

# The Collaborative Leader

## 2018 Tennessee Principals Conference

### Conference Schedule and Guide



Dear Conference Attendee,

**Welcome to the 2018 Tennessee Principals Conference!** Sponsored by the Tennessee Principals Association (TPA), the theme of this year's conference is *The Collaborative Leader*. You will have the opportunity to experience high quality leadership development in the heart of the great Smoky Mountains here at the DreamMore Resort & Spa.

We have organized high quality keynote speakers and breakout sessions for participants to enjoy during their conference experience. Our keynote speakers will feature Dr. Brian Perkins, Jack Berckemeyer, Michael Hagen, and NAESP President, Eric Cardwell. In addition to the general sessions, participants will have sixteen breakout sessions available. The Exhibit Hall will offer conference attendees access to businesses with up-to-date resources and products that support principals and schools. While the information and practices explained and discussed will provide important and practical information and skills for your use, they will only be beneficial if you take advantage of the learning opportunities.

Our Conference Co-Chairs, Dr. Holly Flora and Shay Siler, have worked closely with the TPA Executive Board to plan an exciting two days of learning and collaboration. Thanks to all of our Conference Committee Members (listed in this program) and the many local Principals working and serving behind the scenes to make this conference a true success. Like any event this complex, it takes a team effort to make possible such a robust selection of professional development options.



Enjoy your stay, learn a lot, and take away at least one great strategy that can help you be an effective *Collaborative Leader*!

Sincerely,

Patricia Griggs-Merriweather, D Min  
President - Tennessee Principals Association



**Save the Date: November 17-19, 2019**

The 2019 TPA Conference will be held at the historic **Peabody Hotel in Memphis!** Information to be posted soon on our website ([www.tnprin.org](http://www.tnprin.org)).

2018 Conference Planning Committee

# Welcome to Pigeon Forge!

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## Helpful Hints...

### ...to make your conference experience the best!

- Attend as many sessions as possible! TPA secures national-level speakers!
- Spend time in the **Exhibit Hall** to experience the latest educational products and resources. Also, please thank our vendors for their support! Monday is the only day for Exhibits, with dedicated Exhibit Hall time built into the schedule.
- Participate in the Exhibit Hall **Scavenger Hunt!** Prizes await!
- **NEW!** Lunch N Learn Sessions will be held on Monday. Take your box lunch and find a session that interests you. These sessions are informal and last approximately 30 minutes.
- **Door Prizes** will be available throughout the conference! You must be present to win. Prizes include CASH \$, gift cards, vendor gifts, and more!
- The **Scholastic Book Fair** will be available throughout the conference. Books can be purchased on site.
- Do a little holiday shopping at the **3<sup>rd</sup> Annual Silent Auction!** Funds raised support TPA. *Thank you!*
- **TASL Credit** will be available at the end of the Awards Luncheon on Tuesday. Full conference participation is required to receive credit (you must be present to be awarded credit).
- **NETWORK!** Reach out and meet a colleague from across the state. Connections and relationships are a vital part of our organization!
- Get **INVOLVED!** Would you like to: 1) Be a Membership Ambassador? 2) Do a breakout session at next year's conference in Memphis? 3) Publish an article in TN Principal Magazine? 4) Serve on the TPA Board of Directors? If your answer is 'yes' to any of these questions, seek out a TPA Board Member and have a conversation. *You matter!*
- Set aside money in your school budget to attend the 2019 conference.
- Take time to laugh (it's healthy), have fun and learn a lot!

*Thank you for being here. Let us know if you need anything. This conference is for YOU!*

