**Dear State of Ohio Educator,**

**Welcome to our 30th Anniversary as an organization and to the 2016 SCOPE Professional Day! SCOPE stands for State Council of Professional Educators, and we are the members who provide the State of Ohio professional and educational services in its agencies. We have members in just about every one of Ohio’s 88 counties. It makes us special within OEA as we are just one of two state wide locals.**

**This day is made possible by the members who work alongside you, the members that you have elected to lead you and who feel a strong responsibility to your professional development. I can’t thank my planning committee enough for their hard work over the past 18 months, and a special thanks to Vice President Betsy Lavinder for her combined efforts and keeping us all on track.**

**Today is a day for inspiring your dedication to educational success. We hope that today’s program will encourage you to build new relationships amongst your peers and develop new methods of teaching and learning in your classrooms. Hopefully we will inspire you to do great things and renew your dedication to your profession.**

**This day is different from other SCOPE days in the past as it represents a step forward in bringing us all together on a day where most of us would be at our daily jobs. We include all of the agencies this year in adjusting the summer and intercession schedules to accommodate everyone we serve.**

**I am hoping that the day is fun and informative for you and we welcome you to provide us with feedback on everything from the registration process to the closing ceremony.**

**Sincerely,**

**Dominic Marsano**

**President, State Council of Professional Educators**

**Thank you to all of the people who helped to make this day a success!**

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**Welcome Special Guests**

**Becky Higgins, OEA President**

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**IMPORTANT TO KNOW!**

**Two Keynote Speakers**

**Piper Kerman,** author of the NY Times Bestseller, *Orange is the New Black: My Year in a Women’s Prison.* Her book is currently an Emmy winning show on NETFLIX.

Ms. Kerman currently provides re-entry services to inmates at the Ohio Reformatory for Women and Marion Correctional Institution. She conducts a creative writing workshop and inspires inmates in her program to read, write, and develop their communication skills.

**Rick Banas,** Psych & Psych from Cleveland, OH

“Doin’ Time**:** the Particular Demands of Teaching in a Correctional Facility” during lunch in the Pagoda

**Door Prizes will be drawn at the 3:00 session in the ballroom. You will get your door prize ticket when you enter.**

**You may pick up your CEU papers when you turn in your evaluation at the end of the day.**

**SCOPE General Membership**

**Meeting at 3:30 pm**

**To*d*ay’s Schedule**

**8:00-9:00**

**Registration/Networking Ballroom III & IV**

**9:00-9:30**

**Opening Session/Remarks Ballroom III & IV**

**9:35—10:35 Ballroom III & IV**

**Keynote Speaker—Piper Kerman, Author of Orange is the New Black**

**10:40—11:20 Session 1**

Understanding & Responding to the Needs of Traumatized

Children part 1 Ballroom I

STRS Room A

Dimensions of Presidential Greatness Room B

STEM Products Available from APH Ballroom II

Core Scanner Demo Room C

When Can I Afford to Retire...Or am I Just Going to Die at

My Desk? Room D

Investing in Lives, Kindway Room E

Lesser Known but Essential Benefits of a Quality Bilingual,

Bimodal Education for Deaf Children/Students Ballroom III

OHIOTESOL Room F

Ohio EAP—Can you Laugh at yourself? Ballroom IV

**11:25-1:15 Lunch in the Pagoda**

**Keynote Speaker—Rick Banas, “Doin’ Time: the Particular Demands of Teaching in a Correctional Facility”**

**1:20—2:05 Session 2**

Understanding & Responding to the Needs of Traumatized

Children part 2 Interventions Ballroom 1

STRS Room A

Kahn Academy Room B

Adaptive Technology Ballroom II

APH Products for Transition to Independent Living Room C

23 Financial Mistakes You Can’t Afford to Make Room D

Akron Fossil & Science Center Room E

Framing to Bring Upon Critical Change in Education of the Deaf Ballroom III

ESSA—Every Student Succeeds Act Room F

Rick Banas, Doin’ Time: the Particular Demands of Teaching in

a Correctional Facility Q&A Ballroom IV

**2:10—2:55 Session 3**

Credit Repair 101 Ballroom I

STRS Room A

Using Resources from Historic Sites to Enhance your Classroom B

Interdisciplinary Low-Vision Clinic Ballroom II

UPScore Room C

Shopping with NEAMB Room D

It’s What You Say That Can Change Their World Room E

A Powerful Yet Under-used Framework, Ron Stern Ballroom III

Deferred Comp Ballroom IV

**3:00 Closing & Door Prizes Ballroom IV**

**3:30 SCOPE General Membership Meeting in Ballroom IV**

**SCOPE Day 2016 Breakout Sessions:**

**10:40 - 11:20 Session 1**

**10:40 - 11:20 Ballroom IV**

**Ohio EAP Learn to Laugh and Love, Debbie Shutt**

Join Debbie in laughing and relaxing your stress away.

