



# Happenings

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## Message from the President

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It is hard to believe that the holiday season is behind us and we are into a New Year. I hope everyone is keeping warm through these freezing temperatures!

### Grievance

PJTA filed a grievance in regards to a member who was denied the retiree buyback for Health Insurance.

### PJTA Dues

PJTA dues that were paid in 2013 were \$674.26.

### PJTA Scholarship

The PJTA Scholarship is available on the PJTA website. The deadline for filling out the scholarship is March 31, 2014.

### Salary Adjustment Form

Once you have completed an approved graduate course or 45 hours of an approved in-service course(s), you must submit a salary adjustment claim form and an official college transcript to Central Office by February 1st. There are two official dates for submission. One is October 1st and the other is February 1st of each year.

### Holiday Toy Drive

I want to thank you all for your generosity in contributing to the Holiday Toy Drive.

### Food Drive

Our post-holiday food drive is coming to a close. Our food and monetary donations will be delivered to the Grace Episcopal Church. Please be generous!

## **President's Message**

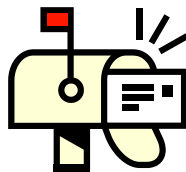
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**Make sure you keep every document, i.e. pay stubs, salary agreements, contracts, and documents/letters with your name on it in a safe place until you either retire or resign from the District!**

Happy New Year!

*Regis Foster*

## **Correspondence**



### **Cards Sent**

### **Sympathy**

Eric Andrews—loss of his father  
Regina Gibson—loss of her aunt  
Dawn & Tony Buzzelli—loss of her father-in-law  
Linda Mole—loss of her granddaughter, Elena Sanchez  
Nancy Dunn—loss of her mother, Nancy Lorraine Schoen

### **Cards Received**

Thank you from Smile Train for our support of their organization  
Thank you from the Elks for our support during the holiday season