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A MESSAGE FROM THE AESD PRESIDENT

I appreciate this opportunity to talk about something that has been on my mind for some time.

But, first I want to acknowledge and thank

ESD 113 for an exceptional conference. It was just the right mixture of education, networking and fun. The Children's Museum evening was so much fun. For that evening it was The Museum of those in Their Second Childhood. I am guilty as charged.

A special thank you to Merle Kirkley for a very fine year as AESD President. I appreciate very much the mentoring that he has given me this past year. Merle's enthusiasm for the work we do is contagious.

I have been on the board for OESD 114 for nine years. From the very first, I have been amazed and very pleased at the excellence of the staff. Their dedication, enthusiasm, and willingness to do whatever is needed for the success of their projects are commendable. It seems that there must be a subliminal message on the job postings that says "Only the best shall apply."

As I have gone to our annual conferences and attended meetings of AESD and talked with staff members, it became very clear that this excellence is not unique to OESD but the standard at all nine ESDs.

At our conference, Dr. Gene Sharratt, the Saturday keynote speaker, challenged us to "be someone" and to be "known as world class."

So all of you World Class Someones at all nine ESDs, thank you so much for what you do every day and do so well. Just think what a difference you make in the lives of the children in the state of Washington. I am proud to be associated with you.

~Karen Sorger, 2013-14 AESD President
OESD 114



AESD Executive Board (l-r): Gary Coe, ESD 101; Merle Kirkley, ESD 189; Karen Sorger, 2013-14 President, OESD 114; Larry MacGuffie, North Central ESD; Brad Gingerich, ESD 123; Bill Gant, ESD 105; Dr. Richard Graham, ESD 112; Howard Coble, ESD 113. Not pictured: Charlie Staadecker, Puget Sound ESD.

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ESD 113 announces new Superintendent

Dr. Dana Anderson officially begins July 1, taking over for Dr. Bill Keim who will now be Executive Director of WASA. Dr. Keim served as ESD 113 Superintendent the past 11 years.

After a nationwide search, the board voted on May 8, 2013 to hire Dr. Anderson.

Anderson's extensive 25 year career started in the classroom as an elementary Science teacher & high school Math/Physics teacher at Endicott/St. John. He then spent a year as a graduate assistant at CWU, and two years as a high school Math teacher at Snohomish, before serving as the high school principal, and ultimately superintendent of the Willapa Valley School District.

Anderson joined the ESD 113 team in 2000 as director of School and District Improvement, was promoted to assistant superintendent of Data & Technology in 2002, and has led the Teaching & Learning division at ESD 113 since 2005.

Anderson's own education has been continual and recently culminated in his Doctorate of Education degree in international education leadership from the University of London earlier this spring. He has received awards for teaching, vocational administration, curriculum leadership, student achievement leadership, and product development.

"I am extremely humbled by the opportunity to serve in the role of superintendent of the ESD 113," said Anderson. "... Bill Keim has established an amazing legacy of leadership that includes expanding the Washington School Information Processing Cooperative, creating a Network of ESDs, completing a move to new facilities and expanding the services of our ESD. I will strive to follow his example of leadership, while bringing my own approach to leading and learning. Along with my colleagues at ESD 113, I wish to express my gratitude to Bill for his years of service, and to our Board of Directors for their collective wisdom and policy guidance. Anderson continued, "We are working in a time of dramatic change in education, including revisions to teacher and principal evaluation, enhancements to content standards under the Common Core State Standards, and a renewed emphasis on early learning and increasing expectations for schools." Anderson pointed to ESD 113's demonstrated excellence in supporting leaders and teachers in support of student academic success. "We have a history of innovative approaches to providing student support and non-academic intervention. Our fiscal, human resource, technology, facilities and instructional support staff continually demonstrate a commitment to excellent service."

"As the ESD 113 Superintendent, my primary roles will be to encourage and nurture our staff, expand relationships with community and regional educational leaders, and promote the ESD Network as a vital part of the statewide system of education," reflected Anderson.

"I am excited about the future role of ESDs and proud to serve our region and state in this new opportunity," he enthusiastically shared.



OESD 114 selects new Superintendent



OESD 114

Greg Lynch, Superintendent of Central Kitsap School District, was recently selected as the new Superintendent for OESD 114. Lynch will start his post at OESD on July 1, taking over for retiring Superintendent, Dr. Walt Bigby.

Lynch joins OESD with nine years of experience at the helm of CKSD. Through his tenure, he has faced budget cuts, school closures and meeting the needs of changing educational standards. His position required management of multi-million dollar budgets, approximately 1,500 employees and over 11,000 students.