Holly Flora and Shay Siler  
Conference Co-Chairs



## The Collaborative Leader Schedule at a Glance

<b>Sunday, December 2</b>	
2:00pm - 6:00m	Registration Exhibit Hall Set-Up
1:00pm - 4:00pm	Pre-Conference Session, Dr. Brian Perkins Director, Summer Principals Academy, New Orleans Columbia University, Teachers College
4:15pm - 5:00pm	Executive Board Meeting
5:00pm - 6:00pm	Full TPA Board Meeting
<b>Monday, December 3</b>	
7:30am - 4:00pm	Exhibit Hall Hours
7:30am - 8:30am	Continental Breakfast
8:30am - 10:00am	First General Session, Dr. Brian Perkins Director, Summer Principals Academy, New Orleans Columbia University, Teachers College
10:00am - 10:30am	Exhibit Hall time
10:30am - 11:20am	1st Concurrent Session (4 choices)
11:20am - 1:00pm	Dedicated Exhibit Hall Time / Lunch
12:00pm - 12:30pm	Lunch N Learn Sessions
1:00pm - 1:50pm	2nd Concurrent Session (4 choices)
2:00pm - 2:50pm	3rd Concurrent Session (4 choices)
3:00pm - 3:50pm	4th Concurrent Session (4 choices)
4:00pm - 4:15pm	Door Prizes
<b>Tuesday, December 4</b>	
8:30am - 10:15am	Second General Session, Jack Berckemeyer, Berckemeyer Consulting Group
10:15am - 10:30am	Break
10:30am - 11:30am	Third General Session, Michael Haggren, Chief Academic Officer, Scholastic Education
11:30am - 11:45am	TPA Annual General Business Meeting
11:45am - 1:15pm	TPA Awards Luncheon Speaker: Eric Cardwell, NAESP President
1:15pm - 1:30pm	TASL Credit Verification
1:30pm	Adjournment... <i>Safe Travels Home</i>

## 2018 TPA Conference Keynote Speakers



Dr. Brian Perkins



Eric Cardwell



Michael Haggren



Jack Berckemeyer

### **Dr. Brian Perkins, Columbia University Teachers College**

Dr. Brian K. Perkins is the Director of the Summer Principals Academy, New Orleans, a satellite Master's Degree Program offered by Teachers College Columbia University. Dr. Perkins received his Bachelor of Science Degree in Chemistry from Grambling State University, a Master's Degree in Public Health from the Yale University School of Medicine and his Doctor of Education Degree from Columbia University Teachers College. He has a graduate certificate in executive coaching from the Columbia Business School and Teachers College CCCP. He is a nationally certified principal mentor by the National Association of Elementary School Principals and is also a Gallup-certified Strengths-based Leadership Coach.

### **Eric Cardwell, 2018-2019 NAESP President**

Eric Cardwell is the President of the National Association of Elementary School Principals (NAESP). As principal of Besser Elementary in Alpena, Michigan, he passionately believes in advocacy for children, families, and educators and the important role that principals have in speaking with a "collective voice" for these groups.

### **Michael Haggren, Scholastic Education**

Michael Haggren is Chief Academic Officer for Scholastic Education. In this role, he ensures that Scholastic is a responsive comprehensive literacy partner to pre-K through grade 12 districts nationwide. In Michael's 20 years of academic experience, he has served as a teacher, principal, chief academic officer and direct report to superintendents. In St. Louis Public Schools, he developed and implemented a turnaround model for 11 schools, which led to that system's first accreditation in almost a decade. As Deputy Superintendent, his hands-on approach led to significant change in post-Katrina New Orleans' Recovery School District, and most recently in East Baton Rouge Parish School System.

### **Jack Berckemeyer, Berckemeyer Consulting**

Jack Berckemeyer is currently the Owner and Director of NUTS and BOLTS – Ready to Lead, Teach, and Learn Conference located in Destin, Florida and Denver, Colorado, where he began his career as a middle school teacher. A nationally-recognized presenter, author, and humorist, Jack brings his energy, humor, and expertise to all staff development as he helps teachers and administrators remember why this job makes a difference. ([www.jackberckemeyer.com](http://www.jackberckemeyer.com))