**10:40 - 11:20 Room A**

**STRS – Bonnie Wild**

Benefit Information Meeting during this session we’ll explain service retirement, purchasable service credit, disability protection, survivor benefits, and health care coverage.We will also review recent legislation that may affect your retirement.

**10:40 - 11:20 Room B**

**Dimensions of Presidential Greatness, David Keck**

In this historic controversial election year, it is particularly relevant to look at what historians think makes greatness in a president. This presentation will provide a variety of polls of historians over the years, including one by David Keck, colleague Dr. Tom Peet, and son Christian Keck. Suggested lesson plans will be included as well as time for participant input and feedback. A bonus will be introduction of one historian’s system of predicting election outcomes, something he has done using his “keys” checklist to select the winner in advance, something he has done using this system, not including this year, since 1984. Participants will experience content and processes that can be “used tomorrow” in the classroom, as well as be practical for their own use.

**10:40 - 11:20 Ballroom II**

**STEM Products Available from APH, Monica Turner**

A brief introduction to several products that can be used for teaching Science, Technology, Engineering, and Math to students who are blind or visually impaired. Products discussed will include the TI-84 Talking Graphing Calculator, “Touch, Label & Learn Poster: Human Skeleton, DNA-RNA Kit, Azer’s Interactive Periodic Table, and Math Builders.

**10:40 - 11:20 Room C**

**Corescanner: Using Speech Generating Devices for those with limited verbal speech and co-existing visual impairment**, **Jennifer Monihan**

Many non-verbal students with extreme physical challenges are often in need of speech generating devices, but lack consideration by their support staff due to co-existing factors such as visual or hearing deficits. Corescanner is a unique program which pairs intuitive auditory prompts with predictable switch presses, allowing gradual progression from a single word to thousands of words. Video examples and case study examples to be shown.

**10:40 - 11:20 Room D**

**When Can I Afford to Retire… or am I Just Going to Die at My Desk? NEAMB - Guy Kendall-Freas**

Designed generally for members with 15 or more years of service, this presentation increases members’ awareness their retirement system, their pension payout options, health care costs and more. Participants will be able to determine if they are on the right track in their retirement preparations and, if not, what are their options, including sheltering severance pay and purchasable service credit options.

**10:40 - 11:20 Room E**

**Investing in Lives, Christine Money, Kindway**

The mission of Kindway is to invest in the lives of those impacted by incarceration. Kindway operates EMBARK, a comprehensive, faith-based reentry program. Come learn about the unique program design, challenges that face returning citizens and community partnerships that help our participants overcome obstacles.

**10:40 - 11:20 Ballroom III**

**Lesser Known but Essential Benefits of a Quality Bilingual, Bimodal Education for Deaf Children/Students, Dr. Ronald Stern**

There is ground-breaking research and a growing knowledge base about bilingual, bimodal (ASL & English) teaching and learning. This presentation will focus primarily on the lesser known benefits using the approach impacting language, literacy and cognitive development.

**10:40 - 11:20 Room F**

**Educating Linguistically and Culturally Diverse Students, Brenda Custodio**

This session will focus on the changing face of Ohio’s youth looking at the cultural and linguistic diversity found across the state. Specific suggestions for supporting these youth in the classroom will be shared.

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**10:40 - 11:20 Ballroom I**

**Understanding & Responding to the Needs of Traumatized Children, Thomas Valore**

This is the first part of Understanding and Responding to the Needs of Traumatized Children. This session will define “trauma” and explore its impact on brain development. It will also identify and explore manifestations of trauma in children.

**11:25—1:15 Lunch in the Pagoda**

**Keynote Speaker—Rick Banas from Psych & Psych**

**“Doin’ Time: The Particular Demands of Teaching in Corrections”**

Here are some of Rick’s talking points: Some terms defined, the cost of stress ain’t in dollars, change is the only certainty, why your body is smarter then you are, adaptation...a sword with two sides, taking care of yourself is not being selfish.

**1:20—2:05 Session 2**

**1:20—2:05 Ballroom IV**

**Doin’ Time: The Particular Demands of Teaching in Corrections, Rick Banas**

Follow up from the Keynote with thoughts of the cost of Stress, change is the only certainty, why your body is smarter than you are, and adaptation… a sword with two sides and Questions and Answers to the Keynote.

**1:20—2:05 Room A**

**STRS – Bonnie Wild**

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**1:20—2:05 Room B**

**Kahn Academy, Rob Kirkpatrick and Dan Wood**

What benefits can you use with Kahn Academy? A great program for teachers of all subjects.

**1:20—2:05 Room C**

**APH Products for Transition to Independent Living, Monica Turner**

A brief introduction to several products that can be used for teaching the Expanded Core Curriculum to students who are blind or visually impaired. Products discussed will include the Quick & Easy ECC: The Hatlen Center Guide, the revised Transition Tote System, and Step-by-step: An Interactive Guide to Mobility Techniques.

**1:20—2:05 Ballroom II**

**Adaptive Technology in Low Vision, Greg Hopkins OD, MS, FAASO**

We all need to stay up-to-date on the options that are available to ai our low vision patients. This lecture provides background regarding video magnifiers, audio devices, computer desktop magnification, and iOS accessibility features/apps available on smart phones and tablets that all practitioners can recommend to their patients.