Lynch also led a distinguished career in the US Army, serving for 27 years and retiring as a Colonel. Most recently, he served as Dean of Academics and School Director for Higher Education at Fort Leavenworth, Kansas. He holds a Bachelor of Science degree in Early Childhood Education, a Master's degree in Management, and training in Executive Leadership and Education Administration.

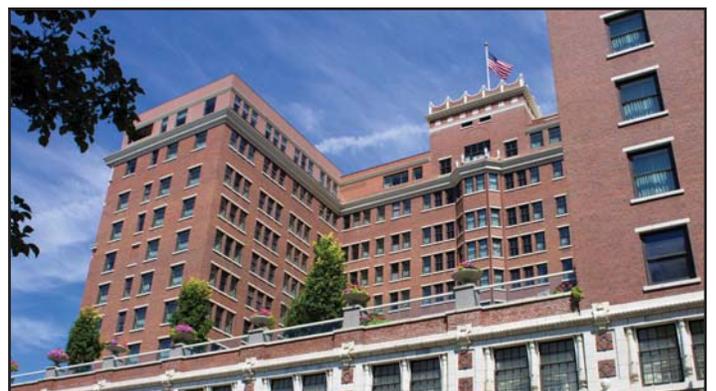
Olympic ESD's current Superintendent, Walt Bigby, notes, "Greg Lynch's experience as the Central Kitsap Superintendent is great preparation for his new role. His familiarity with the region and its superintendents will be very useful to him as he attempts to meet their needs."

Lynch commented, "I'm looking forward to continuing to explore new and innovative ways with our OESD staff and area school districts in support of the many ongoing state and federal education initiatives. There is a wealth of talent at all levels inside our region as well as strong partnerships with all state ESDs and numerous other important stakeholders at both the state and national levels. Our collective ability to continue to capitalize further on these partnerships will ultimately provide the best support possible for our students, staff and community members who rely on our support."

~Heather Tonder, OESD 114
Certification Specialist



2014 AESD Conference, hosted by NEWESD 101, scheduled in Spokane



2014 AESD Annual Conference

April 10-12, 2014

"Never more important than now!"
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NEWESD 101

AESD Conference coming to Spokane and the Davenport Hotel

Preparations are already under way for the 2014 AESD annual conference in Spokane. NEWESD 101 will host the event, April 10-12, at the historic Davenport Hotel and Tower (see picture on previous page).

The conference theme, "Never more important than now," will focus on the growing and essential role of ESDs in the Washington education system.

The conference will examine local innovations and explore the challenges and solutions ESDs face as individual organizations, and as a statewide network.

The conference will feature a keynote address by renowned anthropologist and best-selling author, Dr. Jennifer James. In her book, "Thinking in the Future Tense," Dr. James explains how organizations must develop new products and personalities in response to new economic and technological trends.

The Davenport is an elegantly restored, four-diamond hotel that will celebrate its 100th anniversary in 2014. A conference video on the AESD Website – <http://www.aesd-wa.org> – provides a sneak peak at the venue and some of the abundant shopping and entertainment options available in downtown Spokane. See you then!

~Steve Witter, NEWESD 101

Executive Director/Communications



ESD 105

ESD 105 Early Learning Grant and Knowledge Bowl

Early Learning Grant - The ESD 105 Early Learning department is serving as the state's sole provider of observing and evaluating the trainers who will be delivering a new professional development system for early learning childcare providers throughout Washington.

The Washington Department of Early Learning awarded ESD 105 a \$75,000 grant to take on this work through the end of 2013. Members of the ESD 105 Early Learning staff will be involved in evaluating 3% of the approximately 300 state-approved trainers in Washington, providing feedback on the quality of the training and recommending any improvements.

Knowledge Bowl Team - The ESD 105 Knowledge Bowl co-op concluded its 10th year this spring by seeing one of its schools come home with a state championship – a first for the entire region.

The team of students from West Valley High School in Yakima earned the State 2A Knowledge Bowl trophy during the 31st annual statewide competitions that were held at Arlington High School on March 23. West Valley has qualified for state during each of the 10 years that ESD 105 has made Knowledge Bowl available to its local schools, and only placed for the first time a year ago (taking 8th in the 3A division).

Schools in the ESD 105 region joined the statewide Knowledge Bowl program for the first time in 2003-2004 as a co-op that was formed with 11 school districts and one private school. The recently concluded 10th season involved 14 regional high schools – with three of those teams being coached by teachers who have led their school's program for the entire decade.

~David Goehner, ESD 105
Public Information Officer



ESD 112

ESD 112 Coalition works to reduce access to drugs in Southwest Washington

Youth in Clark County have less exposure to drugs and alcohol thanks to the efforts of the PREVENT! Coalition, a local substance abuse prevention group comprised of parents, youth, businesses, medical professionals, government, media, faith-based organizations, local law enforcement, and schools. ESD 112 acts as the fiscal agent for the program.

