August 2024

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18		20 Bucks/Mont HCC Labor Trustees (Virtual) 5 p.m.	21	22 Bucks/Mont HCC at PSEA	23	MMER.
25	26 CAPS Workgroup (Virtual) 5 p.m.	27	28 EA Welcome Back Event 5 p.m.	29	30 Labor Day Holiday Office Closed	31 Revised 05/21/24

September 2024

	Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1		2 Labor Day Holiday Office Closed	3	4	5	6	elli eptember
8		SCHOOL!	10	11	12	13 PSEA Board of Directors	14 PSEA Board of Directors
15	,,,,,,,	16 Learn, Engage, Lead 5 p.m.	17	18 ESP Division Mtg/ Workshop (Hybrid) 6:00 p.m.	19	20	21
22		23	24 Bucks/Mont HCC Labor Trustees (Virtual) 5 p.m	25 Executive Committee 5 p.m.	26 Bucks/Mont HCC at BCIU	27 PSEA ESP BOD	28 PSEA ESP BOD
29		30 CAPS Workgroup (Virtual) 5 p.m.			SCHOOL BUS		Revised 05/21/24

October 2024

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
We	lcome +	I	2 Rosh Hashanah	3 Rosh Hashanah	4 Rosh Hashanah	5
6	7 Coordinated Bargaining (Virtual) 5 p.m.	8	9 MAC Committee Mtg (Hybrid) 5 p.m.	10	11 Yom Kippur Young	12 Yom Kippur Kippur
13	14 Indigenous' Peoples Day SEPaST Mtg 5 p.m.	15	16 New EA Member Welcome Event	17 Pre-Retirement Workshop (Virtual) 5 p.m. RETIREMENT PLAN	18 Collective Bargaining Conference—Hershey	19 Collective Bargaining Conference—Hershey
20	21	22	23	24	25 PSEA Board of Directors	26 PSEA Board of Directors
27	28 CAPS Workgroup (Virtual) 5 p.m.	29 Bucks/Mont HCC Labor Trustees (Virtual) 5 p.m.	30 Executive Committee 5 p.m.	31 Bucks/Mont HCC at PSEA		Revised 05/21/24

November 2024

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			Happy Hovember		I PSEA ESP BOD Happy Diwali	2 PSEA ESP BOD
3 FALL BACK	4	5 Election Day	6	7 MER HOD The Warrington	8	9
10	11 Veterans' Day	12 Pre-Retirement Workshon 5 p.m. RETIREMENT PLAN	13 MAC Committee Mtg (Hybrid) 5 p.m.	14	15 MER LDC—Skytop	16 MER LDC—Skytop
17 MER LDC—Skytop	18 CAPS Workgroup (Virtual) 5 p.m.	19 Bucks/Mont HCC Labor Trustees (Virtual) 5 p.m.	20 Michener Event 4 p.m.	21 Bucks/Mont HCC at BCIU	22	23
24	25	26	27	HAPPY TURKEY DAY	29 Thanksgiving Holiday Office Closed	30

December 2024

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	2 Coordinated Bargaining (Virtual) 5 p.m.	3	4 ESP Division Mtg/ Workshop (Hybrid) 6:00 p.m.	5	6	7
8	9 Pre-Retirement Workshop (Virtual) 5 p.m. RETREMENT	10	11	12 PSEA Board of Directors	13 PSEA HOD Philadelphia	14 PSEA HOD Philadelphia
15	16 CAPS Workgroup (Virtual) 5 p.m.	17 Bucks/Mont HCC Labor Trustees (Virtual) 5 p.m.	18	19 Bucks/Mont HCC at PSEA	20	21
22	23 Winter Holiday Office Closed	24 Winter Holiday Office Closed	Happy HANUKKAH	26 Happy Kwanzaa	27 Winter Holiday Office Closed	28
29	30 Winter Holiday Office Closed	31 New Year's Eve	HAPP			

January 2025

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			l New Year's Day Office Closed	2	3	4
5	6	7 Pre-Retirement Workshop 5 p.m. RETIREMENT	8 MAC Committee Mtg (Hybrid) 5 p.m.	9	10	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19 PSEA ESP BOD Call	Office Closed MARTIN LUTHER KING DAY	21	22	23	24 PSEA Board of Directors (Virtual) The	time is right
26	27 CAPS Workgroup (Virtual) 5 p.m.	28 Bucks/Mont HCC Labor Trustees (Virtual) 5 p.m.	29 Executive Committee 5 p.m.	30 Bucks/Mont HCC at BCIU		at is ght.