## Schedule of Breakout Sessions

Session Title	Presenter(s)	Room
<b>10:30am - 11:20am</b>		
A Three Year Journey - from Priority to Reward	Dr. Amy Downey / Julia Ellmore	Salon D
7 Core Beliefs Needed to Lead from the Heart	Dr. Melissa Patschke	Salon E
Shifting Towards Standards - Driven Units	Lindsey Hampton	Salon F
Choosing Classroom Technology that Optimizes Student Learning Environments	Dr. Chris Smallen / Jill Pierce	Salon H
<b>12:00pm - 12:30pm</b> (Lunch N Learn Sessions - Bring Your Box Lunch!)		
What it Takes to be a National Distinguished Principal (NDP)	Dr. Ann-Marie Gleason & NDPs	Salon D
Chronic Absenteeism: Intervention Strategies that Close the Gap	Dr. Stacy Edwards / Colleen Weems	Salon E
Becoming a National Certified Mentor (PLUS more from NAESP)	Dr. Melissa Patschke, Eric Cardwell, Dr. Brian Partin	Salon F
What Leaders Can Learn From Physicians	Myke Collins	Salon H
<b>1:00pm - 1:50pm</b>		
T.R.U.M.P.: Making Education Great Again	Dr. Tanisha Heaston	Salon D
Developing Collective Teacher Efficacy in Your School	Julie Thompson	Salon E
Safety & Security for Our Schools	Yvette Moore	Salon F
Connect, Collaborate and Educate with Video & Web Conferencing	Monica Cougan	Salon H
<b>2:00pm - 2:50pm</b>		
Breaking the Choke Hold	Dr. Damon Cathey	Salon D
The Heart and the Hammer: Administrators and Counselors Working Together	Dr. Janice Irvin / Kim Oaks-Blair	Salon E
Big Potential: The Power of Hidden Connections, Your Potential is Way Bigger Than You!	Chy Davidson	Salon F
Student Success with Innovative International Curriculum	Dr. Jill Pittman / Doug Trotter	Salon H
<b>3:00pm - 3:50pm</b>		
Leadership Mistakes You'll Never Make Twice & How to Recover Strong	Dr. Melissa Patschke	Salon D
We ARE Hadley (Master Schedule x Teacher Retention) + (S.E.L. x Communication)	Dr. Kevin Armstrong	Salon E
What Needs to be Done to Improve Reading Scores	Cat Rutledge	Salon F
Best Practices in School Safety and Security	Chief Paidousis	Salon H

Session descriptions are shown on pages 6 - 10.

### NOTES:

## Description of Breakout Sessions

### Breakout Session Descriptions: 10:30am - 11:20am

#### *A Three-Year Journey - from Priority to Reward* (Salon D)

This session provides conference attendees with strategies and content that moved an urban (high EL) elementary school from Priority status into Reward status. The Principals will share their plan and actions to improve school culture, teacher growth, academic achievement and parent involvement.

**Presenters:** Dr. Amy Downey, Asst. Professor Freed-Hardeman University  
Mrs. Julia Ellmore, Principal Charlotte Park Elementary School

#### *Ground Rules: The 7 Core Beliefs Needed to Lead from the Heart* (Salon E)

Leading with the heart is a game changer. It's the difference between a job and a passion. It's opportunity, not obligation. It's the feeling of empowerment versus conformity. It's a pointed belief in unconditional caring, authentic trust, and inspirational practices. Leading a heart-centered system is taking care of people. Win the fight against negativity by learning these key *Seven Core Beliefs* as the ground rules for everyone in your school.

**Presenter:** Melissa D. Patschke, Ed.D @MelissaPatschke

#### *Shifting Toward Standards-Driven Units* (Salon F)

Units can no longer be defined by a general theme, idea, or concept. If students are to succeed in mastering next generation standards, then teachers must be able to plan units that purposefully connect standards-driven lessons. Shifting unit plans from standards-based topics to standards-driven instruction and assessment will produce a smooth and logical progression of learning for all students, leading them from acquisition to rigor. Join us to learn more about how to plan standards-driven units. *Sponsored by Learning-Focused.*

**Presenter:** Lindsey Hampton

#### *Choosing Classroom Technology that Optimizes Student Learning Environments* (Salon H)

Technology is rapidly changing our schools and classrooms nationwide. Making decisions on the most effective classroom instructional technology tools can be tricky. This session will highlight and demonstrate proven technologies that help to create learning environments that are optimal for student growth and achievement. *Sponsored by Central Technologies.*

**Presenters:** Dr. Chris Smallen, CTO, Lenoir City Schools  
Jill Pierce, CTO, McMinn County Schools

### NOTES:

## Description of Breakout Sessions

### Lunch N Learn Descriptions: 12:00pm - 12:30pm

#### *What it Takes to be a National Distinguished Principal (NDP)* (Salon D)

NDPs attending this conference will have the opportunity to share their experience with colleagues about being a National Distinguished Principal! From being nominated, to completing the NDP Application Packet and being recognized in our Nation's Capital – find out what this journey encompasses.

