



Theme: "Believe It & Achieve It"

Where: **Central Memorial High School - Main Venue**

5111 - 21st Street SW

Viscount Bennett Centre - Secondary Venue

2519 Richmond Road SW

When: Thursday, February 12th & Friday, February 13th, 2015

Convention 2015 is just over 3 weeks away!!

Convention is the major event that Staff Association puts on for you as a member. We are pleased to advise you that on-line registration has been an overwhelming success with over 2,800 spots confirmed.

You will find our Exhibitors in the Auxiliary Gym located in the south-west corner of the main floor. We have many new and exciting exhibitors this year. Remember to bring cash as the ATM's at the school are not guaranteed to be available.

We look forward to seeing you there!

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Convention Coordinator

Keynote Speaker

Please join Ann Marsh from The Power of Professionalism® in Central Memorial's main gym beginning at 8:15 am Thursday morning.

On-Line Registration

Our on-line registration will be closing on Friday, February 6th, 2015 at 6:00 pm in order to compile the registration lists for our presenters.

Unregistering From A Session

With the popularity of many of our sessions it would be very much appreciated if you find that you cannot attend a session that you have registered for that you log-in and 'unregister' yourself from the session so that another member can have the opportunity to register and attend.

Door-Prizes

Door prizes will be awarded at 12:30 pm both days with all winners having to be present. Winners will be announced over the school P.A. system.

Parking Reminder

Just a reminder that on-site parking spots are at a premium and you will be hard-pressed to find on-site parking if you arrive a half-hour prior to your session. We have hired a new company to assist with parking this year and we hope that things will run smoother. Parking is available in the student parking lot located on the south side of the school as well as the perimeter of the field, and along the west-side of 22nd Street SW. Please be aware that residential parking permits are in effect during the days of convention.

If you do not want the hassle of trying to find parking on-site, there are several bus routes you can opt to take to Central Memorial. Please visit Calgary Transit's Website at www.calgarytransit.com for route information.

Goodies & Thursday Lunch at Central & Viscount Bennett

Central Memorial High School

Saffron Catering will be offering coffee, tea, juice and an assortment of goodies both days which will be available in the cafeteria.

Lunch will be available for purchase in the cafeteria on Thursday only.

Menu: BBQ Chicken Breast Burger and a Caesar Salad for \$8.00 (cash only)

Viscount Bennett Centre

We will be offering coffee, tea, juice and an assortment of goodies both days which will be available in the lower level cafeteria.

Lunch will be available for purchase Thursday and Friday through Coco Brooks located in the lower level cafeteria.

Article 10 - Attending SA's Convention

Article 10 - Staff Association Convention

10.1 Continuous employees will be allowed at least one (1) day, with pay, to attend the annual Staff Association Convention. Employees not required to work either of the days of the Staff Association Convention shall not be entitled to receive additional compensation for time spent at the Staff Association Convention.

Please note: Continuous employees - If you are not at work you are expected to attend Convention. If you are not at Convention you need to have made alternate arrangements with your immediate supervisor as you are paid for the two days during Convention.