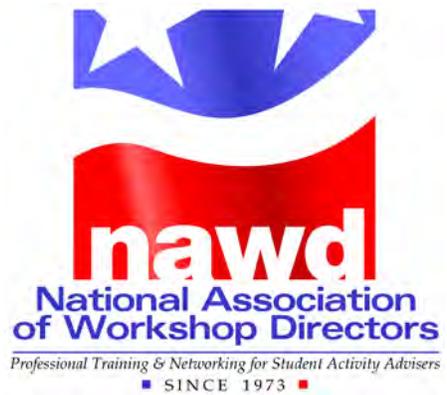


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“LEADERSHIP FIESTA” COMES TO SCOTTSDALE, ARIZONA

The annual National Conference on Student Activities (NCSA) brings together different groups of like-minded leadership educators and activity advisors (newly-minted or veteran) for a weekend of learning, networking, and fun. It is NAWD's goal that the participants will be inspired during the three days of the conference and will return to their homes to make the most significant difference possible in the lives of their students, colleagues, and community members.

The National Conference on Student Activities (NCSA) is designed to provide program strands that encourage participation of a wide variety of activity advisors, school administrators, leadership educators, motivational speakers, and consultants. The program will feature:

- two general session keynote speakers,
- four 40-minute workshop presentations
- a panel of practitioners and experts in the field of student activities
- five 10 minute “Meet the Pros” sessions to learn of new materials, methods, projects successful implement in middle schools and high school across the nation
- Mixers, social activities and meals that promote networking and fun

Date: Friday, Dec. 5 to Sunday, Dec. 7, 2014

Location: Chaparral Suites, Scottsdale, Arizona

Cost: \$295 (program, materials, meals, NAWD dues)

Pre-conference activities - December 5:

Meet the Speakers program
Trip to Sedona, Arizona (additional cost)
Shuttles to Tempe Festival of the Arts

Information regarding registration, hotel, pre-trip, etc. can be found at www.nawd.com.

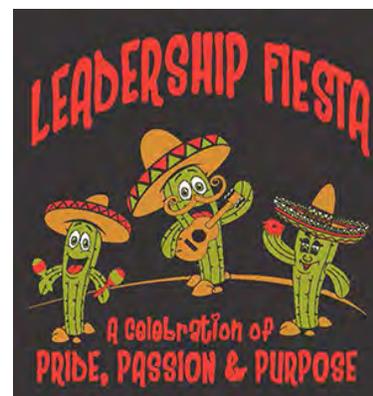
CALL FOR NCSA PRESENTERS

The National Conference on Student Activities is designed to provide program strands which encourage participation by a wide variety of activity advisors, school administrators, leadership educators, motivational speakers, and consultants. There are seven workshop strands, each meeting the needs of an array of NCSA participants. Posted at www.nawd.com are the strands and topic areas designed to encourage NCSA attendees to apply to be presenters in 2014. Potential presenters are asked to review topic areas and create a presentation based on the suggested themes. The list of topics is designed to stimulate thinking about potential presentations and not to place constraints on the creativity of the presenters.

NAWD has a tradition of using educational conference sessions as a platform for innovation in the field of student activities. In the spirit of collegial networking, NAWD seeks contributors who are willing to share their expertise without an expectation of payment.

Concurrent sessions will be held at the Chaparral Suites on December 6. Sessions are 40 minutes in length. We will have a total of twenty or more breakouts in four time slots. **Please submit a presenter application to Jim Finnemeyer at finnemeyer@nawd.com no later than September 10, 2014.** Decisions will be made on a rolling basis as submissions arrive.

Presenters for the 10 minute “Meet the Pros” sessions will be asked to apply when registration for NCSA attendees goes online (August-October).



**NCSA-2014 - “LEADERSHIP FIESTA”
PRELIMINARY SCHEDULE**

Friday, December 5

9:00 AM - 5:00 PM	Optional Pre-Conference Program and Activities
2:00 PM - 6:00 PM	Registration Hall of Exhibitors
5:00 PM - 6:00 PM	Newcomers' Meeting and Reception
6:00 PM - 7:15 PM	Welcome Reception and Dinner
7:30 PM - 10:00 PM	Opening General Session Mixers Earl Reum Award Presentation Keynote Speaker Parade of Ideas
10:00 PM	Dessert Reception- sponsored by the Arizona Assoc. of Student Councils

