



# 5 very good reasons you should attend.

- ✓ Networking
- ✓ Professional Development
- ✓ Peer Recognition
- ✓ Association Governance
- ✓ Resources

## WHEN AND WHERE

Thursday, March 6, 2014

Riverdale CUSD 100  
Riverdale Middle School  
9822 256<sup>th</sup> St. North  
Port Byron, IL 61275

*Directions: From Route 84 North to Port Byron – Turn right (east) on 94<sup>th</sup> Avenue/Hillsdale Road. Go approximately four miles. Turn left (north) on 256<sup>th</sup> Street North (just past the cemetery). Riverdale Middle School is on the left (third building).*

## PROGRAM

5:00 p.m. Registration and Open House

6:00 p.m. Dinner

6:45 p.m. Business Meeting

Presiding: **Don Sproul**, *Division Chair*

### Reports of the:

Board of Directors: **Jackie Mickley**, *Director*

Resolution Committee: **David Rockwell**,  
*Resolutions Chair*

Statewide Officers: **Phil Pritzker**, *Vice President*

Executive Director: **Cathy Talbert**, *Associate Executive Director*

Legislative Update: **Deanna Sullivan**, *Director*,  
*Governmental Relations*

Presentation of Awards: Recognition of  
Delegates

Announcements: **Reatha Owen**, *Director*, *Field Services*

7:30 – 8:45 p.m. **Breakout Sessions**



The  
**Blackhawk**  
Division

# Spring Dinner Meeting

FEATURING BREAKOUT SESSIONS:

**Student Discipline:  
Easier said than done**

**Partnering for Efficiency,  
Effectiveness, and  
Engagement**

**Common Core**

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THE ILLINOIS ASSOCIATION OF SCHOOL BOARDS PRESENTS

RESERVATION FORM *continued*

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## BREAKOUT SESSIONS

### *Student Discipline: Easier said than done*

**Luke M. Feeney**, Partner with Miller, Tracy, Braun, Funk & Miller, Ltd., will discuss the policy issues and practical guidance for school boards associated with bullying/harassment, cyberbullying, and related student discipline. Learn about common issues that arise for school boards in student discipline by discussing some tough, complex cases found in every district. He will also discuss what potential liability may arise based on the school district's response.

### *Partnering for Efficiency, Effectiveness, and Engagement*

**Kristin Humphries**, Superintendent, East Moline SD 37, **Scott Kuffel**, Superintendent, Geneseo CUSD 228, and **Ray Bergles**, Superintendent, Silvis SD 34, discuss how their school districts have been able to save money, provide quality services, and in some cases, improve opportunities for students by developing meaningful partnerships. These partnerships include relationships with other school districts, vendors, and even other taxing bodies. The collaboration within these districts provides an opportunity for sharing services, purchasing, instruction, and innovation.

### *Common Core*

**Amy Jo Clemens**, Assistant Superintendent for Innovations & Improvement, ISBE, will talk about the New Illinois Learning Standards aligned to the Common Core. In June 2010, the Illinois State Board of Education approved the new Illinois Learning Standards for Math and English Language Arts, aligned to Common Core, in response to growing evidence that students graduating from Illinois high schools are not fully prepared for entrance into college or

careers. Learn more about these standards and the work being done across the state in aligning curriculum, creating new assessments, and learning new instructional strategies. Resources for parents will also be provided.

## BLACKHAWK DIVISION OFFICERS

Don Sproul, *Chair*  
United THSD 30 Board of Education

Janet Neff, *Vice Chair*  
East Moline SD 37 Board of Education

David Rockwell, *Resolutions Chair*  
Rock Island/Milan SD 41 Board of Education

Jackie Mickley, *IASB Board of Directors*  
Geneseo CUSD 228 Board of Education

## RIVERDALE CUSD 100 BOARD OF EDUCATION

Brian Plumb, *President*

Todd Caves, *Vice President*

Todd Jackson

Robert Lagerblade

James Toppert

Sherry Turkal

Thomas Walston

**SUPERINTENDENT**

Ronald Jacobs

## MARK YOUR CALENDAR

May 1, 2014, Blackhawk Division Summer Governing Meeting, The Cellar, Geneseo

Please check IASB's website for a complete list of events and locations at [www.iasb.com/calendar/calendar.cfm](http://www.iasb.com/calendar/calendar.cfm).

## 4 EASY WAYS TO MAKE RESERVATIONS

- Online at [www.iasb.com](http://www.iasb.com)
- Mail to: Illinois Association of School Boards, 2921 Baker Drive, Springfield, Illinois 62703
- Fax to Brenda Watkins at 217/528-2831
- Telephone 217/528-9688 ext. 1116



If you need a special meal or arrangements, please contact us at the above telephone number.

Reservations may be canceled no later than two working days prior to the meeting. This is a legitimate school board expense.

Attendance at this event earns participants 5 credits in IASB's Master Board Member Program.

## BLACKHAWK DIVISION RESERVATION FORM

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Please make \_\_\_\_\_ dinner reservations at \$23.00 per person.

*Please indicate method of payment*

Bill district, P.O. \_\_\_\_\_  Payment is enclosed  Charge my  Visa  MasterCard  Discover

Credit Card # \_\_\_\_\_ Exp. Date \_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

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District Name/No.: \_\_\_\_\_

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