



DAY OF INFLUENCE APRIL 13-14, 2010 SPRINGFIELD, ILLINOIS

Come and join Illinois ASCD as we take our message to the Legislators in Springfield. For the second year in a row, IL ASCD will descend on our State Capitol to meet with our legislators. This year we will host a breakfast in the Capitol Building and then go on to visit in the offices of our legislators and their staff.

We plan to re-introduce IL ASCD and to share our concerns about the need for 21st Century Learning Skills in our programs.

Agenda

April 13, 2010 Arrive at the Abraham Lincoln Hotel Check in – 3 PM – 7 PM

7:00 pm to 9:00 pm -- Participants will meet at Abraham Lincoln Hotel for a training session for the following day's activity. (Snacks/light dinner will be part of the activities for those staying overnight.)

April 14, 2010

7:30 – 8:30 am

Breakfast and Influence refresher Training in the at the Bistro Down Under

8:30 – Noon -- We will have a Table in the Capitol Rotunda

9:00 am to 10:00 am

Constituents attend prearranged meetings with individual Illinois Senators and Representatives to discuss IASCD positions and talking points prepared by committee ahead of time. Participants will receive a packet of information with various talk points.

10:30 am to 12:00 pm

Constituents will ask pages to deliver IL ASCD business cards to each Education Committee member asking them to meet with IL ASCD member or members who they represent in the hallway outside the chambers

12:00 pm

IL ASCD participants rally and return information forms at our table in the Rotunda. We will decide from there about some photo options.

12:30 pm

Lunch at a local restaurant to debrief the morning's activities (optional as some may want to hit the road).

Day of Influence – Registration Form (*Return before April 1, 2010*)

For our April 14 Day of Influence, Hotel Accommodations will be at the President Abraham Lincoln Hotel, 701 East Adams in Springfield. Parking is adjacent. Room Cost \$85.00. (IL ASCD pays for the total cost of a shared double room or 1/2 cost of a single room.) Up to \$40 of gasoline expense will be reimbursed per person (car-pooling is encouraged). Snacks will be provided on Tuesday evening, April 13, and a Continental Breakfast will be provided on Wednesday April 14. Check out time is Noon. IL ASCD will make the room reservations for you.

25 rooms are available and they will be held for Board Members and Communication Liaisons until April 2nd when the general membership will be invited to participate on a space available basis.

Yes, I will attend! Please make the following arrangement for me for the Springfield Day of Influence.

Name _____

Board Member____ Communication Liaison ____ IL ASCD Member ____

Email _____

Phone _____

I would like a single room____ Shared room ____

(Name of preferred roommate_____)

I will attend but do not need a room at the hotel _____

My State Representative is _____

My State Senator is _____

Please complete this form and fax it to our IL ASCD Office:

Fax 815 385 0660, BY April 1, 2010 whether you need a room reservation or not. For more information contact Bill Dodds, Executive Director, IL ASCD at 815 385 0681 or dwdodds@ilstu.edu.