prioritize your day-to-day activities to maximize your effectiveness in all areas of your life. During this session you will: gain perspective on balancing priorities; assess your current and ideal life balance; learn skills for effective balance and develop and commit to a personal action plan. **Session open to all employees.**

Is Your House in Order?: Do you know the difference between a "living trust" and a "will?" Which one would be best for your situation? Come meet with one of the attorney's from the NEA-IEA Attorney Referral Program and see what you need to do to get all of your loose ends tied up. **Session open to members of NEA.**

Money, Money, Money: A financial advisor will share information about how to shelter funds from taxation while still remaining within stated IRS guidelines. Additionally, an explanation of the costs involved in different types of 403(b) Retirement plans, and how lower costs allow employees to make much more efficient use of their retirement dollars, will be addressed. **Session open to all employees.**

Degrees Not Debts: Information will be shared about your rights and options during the repayment period of student loan debt. Find out if you are eligible for any programs to assist and provide loan forgiveness. **Session open to members of NEA.**

If I Only Knew Then What I Know Now: A SEEO retiree will share information about what they wished they knew before retirement. There will be time for question. **Session open to IMRF employees.**

Questions About Your Contract?: Q & A for members of SEA/SEEO. A review of present benefits provided through the contractual agreements with SD 54 and an opportunity to ask questions regarding your employment contract. Also, updates of any proposed legislation out of Springfield that could impact your job. **Session open to SEA and SEEO employees.**

Certification: Learn the steps necessary to enter Professional Credit hours (CPDU's) into the ELIS system online through the ISBE site. This session will teach you how to login and enter the hours you have earned not only through SD54's Wednesday sessions but any college level courses you have taken over the past 5 years. The session will end with a brief tour of the ELIS site. **Session open to SEA employees or anyone with an Educator's License.**

NEA Member Benefits: A representative from NEA Member Benefits will review many programs available to you as a member of NEA. Topics that will be reviewed include: Click n Save; Auto Purchasing; Long Term Health Care, as well as, other programs and services offered through member benefits. **Session open to members of NEA.**

SAVE-PLAN-PREPARE SEMINAR REGISTRATION FORM

Saturday November 12, 2016

Name: _____ School: _____
 (Please **PRINT**)

Position _____ Email: _____

Please use a checkmark (✓) to indicate which three sessions you would be interested in attending.

	Balancing Multiple Demands-How to Achieve Work-Life Balance:	All Employees
	Is Your House in Order?	NEA Members
	Money, Money, Money	All Employees
	Degrees Not Debts	NEA Members
	If I Only Knew Then What I Know Now	IMRF Employees
	Questions About Your Contract?	SEA and SEEO Employees
	Certification	SEA Employees or anyone with an Educator's License
	NEA Member Benefits	NEA Members

Room numbers for each session will be posted at the PLC.

**Please return this registration form to
 Victoria Mikos at Stevenson Elementary School
 by Friday October 28, 2016**

If you have any questions, please call Victoria Mikos at 847-357-5237.