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NJEA Supports Parent Involvement by Lili Mortimer

On January 17, 2002, Debra Conway, director of Professional Development and Instructional Issues for the NJEA, presented a parent involvement training seminar for building facilitators and parent liaisons. The focus was on the NJEA parent workshop kit entitled "Together We Can". Participants were trained on presentation strategies that encourage parents to become actively engaged in the academic, social and emotional support of their children's education. Teams of facilitators and liaisons will subsequently create future parent involvement opportunities district-wide. The PSD and NJEA look forward to a continued partnership of ongoing excellence in education.

Social Activities

- On Wednesday, April 10, the WCEA is sponsoring a *Multiple Intelligence* workshop at the Clarion Hotel on Route 22 in Phillipsburg. This workshop will count as 2 hours PD.
Registration: 4 - 4:30
Workshop: 4:30 - 6:30
Hot Buffet: 6:30 - 8:30
Deadline for registering is March 28. There is no cost for the workshop or the dinner.
- On Tuesday, April 16, the Warren and Hunterdon County Education Associations will hold the *4th Annual Legislative Dinner* at the Clarion Hotel on Rte. 22 in P'burg.
Registration: 400
Cocktails: 4:30 Speakers: 5:00
Prime Rib Dinner: 6:00

Deadline for registering is March 28. There is no cost for the dinner.

- The last *PEA Social* of the school year will be held Thursday, May 30, at Victor's on the Deck starting at 3:00. Cost will be \$5 for members and \$10 for non-members.
- On Thursday, June 6, the *PEA Retirement Dinner* will be held at Lindy's Silver Dollar Restaurant inside the Best Western Hotel in Easton across from McDonald's. Retirees currently include Ed Munley, Doug Morris, Dolores Streader, Elaine Ditze, Clarence (Brad) Howard, Gerry Smith and Catherine Hann.
- Contact *Barb Alderfer* to attend any of these activities.

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