

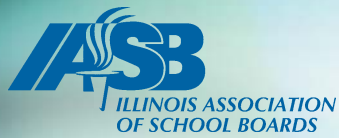
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The  
Abe Lincoln  
Division

# Spring Dinner Meeting

FEATURING  
BREAKOUT SESSIONS:

Open Meetings Act  
Training for School  
Board Members

Legislative Update

Tuesday, March 6, 2012

Ball-Chatham CUSD 5  
Chatham, Illinois

# 5 very good reasons you should attend.

- ✓ Networking
- ✓ Professional Development
- ✓ Peer Recognition
- ✓ Association Governance
- ✓ Resources

## WHEN AND WHERE

**Tuesday, March 6, 2012**

Glenwood Elementary School  
1401 East Plummer Blvd.  
Chatham, Illinois 62629

**Directions:** Directions: **From I-72:** Take exit 93 south onto IL Rt. 4 (Veterans Parkway). Proceed south approximately four miles to Plummer Blvd. Turn left (east) onto Plummer Blvd. Go approximately ¾ of a mile. Glenwood Elementary will be on the left (north) side of Plummer. Park and enter at the front (east side) of the building.

**From I-55:** Take exit 88 towards Chatham onto Palm Road. Go south on Palm Rd. approximately one mile to Chatham Rd. Turn right (west) onto Chatham Rd. for approximately two miles to the stoplight at Gordon Drive. Turn right (north) onto Gordon Drive and go approximately ¾ miles to the stoplight at Plummer Blvd. Turn left (west) onto Plummer and go approximately ½ miles (past the High School) to Glenwood Elementary which will be on the right (north) side of Plummer. Park and enter at the front (east side) of the building.

## DINNER AND PROGRAM

5:00 p.m. Open House & Registration

6:00 p.m. Business Meeting & Recognition  
of Delegates from 2011 Annual  
Conference Delegate Assembly

Presiding: **Leonard Williams**, *Chair*

Director's Report: **Roger Edgecombe**,  
*IASB Board of Directors*

Resolutions Report: **Jim Mammen**,  
*Resolutions Chair*

Association Report: **Karen Fisher**,  
*Vice President, IASB*

Executive Director's Report: **Dr. Michael Johnson**, *Executive Director Emeritus, IASB*

Announcements: **Larry J. Dirks**, *Director, Field Services, IASB*

6:30 p.m. Dinner

7:10 p.m. **Breakout Sessions**

8:45 p.m. Adjourn



## BREAKOUT SESSIONS

### Open Meetings Act Training for School Board Members

Attendance at this breakout session satisfies the Open Meetings Act requirement that each board member complete a course of instruction in the Act's legal requirement. A certificate of completion will be provided to those attending the full session. *This session requires separate pre-registration and additional cost of \$25.00. Registration will be accepted in the order received, as space is limited. Register early.*

### Legislative Update

After a very eventful legislative session 2011, Illinois lawmakers will be returning to the Capitol this spring for a new session. School district consolidation, Regional Offices of Education, and pension reform are all issues which will be revisited as panels and task forces on these subjects are scheduled to make their reports. Follow up legislation to the Education Reform Act and the FY 2013 budget will also be on the agenda. **Ben Schwarm**, Associate Executive Director, Governmental Relations, IASB will give a full report of all the emerging legislative issues.



If you need special arrangements, contact IASB at 217/528-9688, ext. 1115.

## ABE LINCOLN DIVISION OFFICERS

Leonard Williams, *Chair*  
Sangamon Valley CUSD 9  
Board of Education

Sandy Walden, *Vice Chair*  
Williamsville CUSD 15  
Board of Education

Jim Mammen, *Resolutions Chair*  
Lincoln CHSD 404  
Board of Education

Roger Edgecombe, *IASB Board of Directors*  
Warrensburg-Latham CUSD 11  
Board of Education

## BALL-CHATHAM COMMUNITY UNIT SCHOOL DISTRICT 5

Jim Neuses, *Board President*

Lisa Weitzel, *Vice President*

Linda Carter, *Secretary*

Steve Copp

Alan Harling

John Kwedar

Richard Petermeyer

SUPERINTENDENT

Robert Gillum

SUPERINTENDENT ELECT

Carrie VanAlstine

Attendance at this event earns participants 5 credits in IASB's Master Board Member Program.

## MARK YOUR CALENDAR

May 3 — Abe Lincoln Summer Governing Meeting, IASB Office, Springfield

October 4 — Abe Lincoln Fall Dinner Meeting, Lincoln CHSD 404

November 16-18 — IASB/IASA/IASBO Joint Annual Conference, Chicago

Please check the IASB website for a complete list of events and locations at [www.iasb.com/calendar/calendar.cfm](http://www.iasb.com/calendar/calendar.cfm)

## 4 EASY WAYS TO MAKE RESERVATIONS

- **Online** at [www.iasb.com](http://www.iasb.com)
- **Mail** to Illinois Association of School Boards, 2921 Baker Drive, Springfield, Illinois 62703
- **Fax** to Chelsea Reimann at 217/528-2831
- **Telephone** 217/528-9688, Ext. 1117

Reservations may be canceled no later than two working days prior to the meeting. This is a legitimate school board expense.

## ABE LINCOLN DIVISION RESERVATION FORM

Tuesday, March 6, 2012

Total number of dinner reservations at \$23 per person \_\_\_\_\_

Total number registering for the Open Meetings Act (OMA) session at \$25 per person \_\_\_\_\_

Attending the OMA session? Check box.

**Please indicate method of payment**

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E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

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