**Presenter:** Dr. Ann-Marie Gleason, 2018 National Distinguished Principal from Tennessee

#### *Chronic Absenteeism: Intervention Strategies that Close the Gap* (Salon E)

This presentation will explore the intervention strategies developed by an elementary school team to address chronic absenteeism. Research used in developing the interventions will be shared; intervention outcomes, data, and research related to long-term outcomes of absenteeism will be evaluated. Specific ideas for implementing strategies in your school will be discussed.

**Presenters:** Dr. Stacy Edwards, Principal / Ms. Colleen Weems, MA, MPA, LPC-MHSP, School Counselor  
Andrew Johnson Elementary School, Kingsport, Tennessee

#### *Becoming a National Certified Mentor (PLUS more from NAESP)* (Salon F)

Are you interested in becoming a National Certified Mentor? Find out more about the Mentor Training that will be held in Nashville, February 7-8, at the Martin Professional Development Center. In addition, NAESP leaders will share the “latest” on what is happening at the national level and across the nation.

**Presenters:** Dr. Melissa Patschke, NAESP National Certified Mentor,  
Eric Cardwell, NAESP President, Dr. Brian Partin, NAESP Past President

#### *What Leaders Can Learn From Physicians* (Salon H)

As doctors specialize in various disciplines in medicine and anatomy they take an oath "To Do No Harm." They are meticulous in ensuring the cause of a patient's pain and/or discomfort is identified and explained. Physicians are consistent in how they diagnose, educate the patient, provide and test remedies, and ensure follow-up. A great bedside manner is a superb strategy in medicine. How can great leaders take a page from the book of great physicians?

**Presenter:** Myke Collins, Director of Leadership Development, Shelby County Schools

### NOTES:

## Description of Breakout Sessions

### Breakout Session Descriptions: 1:00pm - 1:50pm

#### *T.R.U.M.P. : Making Education Great Again* (Salon D)

Participants will gain an in-depth understanding of trending issues that impact the School Principal as an Instructional Leader. All attendees will be able to distinguish the difference between facts and “fake news” as it relates to best practices to effectively implement Response to Intervention, TN-Ready Test Prep, and Motivating Teams. This session is designed to address equity in education and support the All Means All component of the Tennessee Accountability Model.

**Presenter:** Dr. Tanisha Heaston, Principal, Belle Forest Community School

#### *Developing Collective Teacher Efficacy in your School* (Salon E)

John Hattie’s research indicates that Collective Teacher Efficacy can have the greatest impact on student learning... “greater than three times more powerful and predictive of student achievement than socioeconomic status, home environment, parental involvement, and motivation.” Join us to learn how to improve Collective Teacher Efficacy in your building to have lasting impact on student achievement and learning. Connections will be made to the Tennessee State Administrator rubric to help improve principal performance as well.

**Presenters:** Julie E. Thompson, Executive Director of Elementary Education, Knox County Schools  
Alisha Hinton, Principal, Sequoyah Elementary, Knox County Schools  
Christopher Deal, Principal, Lonsdale Elementary, Knox County Schools

#### *Safety and Security for our Schools* (Salon F)

This session will provide school administrators with additional strategies and resources to keep students and staff safe. Learn how Llummar Safety Film helps to delay forced entry into schools allowing time to secure facilities. Information shared will assist school leaders in providing more time for students and staff to take shelter. *Sponsored by Turkey Creek Tinting.*

**Presenter:** Yvette Moore, Turkey Creek Tinting

#### *Connect, Collaborate, and Educate With Video and Web Conferencing* (Salon H)

Collaboration is an essential component in today’s learning and work environments. Discover how a video tool like Video Collaboration Powered by Zoom (VCPZ) eliminates distance barriers and opens the door to endless opportunities for students, parents, educators, and administrators. Zoom enables school districts to stream live events, connect to engaging experiences with museums, art galleries, zoos, and science centers, foster virtual communities, and extend their learning environments to home-bound students. *Sponsored by Education Networks of America.*

**Presenter:** Monica Cougan, ENA Product Marketing Manager

### NOTES:



## Description of Breakout Sessions

### Breakout Session Descriptions: 2:00pm - 2:50pm

#### *Breaking the Choke Hold* (Salon D)

We live in an era where our differences - race, ethnicity, sexuality, gender - are so magnified that they prevent us from finding common ground or even desiring it for ourselves and others. Historically, our leaders have set in motion systems to make sure differences were marginalized and uniformity encouraged, making the system work as it was intended. However, in the context of our current multi-faceted culture where characteristics such as race, gender, and sexuality are fluid, schools must be spaces that create a sense of belonging for each student to find their way. Join us as we discuss what school leaders must do to break the choke hold.

