

Hello to everyone eagerly anticipating your exciting trip to Chicago next week.

After sending out the e-bulletin a few days ago I realized there are a few more events that I wanted to make sure you guys are aware of, they're going to be AWESOME so don't miss them!

#### Student Chapter Welcome Table -

As soon as you arrive in the "Windy City", let us know by signing in at the Student Chapter Welcome Table. This table will be your home away from home and your one stop if you have questions or need information. Even if you don't have a question, you should come and hang out. This is also the location where you will vote in the Presidential Election on Friday and a good place to post your resume. Don't forget that we are looking for volunteers to help man the table throughout the conference. If you are interested in helping us out please sign up at the welcome desk or sign up now by downloading the signup sheet off our webpage. All you need to do is email Jim O'Donnell ([anyb0dyme@yahoo.com](mailto:anyb0dyme@yahoo.com)) the day and time you would like to volunteer.

#### Welcome Meeting -

Wednesday 9-9:50 AM Williford Room A, 3rd Floor

This meeting is the first chance for all of the chapters to come together and share who they are.

#### Student Chapter Roundtables -

Thursday 7-8:50 PM Grand Ballroom, 2nd Floor

A great opportunity to share and learn great new ideas about art ed, the student chapter, and art! Fellow students present 20 min. presentations and forums to enhance your art education experience.

This is also your chance to share the great lessons you have been teaching and writing with a national audience while, at the same time, finding out what others have been doing. Bring 40 copies of your best lesson plan to the Student Chapter Roundtables Thursday night to participate in the exchange.

#### Student Chapter Business Meeting -

Friday 8-8:50 AM Conference Room 4G, 4th Floor

Let your voice be heard! How can we build communication and be advocates for the arts? This is also where candidates for National Student Chapter President Elect will be giving their speeches. This meeting is mandatory for all student chapter presidents.

Blending Our Voices -  
Friday 4-4:50 PM Waldorf Room, 3rd Floor

Join your fellow chapters and retired art educators in sharing valuable experiences! The RAEA Outstanding Student Chapter Award will also be presented. So come and see what this year's recipient did to take home this prestigious honor. What great ideas can you take away to implement in your student chapter?

Student Chapter Reception -  
Friday 8-9:50 PM Williford Room C, 3rd Floor

Excitement and snacks await as we honor our award winners and present your new president-elect! BIG PRIZES given away!!! Don't miss it!

Students & Advisors Forum -  
Saturday 8-8:50 AM Marquette Room, 3rd Floor

This is a great opportunity for all chapter members and advisors to come together and share what works! Come get some great ideas for how to improve your chapter.

Senior Wills -

We have purchased a small book in which chapter members that will be graduating this year can write their Senior Wills leaving messages and advice for future art educators and student chapter members. We will choose some of these messages to include in the April NAEA news column. To leave your "Senior Will" ask for the book at the welcome desk.

We're really excited to see everyone in Chicago. Don't forget to plan on visiting the Vendor's Hall. They have of free stuff for your taking (seriously, you're probably going to need an extra bag).

See you in Chicago,  
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President-Elect