Saturday, December 6

7:00 AM - 8:00 AM	Breakfast
8:00 AM - 8:30AM	Second General Session
8:40 AM - 10:50 AM	Workshop Sessions 1 and 2
11:00 AM - 11:50 AM	50 Tips in 50 Minutes
12:00 PM - 1:00 PM	Lunch
1:10 PM - 2:40 PM	Workshop Sessions 3 and 4
2:50 PM - 3:50 PM	Meet the Pros 4 10 minute workshops plus 1 idea-sharing session
4:00 PM - 5:00 PM	Future of NAWD and NCSA Meet and interact with NAWD Board of Directors Ask questions/share thoughts and ideas for future NCSA conferences
7:00 PM – 9:00 PM	Dinner and Fiesta
9:00 PM	Enjoy the Night-Life of Scottsdale

Sunday, December 7

7:00 AM – 8:30 AM	Breakfast
8:30 AM - 11:00 AM	Closing General Session Parade of Ideas Keynote Speaker Preview of: 2015 NCSA in Niagara Falls, NY Conference in Review Slideshow- Dave Brame



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Seeking Nominees for the 2014 EARL REUM AWARD

In order to be eligible for nomination, a candidate for the Earl Reum Award must be a member of NAWD and should be in attendance for the [National Conference on Student Activities](#) in December.

While other awards are based on services to students, the Earl Reum Award was designed to recognize individuals for their work with adults. Leadership education for students is important, but this award recognizes those who train the trainers of those students. The nominee should also be someone who...

- Encourages and inspires others in the field of student leadership
- Enthusiastically shares their experience and expertise through presentations to adults
- Promotes, facilitates, or creates opportunities for adults to receive information to share with their students
- Is instrumental in student leadership training
- Promotes student leadership within their state and/or at the national level

It is recommended that an applicant/nominee for the Earl Reum Award should have previously attended a NAWD/NCSA Conference. A past regional Earl Reum Award winner must wait 5 years before applying for the regional award again. A past national Earl Reum winner



is no longer eligible for consideration. Nominations are encouraged from all NAWD members and self-nominations are acceptable. Past national winners and recent regional winners can be found at www.nawd.com under "Past Honorees". Help us reach our goal of having a nominee from each of the eight regions listed below:

Region 1: Connecticut, Maine, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, Rhode Island, Vermont

Region 2: Delaware, Maryland, New Jersey, New York, Pennsylvania

Region 3: District of Columbia, Kentucky, North Carolina, South Carolina, Tennessee, Virginia

Region 4: Michigan, Minnesota, North Dakota, South Dakota, Wisconsin, Wyoming

Region 5: Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Nebraska, Ohio, West Virginia

Region 6: Arkansas, Arizona, Colorado, Kansas, Missouri, Oklahoma, New Mexico

Region 7: Alaska, California, Hawaii, Idaho, Montana, Nevada, Oregon, Utah, Washington

Region 8: Alabama, Florida, Georgia, Louisiana, Mississippi, Texas

Please go to www.nawd.com and click on Earl Reum Award on the left column and then the nomination form. In addition to the completed form, one letter of recommendation is necessary. **Application deadline is September 1, 2014.**



WISDOM AND RESOURCES FROM EARL REUM

NAWD founder Dr. Earl Reum inspired young people and educators and the thousands of individuals whom he touched in his personal and professional career. As a speaker he was profound, humorous, insightful, challenging and supremely optimistic about life and his fellow human beings. As a author and writer of an incredible array of books, monographs, and articles, he provided resources for leadership and life for over sixty years. **Reumors**, named for Earl will share these resources with NAWD members as a tribute to him and as a guide and an inspiration to those who read them and use them in their personal and professional lives.

BEATITUDES OF A LEADER

Blessed is the leader who has not sought the high places, but who has been drafted into service because of his ability and willingness to serve.

Blessed is the leader who knows where he is going, why he is going and how to get there.

Blessed is the leader who knows no discouragement, who presents no alibi.

Blessed is the leader who knows how to lead without being dictatorial; true leaders are humble.

Blessed is the leader who seeks the best for those he serves.

Blessed is the leader who leads for the good of the most concerned and not for the personal gratification of his own ideas.

Blessed is the leader who develops leaders while leading.

Blessed is the leader who marches with the group, interprets correctly the signs on the pathway that leads to success.

Blessed is the leader who has his head in the clouds, but his feet on the ground.

Blessed is the leader who considers leadership an opportunity for service.

- Dr. Earl Reum

How is "Beatitudes of a Leader" being used today? Every year the Virginia Beach, Virginia Public schools hold a leadership workshop for student leaders of their twenty-five middle schools and high schools. "Beatitudes" is used as part of the closing ceremony for that workshop. Just this week we learned that "Beatitudes" was used at a teacher in-service program in Center Grove, Indiana. Please share with us at NAWD, ways this poem and other materials by Earl Reum are used in schools, workshops, and other special programs, so that we may share these ideas with others. Send your thoughts and experiences to Finnemeyer@nawd.com