

Happenings

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minder that SPRING is finally here!

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Message from the President

When you work in a school, and you say, "March Madness," you are not talking about basketball! Though March Madness is upon us, at least it's a re-

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Representative Assembly April Meeting

Our next meeting will be held on Tuesday, April 19 in the high school library at 3:45pm. We had to change the meeting date because negotiations will be held on Monday, April 18.

VOTE-COPE is an acronym representing the Voice of Teachers in Education, the Committee on Political Education. VOTE-COPE is also referred to as a PAC (Political Action Committee), and is the non-partisan political action arm of New York State United Teachers. Funded entirely by voluntary contributions from members, VOTE-COPE is used to help union-backed candidates and campaign committees that support education and labor. VOTE-COPE helps strengthen political action programs on all levels - na-

tional, state and local. To help on the local level, VOTE-COPE provides rebates to participating unions for political action. VOTE-COPE funds, by law, are kept separate from those of NY-SUT. Decisions on the use of VOTE-COPE contributions are made by a statewide committee. Voluntary, VOTE-COPE contributions can be made through payroll deduction or by writing a check. Contributions or gifts to VOTE-COPE are not tax deductible.

The Building Representatives will be around asking for your support again this year.

Scholarship Committee

Please E-mail Carol Brown if you are interested in being on this committee.

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Retirement

If you are retiring in June, make sure you contact Nancy Ladonne in the Business Office. There are forms that need to be filled out, which you can get from her. In Solidarity!

Regis Foster



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