



Fall 2017 Edition

The Newsletter of the Hanover Retired School Employees Association

HRSEA News

HRSEA Meeting Announcement

DATE & TIME: Thursday, October 19, 2017; Registration/Social Time – **8:45 A.M.**;

Program/Business Meeting – **9:15 A.M.**

LOCATION: The Hanover Center for Trades and Technology (THCTT)

Mr. Justin Roerink, Principal (Directions Below)

PROGRAM: The AARP helps people turn their goals and dreams into real possibilities, strengthens communities and fights for the issues that matter most to families. Join us for Questions and Answers about the AARP as well as we explore the many wonderful opportunities and resources available to us that we are unaware of as retirees.

Presenter: Pat Jones Scott

American Association of Retired Persons – AARP

Executive Board Member and Community Ambassador

Refreshments Prepared by Mr. Brian Hubler and THCTT Culinary Arts Classes.

Meeting Reservation Required – Due: Thursday, October 9, 2017

See reservation information on the second page.

Directions to Meeting: The Hanover Center for Trades and Technology, located off Whippoorwill Road behind Hanover High School at 10002 Learning Lane (between Kersey Creek Elementary School and The Georgetown School), is the site for this HRSEA meeting. All events will be held in the school's Commons area. Light refreshments will be served. Members, guests and those interested in joining the Hanover Retired School Employees Association are invited to attend.

THCTT Tour: There will be a tour of the THCTT School after our HRSEA Fall Meeting. If you would like to tour the school to see the wonderful things our Hanover County Public Schools students are learning and doing please send an e-mail to Deborah Roane at clindesh@hughes.net by Thursday, October 12th.

2017-2018 Dues

Proposed Standing Rule Regarding Annual Dues/unit To Become Effective in 2018-19

The local unit (HRSEA) dues shall be fifteen (\$15) paid annually by June 15 prior to the beginning of the fiscal year in which they will be in force. Annual dues are in force during the fiscal year (July 1 - June 30 of the calendar year).

2017 Hurricane/Earthquake Relief and The American Red Cross

Please bring your monetary donations (currency and coins) to be placed in a jar to help those in need to our Fall Meeting. Donations are optional and will be donated to the American Red Cross.



HRSEA Meeting Registration

REGISTER FOR THIS MEETING by contacting the HRSEA Treasurer **BEFORE** Thursday, October 9, 2017. You may call or email the treasurer regarding your attendance.

Dr. Janet Christopher, HRSEA Treasurer 4740 E. Williamsburg Road Sandston,
Virginia 23150 804.737.5385 E-mail: Janet.Christopher@verizon.net

All HRSEA Members: The HRSEA is going paperless. Please e-mail or call Janet Christopher your updated E-mail address for future HRSEA/VRTA correspondences.

Gold Card for Hanover Senior Citizens

**HCPS Free
Admission!**

Residents of Hanover County who are 62 years old or older are eligible to apply for a Gold Card (Senior Citizen Pass). Retired Hanover County Public School Employees who are age 55 or older are also eligible. Gold Cards provide free admission to many public-school activities on the Hanover County Public Schools campuses including sports events and cultural arts programs. For information and an application, you may contact any of our HCPS high schools.

Future VRTA Dates/ Dues

October 2-3, 2017/Monday-Tuesday VRTA Delegate Assembly, Double Tree Hilton Inn Midlothian, Richmond, VA

OCTOBER 2017 DUES for the HRSEA/VRTA may be paid prior to or at the October meeting by contacting HRSEA Treasurer Janet Christopher. All Dues for 2017-2018 must be paid by November 1, 2017 and are in force till June 30, 2018.

President's Message



Hanover County residents have a strong commitment to volunteering in our community. I urge you not only to come to the HRSEA Thursday, October 19, 2017 meeting, but to invite a guest to attend. Guests do not have to be retired or retired educators. We welcome all concerned citizens who want to learn more about our group and the local school district today. Your HRSEA officers welcome your suggestions and thank you for your continued support as we work to meet your needs through our HRSEA. While the HRSEA continues to maintain close ties with Hanover County Public Schools, we are also actively reaching out to learn about state and county services and departments that offer opportunities for our membership. We are looking forward to seeing you this fall.

VRTA Spring 2018 Meeting

The VRTA Delegate Assembly will be held April 24-25, 2018 at the Double Tree Hilton Inn Midlothian, Richmond, VA. Registration information for this two-day meeting can be found in the Spring 2018 issue of the VRTA Newsletter which will be mailed to the homes of all members by the end of March. The Monday session will provide updates on VRS issues followed by breakout sessions covering a variety of topics. The business session for voting members will be held on Tuesday morning. HRSEA president Deborah Roane will represent the unit as our voting delegate at this meeting. All HRSEA Members are invited to attend the Fall 2017 and Spring 2018 Meetings. VRTA Registration Forms can be located on the VRTA Web Site.

VRTA Web Site: www.vrta.org

HELP "GROW" THE HRSEA BY BRINGING A GUEST TO US

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 19, 2017 MEETING.



Scholarship Recipient

**The 2017 HRSEA Scholarship Recipient
was Lilly Tyson at Atlee High School.
She is attending Christopher Newport University.**



Volunteers Needed

Please share your gifts and talents by helping and supporting the HRSEA. We need volunteers to help our HRSEA. Please indicate with a checkmark at least one committee on your HRSEA Form that you would be willing to serve on or assist with during 2017-2018, if you have not already been appointed to a committee or contact one of the HRSEA Officers. The effectiveness of the HRSEA depends on your willingness to help! We are also looking for nominees for new officers for our 2018 - 2020 Term. Please consider volunteering your time. You may submit names for future nominees to the current HRSEA Officers at our 2017 Fall Meeting.

2016-2018 HRSEA Officers

Deborah W. Roane, President & VRTA/District S Rep 804.615.9742 clindesh@hughes.net

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Dr. Carol Cash, Immediate Past President 804.730.8717 cash48@earthlink.net

Virginia Retired Teacher Association (VRTA) Web Site: www.vrta.org

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***HRSEA Technology Class at the Ashland
Regional Branch Library Coming Soon! ☺***