

OEA Tip-Off

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Upcoming Events:

Board Games and Chili
November 8th

5-8 pm

OEA located at
4202 So. 57th St.

Chili will be provided. Feel free to bring drinks, dessert, corn bread, cinnamon rolls, etc.

Election Day November 5th
Get out and vote!

President's Update

I know this year has been incredibly challenging, and it's easy to feel overwhelmed and burnt out. Your dedication and hard work do not go unnoticed. You are shaping the future, one student at a time, and that is no small feat.

I continue to meet with the district regarding more workdays in the calendar and the barriers to student learning. I will also be meeting with them to discuss the late start days and PLCs. If you have concerns, please share them with me.

The ProCom Committee will be working on student behavior this year. Over the summer, several educators came together to discuss the challenges concerning student behavior. We compiled the data we received over the summer and will use that information to steer our discussions with the district.

Remember to take care of yourselves. It's okay to take a step back and breathe. Your well-being is just as important as the lessons you teach. Lean on your colleagues, share your struggles, and celebrate your successes together.

Thank you for your resilience, your passion, and your unwavering commitment to education. You are making a difference every single day.

With gratitude and admiration,

Kathy Poehling
President
Omaha Education Association



BREAKING NEWS!!!!

OEA would like your input on things we can Subtract. We know that your workload is heavy and you are feeling stressed. We know you talk with colleagues about things we do that we shouldn't have to do anymore. Let's examine what we could Subtract from our workload. We will meet at OEA, at 4202 So. 57th Street on November, 18th from 5-6. Can't make it? No worries, this will be the first of many meetings. Just reply to this email if you plan on attending.



UPCOMING EVENTS

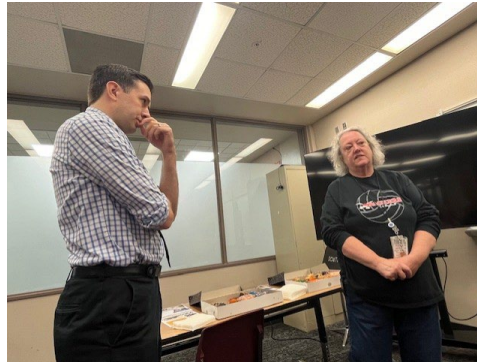
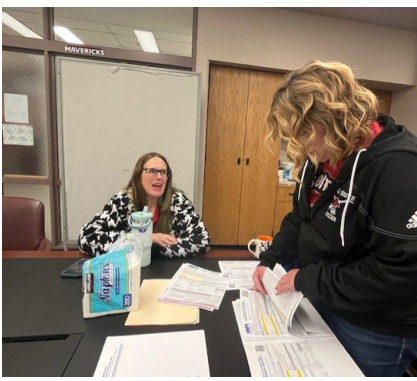
Save the Date:

**OEA's Night at the Children's
Museum
January 10th 6-8pm**

More Information to come.

**Only a
generation of
readers will
spawn a
generation of
writers.**

– Steven Spielberg



NEA and NSEA come to OEA to visit schools!

On October 17th and 18th, Nathan Allen and Matt Bennett from NEA along with Duff Martin of the NEA Executive Committee along with NSEA President, Tim Royers, NEA Director Ed Ventura and NSEA staff joined OEA to deliver coffee and donuts to several schools. President Kathy Poehling and the three member organizers, Stacie Stevens, Katy Isaacson, and MJ Mathews joined the fun.

The teams were able to visit 4 middle schools and 3 high schools over the 2 day expedition. During the visits we were able to gain new members and new insight into what is happening in the buildings.

President Poehling continues her visits to schools, taking donuts, snacks or lunch to our educators and has a goal of reaching every school within the 23/34 and 24/25 school years. If she has not made it to your school yet,



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CHILI & GAMES

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 8
AT THE OEA
5:00-8:00PM



Game Night

Don't miss out!

- Delicious Chili
- Fun for everyone
- Meet new people
- Members, bring a Non-member & win a prize if they join!



SIGN UP TO BRING CHILI OR SIDES OR DESSERTS!

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