



# Wachusett Regional Ed. Association



March 2019 Newsletter

## For WREA MEMBERS from the MTA!! Do you have questions about ...

...recent changes for Renewing Your Existing Professional License?

...recent changes for Advancing Your License?

...Planning for Your Retirement?

...Gaining Professional Status?

There's still time to join us on

### Tuesday, March 12th, @ 4:00pm

for one of these MTA Workshops,  
being brought to

**Mountview Middle School,**  
**for WREA members!**

The WREA has arranged for MTA to bring the following member workshops to MountView Middle school, after school on March 12th!

Advancing Your License

Renewing Your Prof. License

Gaining Professional Status

Planning for Retirement

Refreshments - 3:30,  
All workshops will begin at 4:00.

You can register for the workshop of your choice via a link that was provided in Heidi Lahey's member email, dated February 5th

or

email the board at [wreaboard@gmail.com](mailto:wreaboard@gmail.com) and we will forward the google form registration link to you.

If you're good at copying,  
the google form can be accessed by typing:  
<https://goo.gl/forms/rqPOkT8gEF0wXdzp1>

Contact any eboard member for more information!

## Sign up NOW and don't miss out!

See Reverse for more important WREA, HOD and MTA Information>>>>>>

**HOD February Meeting Highlights**

**As there was a lot covered at the February HOD Meeting, we ask that you reach out to your HOD Rep for additional information on the following topics discussed or to request access to the Feb HOD Meeting Minutes. You are the Union! The HOD meeting topics are Your Business!**

<b>WREA Sped Task Force Update</b>	<b>PD Committee Update</b>
<b>MTA Fund Our Future Campaign</b>	<b>IPDIP Folders</b>
<b>Course Approval and Reimbursement Forms</b>	<b>WREA Social</b> Date and location to be determined Forward any suggestion to your HOD Rep
<b>District and Regional State Funding Forum</b> Open to public <i>Tentative Dates:</i> April 24 or 25, 6-8pm Prior to Wachusett Town Meetings	<b>WREA Hosted MTA Workshops</b> See Above for more information!
<b>Proposed Sick Bank Changes-</b> Motion tabled pending collection of member feedback relative to proposed changes	<b>Looking for 3 NEA RA Delegates to National Education Representative Assembly being held in Dallas this July. Stipends are available to offset to costs.</b> Email: <a href="mailto:heidilaheywrea@gmail.com">heidilaheywrea@gmail.com</a>
<b>Looking for 11 - MTA Annual Meeting Delegates to represent the WREA</b> Typically held the first Fri and Sat in May Stipend available to offset expenses Contact Tracy at: <a href="mailto:tracyfieldwrea@gmail.com">tracyfieldwrea@gmail.com</a>	<b><u>Upcoming Meeting Dates:</u></b>  HOD meeting dates: Apr 1, May 6, Jun 3 Eboard meeting dates: Mar 25, Apr 29, May 20 WREA Annual meeting: June 3

**Thank you to the MTA for hosting a**  
**SOLD OUT! Professional Learning and Networking Conference**  
at Mountview Middle School on Sat., Mar 2, allowing attendees to earn licensure required pdps in ELL and SPED. Registrants received a confirmation email from the MTA Div. of Training and Prof. Learning.  
**If you enrolled, the following two offerings will continue on March 16th at Mountview Middle School:** Creating Success with English Learner Students  
Weaving SEL into Your Classroom to Make a Big Difference for Special Needs Students  
**Keep an eye out for future MTA offerings through MTA and WREA Communications!**