February 2025

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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2	3 Learn, Engage, Lead 5 p.m.	4	5	6 Pre-Retirement Workshop (Virtual) 5 p.m. RETREMENT	7	8
9	10 Coordinated Bargaining (Virtual) 5 p.m.	11	12 MAC Committee Mtg (Hybrid) 5 p.m.	13 ACE Training 5 p.m.	14 Valentine's Pay	15
16	Presidents' Day Office Closed Presidents' Day	18	19	20	21	22
23	24 CAPS Workgroup (Virtual) 5 p.m.	25 Bucks/Mont HCC Labor Trustees (Virtual) 5 p.m.	26 Executive Committee 5 p.m. Michener Event 5 p.m.	27 Bucks/Mont HCC at PSEA	28 PSEA Board of Directors	March 1 PSEA Board of Directors

March 2025

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	ACH LESS					1 PSEA Board of Directors
2 CAPS Art Show Opening & Awards		4	5 MAC Committee Mtg (Hybrid) 5 p.m.	6	7 PSEA Spring Leadership Conf. NEA Summit	8 PSEA Spring Leadership Conf. NEA Summit
9 SPRING AHEADI	10 Coordinated Bargaining (Virtual) 5 p.m.	11 Pre-Retirement Workshop 5 p.m. RETIREMENT	12 ESP Annual Division Mtg/Wkshp (Hybrid) MER Div Elections in person	13	14 PSEA ESP BOD	15 PSEA ESP BOD
16	ST. STRICK'S DAY	18	19	20	21 NEA ESP Conference	22 NEA ESP Conference
23	24 Learn, Engage, Lead 5 p.m.	25 Bucks/Mont HCC Labor Trustees (Virtual) 5 p.m.	26 Executive Committee 5 p.m.	27 Bucks/Mont HCC at BCIU	28 CAPS Art Show Closing Reception	29
30 Eid Al-Fitr	31 CAPS Workgroup (Virtual) 5 p.m.		300			

April 2025

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		1	2 MAC Committee Mtg (Hybrid) 5 p.m.	3	4	5
6	7 Coordinated Bargaining (Virtual) 5 p.m.	8	9 SEPaST Mtg 5 p.m.	10	11	12
Happy Passover	14	15	16	17	18 Good Friday Office Closed	19 Passover Ends
20 Happy Easter	21 Easter Holiday Office Closed	22 Bucks/Mont HCC Labor Trustees (Virtual) 5 p.m.	23	24 Bucks/Mont HCC at PSEA Michener Event 4 p.m.	25	26
27	28 CAPS Workgroup (Virtual) 5 p.m.	29	30 ESP Division Mtg/ Workshop (Hybrid) 6:00 p.m.			

May 2025

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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4	5 Learn, Engage, Lead 5 p.m.	6	7 MAC Committee Mtg (Hybrid) 5 p.m.	8 MER HOD Pinecrest	9	10
11 Mother's DAY	12 Coordinated Bargaining (Virtual) 5 p.m.	13	14	15 PSEA Board of Directors	16 PSEA HOD Pittsburgh	17 PSEA HOD Pittsburgh
18	19 CAPS Workgroup (Virtual) 5 p.m.	20	21	22	23 Memorial Day Office Closed	24 (0)\(0)\(0)\(0)\(0)\(0)\(0)\(0)\(0)\(0)\
25	26 Memorial Day Office Closed	27 Bucks/Mont HCC Labor Trustees (Virtual) 5 p.m.	28 Region Social 5 p.m.	29 Bucks/Mont HCC at BCIU	30	THE FALLEN A THE LIVING A

June 2025

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
summertime	2	3	4	5	6 PSEA Board of Directors	7 PSEA Board of Directors
8		SCHOOL ON THE AST DAY	11	12	13 PSEA ESP BOD	14 PSEA ESP BOD
15 Father's Day	16	memegenerator	18	19 Juneteenth Office Closed	20	21
22	23	24 Bucks/Mont HCC Labor Trustees (Virtual) 5 p.m.	25	26 Bucks/Mont HCC at PSEA	Have an	28
29	30 CAPS Workgroup (Virtual) 5 p.m.				Summ	en!

July 2025

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6 NEA-RA Portland, OR	7. • Enjoy • ° °	8	9	10	11	12
13	14	15	16	17	18 PSEA Board of Directors	19 PSEA Board of Directors
20 Gottysburg	21 Gettysburg	22 G <u>ettysburg</u>	Gcttysburg	24 Gottysburg	25	26
27	28	29	30	31		

Mideastern Region Events 2024-25

Region events listed below in order of appearance on our calendar – please be sure to RSVP! For information about statewide conferences and events, please see the link at the end of this document.

Membership Recruitment Meeting (virtual) – Run by our Region Advocacy Coordinator, Adam Clark, this workshop is designed for local presidents and membership chairs to provide an overview of membership recruitment best practices.