**1:20—2:05 Room D**

**23 Financial Mistakes You Can’t Afford to Make – NEAMB**

This presentation helps members understand many financial mistakes commonly made by Americans in areas including home financing, life insurance selection, retirement savings, high-debt interest, taxes, auto purchasing, and many more.

**1:20—2:05 Room E**

**Akron Fossil Science Center, Jodi Brewer**

Museum in a Backpack & Wild and Wacky Science are just some of what we have to offer. Let US come to YOU! Our offsite presentations bring all the hands-on, interactive learning of our science center directly to your location. With two main themes to choose from, each complete with fun visuals and high-energy teaching, Akron Fossils & Science Center’s presentations will provide an exciting learning experience your students will never forget!

**1:20—205 Ballroom III**

**Framing to Bring Upon Critical Change in Education of the Deaf, Dr. Ronald Stern**

All too often elusive yet fundamental core principles affecting the Deaf child’s learning and whole person development are mis-stated or under-used leading to sub-par learning experience and educational placement decisions among other relevant issues. The importance of thoughtful framing of important issues effectively will be present & discussed interactively.

**1:20—2:05 Room F**

**ESSA, Every Student Succeeds Act, OEA LRC Dan Ramos**

Participants will be provided the latest updates on ESSA relating to Educational Opportunities, Funding and State Level Decisions.

**1:20—2:05 Ballroom I**

**Understanding and Responding to the Needs of Traumatized Children-Intervention, Thomas Valore**

This is the second part of Understanding and Responding to the Needs of Traumatized Children. In this session effective strategies for helping and teaching traumatized children will be presented.

**2:10—2:55 Session 3**

**2:10—2:55 Ballroom IV**

**Deferred Comp, Stan Mories**

Deferred Comp program can help you when you retire, check us out!

**2:10—2:55 Room A**

**STRS – Bonnie Wild**

Benefit Information Meeting during this session we’ll explain service retirement, purchasable service credit, disability protection, survivor benefits, and health care coverage. We will also review recent legislation that may affect your retirement.

**2:10—2:55 Room B**

**Using Resources from historic sites to enhance your classroom**, **Chuck Steinbower**

Come see a variety of resources available for your classroom. Looking for primary documents, downloadable videos, and lesson plans? Resources will be highlighted from Teaching American History.org and George Washington’s Mount Vernon among others. You will also learn how you can attend teacher fellowships at historic sites during Intersessions.

**2:10—2:55 Ballroom II**

**Team-Based Low Vision Patient Care, Greg Hopkins, OD, MS, FAAO**

An overview from two practitioners in the quilt work of possible partners of a given patient’s low vision care team (optometrist and SSVI counselor) working together for the mutual benefit of our patients.

**2:10—2:55 Room C**

**UPScore, Keri Lillie Bridge Credit Union**

Understanding credit scores and how to raise them in as little as 60 days to 12 months.

**2:10—2:55 Room D**

**Shopping with NEAMB, Guy Kendal-Freas**

A live shopping trip to the NEA’s virtual mall ***NEA Click and Save*** and the more than 700 merchants which provide exclusive savings to NEA members. Most commonly done in November and December around a holiday shopping theme, but members can save lots of money shopping any time of the year.

**2:10—2:55 Room E**

**It’s What You Say That Can Change Their World, Sherry Bolitho**

People in leadership can make a difference with the words they say and how they say them. Encouragement, Kindness, and Love goes a long way.

**2:10—2:55 Ballroom III**

**A Powerful Yet Under-used Framework: Implications for Teachers, Parents and Administrators, Dr. Ronald Stern**

Though the Bio-ecological Theory of Human Development is a conceptual framework designed for all human beings and their healthy development, it particularly has powerful implications for teacher, parents and administrators involved with the Deaf. Given the time constraints of this interactive session, the focus will be on communication and language.

**2:10—2:55 Ballroom I**

**Understanding Your Credit Score, Cindy Walker, Credit Union of Ohio**

Session Topics will include the following: What is a credit score? Why is important? How do you find out your score? How do credit inquiries work? How do you improve your credit score?

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**Thanks goes out to Chuck Steinbower for helping get additional Door Prizes for today!!**

**EXHIBITORS & VENDORS**

**We would like to thank the vendors who have provided door prizes and information that will assist our State Council of Professional Educators!**

**American Printing House, Monica Turner**

**Bridge Credit Union, Keri Lillie**

**Century Business Products, Matthew Bigam**

**Credit Union of Ohio, Cindy Walker**

**Kindware, Christine Money**

**NEA Member Benefits, Guy Kendall-Freas**

**Ohio Deferred Comp, Stan Mores**

**Ohio EAP, Debbie Shutt**

**Paperback Jobbers, Sherry Bolitho**

**Union Benefits Trust, Cherry Claudia**

***Thanks to all of our contributors!!***

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