

66TH ANNUAL STATE SCHOOL TRANSPORTATION CONFERENCE

Sunday, July 27, 2008

9:00 a.m. WVAPT Executive Committee Meeting
Williams Room – Allegheny Springs

9:00 a.m. Vendor Set-Up Begins (EXPO will be locked until 4:00 p.m.)

Coffee available at vendor set-up

Compliments of WVAPT

Coordinators: Mr. Bob Summerfield, WV Department of Education
Mr. Clayton Means, WVAPT, Executive Committee

1:00 p.m. Orientation of New Directors
Williams Room – Allegheny Springs
Mr. Woodrow Wilson, WVAPT President

Step 4 Funding

Ms. Susan Smith, Coordinator
Office of School Finance

1:30 p.m. Registration Opens – Shavers Center

3:30 p.m. Registration Closes

4:00 p.m. Trade Show/Vendor Reception – EXPO
Compliments of: Matheny Thomas Built Buses
Allison Transmission, Inc.

6:00 p.m. Trade Show Closes
Dinner on Your Own

ADMINISTRATIVE AND MAINTENANCE PERSONNEL

Monday, July 28, 2008

7:00 a.m. Buffet Breakfast - EXPO
Registration Continues – Shavers Center
Conference Trade Show Continues – EXPO

GENERAL SESSION – EXPO

Presiding: Mr. Woodrow Wilson, President, WVAPT

8:45 a.m. Invocation
Pledge of Allegiance

9:00 a.m. Keynote Address: An Offer You Can't Refuse
Mr. Dave Leedy, Speakers Unlimited

10:00 a.m. Awareness of Important Factors at the Accident Scene
Sergeant Jim Wise, West Virginia State Police

11:15 a.m. WVAPT Election of Officers
Mr. Woodrow Wilson, President WVAPT

11:30 p.m. Boxed Lunch - EXPO

1:00 p.m. Tire Safety Issues
Mr. Harry Daghitta, Goodyear Tire & Rubber Company

1:30 p.m. Roundtable Discussion on Maintenance Issues
Mr. Daniel McKinney, WV Department of Education
Mr. Phil Hinkle, WV Department of Education
Mr. Bob Summerfield, WV Department of Education
Mr. Wesley Stone, WV Department of Education
Mr. Clayton Means, WVAPT Executive Committee

1:00 p.m. Safe Transit/On-line Training and Testing
Mr. Mike Kelley, Director of Safe Transit
Advanced Systems Technology, Inc.

6:30 p.m. Barbecue – Mountain Lodge Lawn
Compliments of: BWAB International, LLC

Entertainment provided by “B” Attitude
Compliments of: Blue Bird Bus Sales of West Virginia

ADMINISTRATIVE PERSONNEL

Tuesday, July 29, 2008

7:00 a.m. Buffet Breakfast - EXPO
Registration Continues – Shavers Center
Trade Show Continues – EXPO

SESSION I – Ballroom B – Mountain Lodge

Presiding: Mr. Todd Bloss, Vice President WVAPT

8:30 a.m. Tears on the Highway
Mr. Thomas Brown, Author

10:00 a.m. School Transportation Funding
Ms. Susan Smith
Coordinator, Office of School Finance

11:30 p.m. Buffet Lunch – EXPO

12:30 p.m. Trade Show Ends

1:00 p.m. Handling of Hazardous Waste
Mr. Gene Coccari
WV Department of Environmental Protection

1:45 p.m. Current Legislation and Grievance Decisions
Ms. Ashley Hardesty
Bowles, Rice, McDavid, Graff, Love

6:30 p.m. Banquet – EXPO
Mrs. Delores Cook, President, West Virginia Board of Education

Entertainment provided by “B Attitude”
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Wednesday, July 30, 2008

7:00 a.m. Buffet Breakfast – EXPO

SESSION II – Ballroom B – Mountain Lodge

Presiding: Mr. Todd Bloss, President WVAPT

8:30 a.m. Director's Roundtable Discussion

State Policy Revisions

Mr. Ben Shew, State Director of Transportation
Ms. Sherri Goodman, WVDE Staff Attorney

No Idle Zone

Renu Chakrabarty, P. E., Air Toxics Coordinator
West Virginia DEP, Division of Air Quality

21st Century Technology

12:00 p.m. WVAPT Executive Committee Meeting/Luncheon

TRAINER RECERTIFICATION – Ballroom A – Mountain Lodge

Tuesday, July 29, 2008

8:30 a.m. Recertification Class

Mr. Daniel McKinney, WV Department of Education
Mr. Phil Hinkle, WV Department of Education
Mr. Bob Summerfield, WV Department of Education
Mr. Wesley Stone, WV Department of Education

MAINTENANCE PERSONNEL

Tuesday, July 29, 2008

**7:00 a.m. Buffet Breakfast - EXPO
Registration Continues – Shavers Center
Trade Show Continues - EXPO**

SESSION I

Facilitators: Mr. Clayton Means, WVAPT Executive Committee
Mr. Daniel McKinney, WV Department of Education

8:30 a.m. CONCURRENT SESSIONS

ABS Brakes

Don Butler, Arvin Meritor
Blackbear B – Mountain Lodge

Paint Seminar/Full Panel and Spot Repair

Calvin Crowe, Martin Senour Paints
Slide Run Garage

Caterpillar Engine – 3126 B & E Engine Trouble Shooting

Tom Piggott, Walker Machinery
Cardinal – Mountain Lodge

Mig Welding

Mark Johnston and Gary Roberts, Airgas – Mid America
Slide Run Garage

Cummins Engines – 2007 Emissions

Joe Hass, Cummins Cumberland Inc.
Bluejay – Mountain Lodge

Multiplex Wiring and Engine Diagnostics

Ray Rhodes, Blue Bird Bus Sales
Blackbear A – Mountain Lodge

Steering and Suspension

Chip Disordo, NAPA/Haladex
Raccoon – Mountain Lodge

Extended Body Electrical Class – 1 ½ days

Tom Wilkins, Matheny Motors
Blackbear C – Mountain Lodge

International Renewed Product

(Allison Transmission Features and Rebuild)

Jim Macneill and Keith Krider, International
Blackbear A – Mountain Lodge

Detroit Diesel MBE 900 Tune Up

Phil Brown and Bill Kribbs, Western Branch Diesel
EXPO Parking Lot

11:30 p.m. Buffet Lunch – EXPO

12:30 p.m. Trade Show Ends

SESSION II

1:00 p.m. Repeat concurrent sessions

6:30 p.m. Banquet – EXPO
Mrs. Delores Cook, President, West Virginia Board of Education

Entertainment Immediately Following the Banquet
Compliments of: Blue Bird Bus Sales of West Virginia

Wednesday, July 30, 2008

7:00 a.m. Buffet Breakfast – EXPO

SESSION III

8:30 a.m. Repeat concurrent sessions

11:30 a.m. Conference Adjourns

Make sure you receive your training certificate at the conclusion of each class. Training certificates will not be available after the conference adjourns.

WEST VIRGINIA ASSOCIATION FOR PUPIL TRANSPORTATION

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APPRECIATION

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