Bucks/Mont Healthcare Consortium Labor Trustees (virtual) – Labor trustees in participating entities of this healthcare consortium meet monthly to discuss the agenda for the full trustee meeting held later that week.

Bucks/Mont Healthcare Consortium (in-person) – Labor and management trustees for the Bucks/Mont Consortium meet monthly at either the MER office or the Bucks IU building in Doylestown to discuss the business of the Trust.

CAPS Workgroup (virtual)— This group of individuals meet monthly to collaborate with and give direction to the PR firm that assists us in running our dues-funded media campaign, the Council for the Advancement of Public Schools.

EA Welcome Back Event (in-person) – A networking opportunity as we start the new school year. EA leaders from our region, bargaining team members, and our MAC committee are encouraged to attend to catch up with colleagues and meet members who are new to their leadership roles. It's not a timeshare presentation – enjoy some food and beverages with your union colleagues – that's it!

PSEA Board of Directors (in-person) – Per our region and PSEA bylaws, this group convenes in Harrisburg at our headquarters several Friday nights and Saturday mornings throughout the year to discuss the business of the Association. Our region representatives to this group are Bill Senavaitis (MER president), Bill McGill (MER president-elect), and Debbie Lee (MER vice president). We also have several other individuals who are active or retired members in Mideast serving in roles on the PSEA Board of Directors.

Learn-Engage-Lead – By invitation only, this program provides an opportunity to members who have shown an interest in Association leadership to learn more about their local, PSEA and NEA. We explore what characteristics are necessary for people to be successful leaders in any organization and look to the role of an Association leader as an organizer and advocate.

ESP Division Workshop/Meeting (in-person) – Support staff professionals in Bucks and Montgomery Counties are invited to attend these events to conduct the business of the Division and earn Chapter 14 credit on a variety of topics.

Executive Committee (in-person) – Local presidents, region officers, state committee members, and PSEA staff meet on the last Wednesday of each month to discuss the business of the Association. The content of this meeting is a critical link between the PSEA Board of Directors, our PSEA state committees, and our local leaders.

Coordinated Bargaining (virtual) – EA leaders and bargaining team members are invited to attend these meetings. Each time we meet there will be a presentation by PSEA staff about topics facing our local bargaining teams. Following that, local leaders have an opportunity to discuss the progress of their bargaining and any settlements that have been reached in our area.

MAC Committee Meeting (hybrid) – Our region's Minority Affairs Committee increases awareness and encourages involvement on the part of ethnic minority members in programs on the local, region, state, and national levels. All members are welcome.

SEPaST (hybrid) – Participating entities in the SouthEastern Pennsylvania Schools Trust are invited to send representatives to these periodic meetings at the MER office to discuss matters related to healthcare.

EA New Member Welcome Event (in-person) – If you are a member in your first five years of employment in a public school, join us at the region office for a networking opportunity to learn about your rights as members of the Association.

Pre-Retirement Workshops (virtual or in-person) – These events, held throughout the year, are an opportunity for members in their last five years of service to learn about important matters related to PSERS and Social Security.

Act 48 Events – These continuing-education opportunities are offered throughout the year at a variety of locations for the purpose of furthering the professional development of our members. All events are eligible for Act 48 credit or, with pre-approval from your district, Chapter 14 hours. A full listing and description of all Act 48/Chapter 14 events for this year will be shared in September.

CTE Meeting - This group meets twice per year and provides Career and Technical Educators a forum to discuss current CTE issues and legislation that impacts their schools and programs. The group also offers CTE ACT 48 hours.

MER House of Delegates (in-person) – These events, held twice per year, are an opportunity for our 15,000 members to bring business for the consideration of the body. Along with updates from members of our Executive Committee, the evening features a cash bar, dinner, and region officer and committee elections.

ACE Training (in-person) – Hosted by PSEA Government Relations, this event helps EA and ESP members build relationships with their elected officials. The evening will cover important legislative topics, strategies for talking with friendly and unfriendly legislators, and how to maintain that relationship so that educators have a voice on important issues in Harrisburg.

CAPS Art Show Opening and Awards (in-person) – Students, families, and guests with work displayed at the art show are invited to attend an awards ceremony with light refreshments to celebrate their work.

CAPS Art Show Closing Reception (in-person) – Educators who have student work showcased at our art show at an off-site location are invited to attend a reception with light refreshments and beverages to celebrate their work.

CAPS Spelling Bee (in-person) – Student participants from across the region participate in a region event for the Scripps National Spelling Bee.

A full description of all statewide conferences and workshops can be found at https://www.psea.org/news-events/conferences/