**Presenter:** Dr. Damon Cathey, Community Superintendent, Northeast Quadrant, Division of School Improvement & Support, Metro Nashville Public Schools

#### *The Heart and the Hammer: Administrators and Counselors Working Together* (Salon E)

Mental Health issues are often at the root of many student behaviors. Come hear from a principal and a school counselor about collaboration that supports an entire community academically, socially, and emotionally. We believe students benefit most when held accountable for their behavior by their principal, and by having their hearts taken care of by their school counselor.

**Presenters:** Dr. Janice Irvin, Principal, John F. Kennedy Elementary  
Ms. Kim Oaks-Blair, School Counselor, M.A., John F. Kennedy Elementary

#### *Big Potential: The Power of Hidden Connections, Your Potential Is Way Bigger Than You!* (Salon F)

In a world that thrives on competition and individual achievement, we are thinking about potential all wrong. By pursuing success in isolation-pushing others away as we push ourselves too hard ~ we are not just limiting our potential we are becoming more stressed and disconnected than ever. We have long understood leadership potential as a measure of individual performance and results. Exciting new research shows that just as happiness is contagious, every dimension of human potential ~ performance, intelligence, creativity, leadership, ability and health ~ is influenced by those around us. Come join the discussion as Chy takes you through his leadership journey where he has learned by coordinating and collaborating with those around us, we all shine brighter. *Sponsored by Zaner Bloser.*

**Presenter:** Chy Davidson

#### *Student Success with Innovative International Curriculum* (Salon H)

Metropolitan Nashville Public School (MNPS) district implemented an innovative international system of education that has resulted in significant increases in student participation and success in advanced academic coursework and assessments. Learn how MNPS, particularly John Overton High School, through implementation of this program, have seen academic growth across all student subgroups as well as the improvement of academic culture in schools. John Overton, Tennessee's most ethnically and linguistically diverse high school, maintains its commitment to equity and access in advanced academics through a non-qualifying, open admissions approach to the Cambridge Diploma path. The Executive Principal and Cambridge Coordinator will share data that demonstrate how the program offers a diverse group of students Early Post-Secondary Opportunities that complement the state's ESSA framework. Additionally, the school will share how Cambridge integrates with other programmatic requirements such as Social-Emotional Learning (SEL) and Multi-tiered Systems of Support (MTSS) to create a culture of positive engagement for both students and staff. *Sponsored by Cambridge Assessment International Education.*

**Presenters:** Dr. Jill Pittman, Executive Principal, Overton High School  
Doug Trotter, Cambridge Coordinator, Overton High School

## Description of Breakout Sessions

### Breakout Session Descriptions: 3:00pm - 3:50pm

#### *Leadership Mistakes You'll Never Make Twice & How to Recover Strong!* (Salon D)

The path of school leadership is tricky, sticky, and never crystal clear! What are the best ways to experience the journey, recover from mistakes, survive mishaps, move /forward and avoid getting stuck? Join this interactive session to share your own experiences and to learn from the leadership lessons of others. Together we will explore key traits of resilient leadership, ways to establish a resilient-minded school culture, and the importance of creating a supportive professional learning network. The best school leaders have ways to maintain a positive attitude with a strong sense of opportunity! Research indicates that resilient school leaders turn adversity into achievement!

**Presenter:** Melissa D. Patschke, Ed.D. @Melissa Patschke

#### *We ARE Hadley: (Master Schedule x Teacher Retention) + (S.E.L. x Communication)* (Salon E)

This session will drive home how four major factors, Master Schedule, Teacher Retention, S.E.L., and communication combined in the right formula create a Middle School culture conducive to increased achievement, Level 5 growth, a reduction in discipline, and increased attendance.

**Presenter:** Dr. Kevin Armstrong, Executive Principal, DuPont Hadley Middle School

#### *What Needs to be Done to Improve Reading Scores* (Salon F)

A solid evidence-based program, plenty of student practice, appropriate intervention plus teacher buy in, training and support is crucial to improving reading scores. Implementing this strategy in K-2 is critical for success. This session will explore each step needed to improve student outcomes and will demonstrate why students struggle, how a multi-sensory program like Letterland can break down those learning barriers and what are the key components of teacher training and support. We will also highlight data from schools & districts that have used this approach to effectively lower K-2 referral rates and improve student outcomes. *Sponsored by Letterland.*

**Presenter:** Cat Rutledge

#### *Best Practices in School Safety and Security* (Salon H)

This module will examine several methods to enhance the safety and security of our schools. Best Practices will be discussed as well as emerging trends in protection of students and staff. Dealing with an active shooter situation will also be discussed.

**Presenter:** Chief Paidousis, Knox County Schools

### TPA Corporate Sponsors



## Exhibit Hall

Monday, December 3 from 7:30am - 4:00pm

### Conference Vendors

American Book Company	Frank Miller Fundraising	Recreational Concepts
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Cambridge Assessment Int'l. Education	Grand Canyon University	Scholastic
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### TPA Upcoming Events

February 7-8  
NAESP National Mentor Training  
and Certification Program

February 15  
Articles due for Spring Issue of  
*Tennessee Principal*

February 28  
Applications due for Outstanding  
Assistant Principal Award

March 17-20  
National Leaders Conference  
(Arlington, VA) *by invitation*

March 30  
Applications due for National  
Distinguished Principal Award

May 13-16  
State Executive Directors Meeting  
(Colorado Springs, CO) *by invitation*

May 30– June 2  
2019-20 TPA Board Summer  
Planning Meeting (Nashville)

July 10-12  
NAESP PreK-8 National Principals  
Conference (Spokane, WA)

November 17-19  
2019 Tennessee Principals  
Conference (Memphis)

## TPA Board of Directors



*Seated: Nancy Flatt Meador, Julie Hopkins, Shay Siler, Patricia Griggs-Merriweather, Ann-Marie Gleason, Natalyn Gibbs  
Standing: Brian Partin, Tara Loba, Alisha Hinton, Kimbrelle Lewis, Sharon McNary, Heather Wolf, Kevin Armstrong, Holly Flora, Tanisha Heaston, Amy Wooley, David Golden Not pictured: Selina Sparkman, Jennifer Magnusson, Catherine Prentis, Corey Williams*

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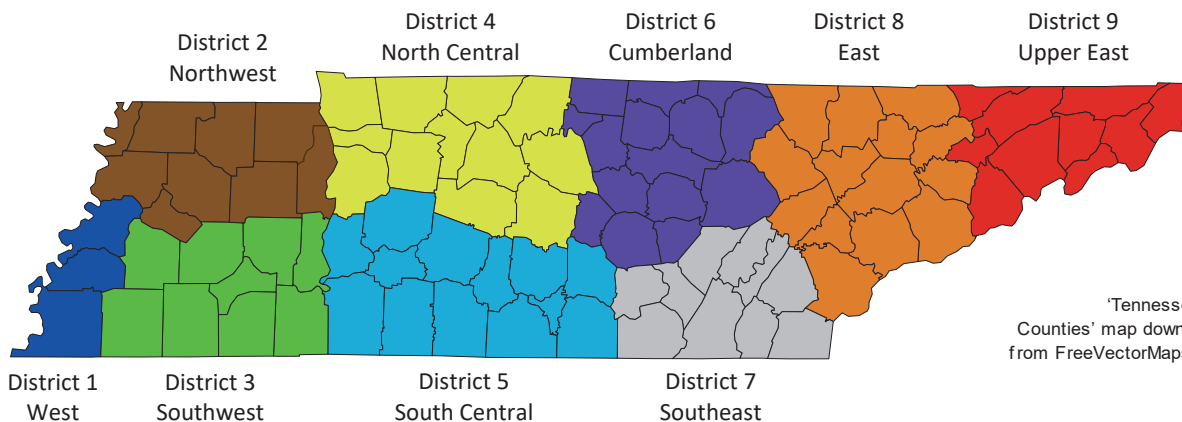
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## 2018 Award Recipients Recognizing Leadership Across Tennessee

***Award:***

2018 National Distinguished Principal  
 2018 National Outstanding Assistant Principal  
 Robert Frazier Meritorious Service  
 Ernest Bentley, Jr. Excellence in Leadership in Leadership  
 TPA Longevity  
 Supervisor(s) of the Year  
  
 Friend of Education  
 Friend of Education  
 TPA Lifetime IMPACT

***Recipient(s)***

Dr. Ann-Marie Gleason  
 Shelly Archuleta-Smith  
 Tara Loba / Shay Siler  
 Corey Williams  
 (Past President Recognition)  
 Dr. Martha Jean Bratton  
 Janet Graham, East TN  
 Dottie Critchlow, Middle TN  
 Dorsey Hopson, West TN  
 Molly Gaughan, Scholastic  
 Congressman Phil Roe  
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These individuals will be recognized at the 2018 Awards Luncheon held in conjunction with the Tennessee Principals Conference. The Awards Luncheon is the culminating event of the conference. Please join us to recognize those who have served and led on behalf of Tennessee Principals.

# Tennessee Principals Association: K-8 Membership Enrollment Form



The **only** association focusing on Principals and the Principalship! Two ways to join: 1) Complete and return this form, or 2) Enroll online at [www.tnprin.org](http://www.tnprin.org).

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Position \_\_\_\_\_

School \_\_\_\_\_ System \_\_\_\_\_

Enrollment Date \_\_\_\_\_  Elementary  Middle  Secondary  New Principal  New Member

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Fax \_\_\_\_\_

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School Address \_\_\_\_\_  
Street City - State - Zip County

Preferred Mailing Address \_\_\_\_\_  
Street City - State - Zip County

**Join with Other Colleagues!** Networking • Conferences • Legal Benefits (\$2 Million Liability) Publications (State/National) • Advocacy (State/National) • Research • and more!

**TPA / NAESP Membership Dues – Grades K-8 (Check One)**

- \_\_\_ \$450.00 Active “A” (Line Administrators)
- \_\_\_ \$495.00 Institutional/Active “B” (Line Administrators)
- \_\_\_ \$410.00 Active Assistant Principal “AAP” (Assistant Principals)
- \_\_\_ \$185.00 Aspiring Principal “G” (Teachers, Counselors)
- \_\_\_ \$275.00 Associate “P” (Professors, Central Office)
- \_\_\_ \$200.00 Emeritus “E” (Retired, Voting Privileges, Insurance Coverage)



**TPA / Secondary Membership - Grades 9-12**

- \_\_\_ \$215.00 Active Individual  
 - Requires membership in national association, excludes legal benefits

**Payment Method**

- \_\_\_ Check (payable to TPA)     \_\_\_ Purchase Order (attach copy)
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## Silent Auction Items (Partial Listing)

1. 2 Night Stay at DreamMore Resort & Spa
  2. 2 tickets to Dollywood (2 sets of tickets)
  3. Jason Aldean Signed Guitar
  4. Music Basket
  5. Various Country Artists CDs
  6. Jewelry (assortment of necklaces and bracelets)
  7. Ladies Scarfs
  8. Ratchet Tie Down Set
  9. Pack of Bungee Cords
  10. Weather Tarp
  11. Cordless Drill
  12. Large Orange VOLS sign
  13. University of TN round sign
  14. Wavy Vols sign
  15. Tag Art State of TN
  16. Tag Art "T"
  17. Large Zinc Platter
  18. White Picture Frame with Shelf
  19. Dept. 56 Winter Silhouette - "Winter Nights"
  20. Multi-Purpose Bag with Scarf
  21. All-Purpose Zippered Tote
  22. AE Make-Up Bag
  23. Long Beach Carry Bag with Make-up Accessories
  24. Large Igloo Drink Cooler
  25. Small Igloo Drink Cooler
  26. Wood Cross Wall Hanging
  27. Dip Bowl & Spreader Set
  28. Framed Art: "Begin Each Day"
  29. 2 Vintage Schoolhouse Prints
  30. Hand Knitted Baby Blanket
  31. Amish Jam/Jelly
  32. Amish Apple Butte
  33. Amish Honey
  34. Amish Chow Chow
  35. Books
  36. Holiday Items
  37. Specialty "Theme" Baskets:
    - ✓ UT Basket
    - ✓ Car Care Basket
    - ✓ Car Accessory Basket
    - ✓ Toolbox
    - ✓ Campbell's Soup Basket
    - ✓ Pasta Basket
    - ✓ Movie Basket
    - ✓ Snack Baskets  
(peanuts, popcorn, sweets)
    - ✓ Coffee Basket
    - ✓ Cocoa Basket
    - ✓ Christmas Basket
- ... just to name a few items!!



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