Through community events and initiatives, PREVENT! works to reduce youth access to drugs and alcohol in the community. One event, held in partnership with local law enforcement is an annual Rx Drug Take Back event where community members can drop off unused medication for safe disposal. This year, a total of 1,030 pounds of medication was collected in just four hours. This number represents a 120% increase from last year and is even more amazing when you consider it represents just medication and does not include bottles or packaging.

According to the 2012 Washington State Healthy Youth Survey, one in 10 high school seniors admitted misusing prescription drugs in the previous 30 days. More than 70 percent of youth who abuse prescription drugs get them from someone they know.

Another successful project is the Ads & Subtract community service project which aims to reduce the number of alcohol, tobacco and drug paraphernalia advertising in stores where minors can enter. In addition, PREVENT! partners with the Washington State Coalition to Reduce Underage Drinking on the "Let's Draw the

Line" Campaign.

PREVENT! Coordinator Sean Chavez credits much of PREVENT!'s success to the tremendous support of volunteers. "We couldn't do it without them," he said.

PREVENT! started in 2005 as a grassroots effort by parents who wanted to make a difference. Today, PREVENT! has 250 volunteers who work hard to make a difference in reducing underage drinking and drug use by serving as an educational resource in the community.

PREVENT! received a Drug Free Communities Support Program Continuation Grant from the Office of National Drug Control Policy last fall. The grant provides \$125,000 per year over five years to continue the coalition's work in addressing substance abuse among youth in Clark County. PREVENT! has been so successful in its efforts that it was selected to mentor two other coalitions in Southwest Washington to help increase drug and alcohol prevention efforts in the community. Through the mentorship, the Prevent Together: Battle Ground Prevention Alliance and One Prevention Alliance in Stevenson, Washington were able to apply for Drug Free Communities funding and make a significant impact in these two communities.

~Jodi Thomas, ESD 112
Public Information Coordinator



ESD 113

Dr. Howard Coble Receives AESD President's Award



Dr. Howard Coble (seated), ESD 113 Board, received this historic collection of photos as part of the AESD President's award at the annual conference. Standing is Dr. Bill Keim, ESD 113.

"Howard Coble is one of the kindest, caring men I have ever met," shared

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outgoing AESD President Merle Kirkley. "Throughout his career he has worked for the betterment of education and community. He has been a champion for kids."

Merle bestowed the AESD President's award to Dr. Howard Coble on April 12 at the annual AESD Conference. Coble is a 14-year board member for ESD 113 and has been involved with AESD nearly 14 years, serving as its President in 2006.

During the presentation of the award Merle commended Howard for his extraordinary leadership during the creation of the AESD Network. In years past, ESDs operated as loosely affiliated regional entities, sometimes even competing with each other. Under the AESD Network all nine Washington ESDs work collaboratively in an open, positive atmosphere for the betterment of education in our state.

The response from policy-makers to this collaborative approach has been positive. ESDs have seen increased recognition for the important role they play in supporting the implementation of statewide initiatives at the regional and local levels.

Howard led the AESD Network creation effort on a foundation of honesty and integrity, two cornerstones laid out in the AESD operating principles. Additionally, the culture and written principles call for association members to demonstrate in word, action and deed, a positive and cooperative approach to the AESD Network priorities.

Coble's outstanding communication and interpersonal relationship skills helped AESD find the balance between respecting and valuing the autonomy and authority of each ESD, while working collectively and creatively on issues with common ground.

As a volunteer, Howard has served as president of multiple national education organizations, dozens of state and local educational and community groups, and worked tirelessly to help others in a host of non-profits since his "retirement" over 20 years ago.

Prior to retirement Howard was in public education through direct service to districts for 31 years. He served as Superintendent of both Snohomish and Olympia School Districts, as well as for 11 years as Executive Director of the Washington Association of School Administrators.

Howard has lived an outstanding life of achievement. "We in the AESD Network are fortunate to have Howard working by

our side," said Merle.

~Pam Folsom
Director of Communications



ESD 123

New Board Member Joins ESD 123

Bruce Wildfang may have retired from his work in education over ten years ago, but he still has more to contribute. At the February 28, 2013 Board meeting, ESD 123 Board Chair, Stephen Maciboba,

conducted the swearing in ceremony for Bruce Wildfang as the Director of District 3 following the Board's appointment. Mr. Wildfang is filling the position formerly held by Dale Newby, who retired October 2012.

Mr. Wildfang has 27 years of experience in education, serving as a teacher, coach, athletic director and principal during this time. Currently living in Walla Walla, Mr. Wildfang spent sixteen years working in the Touchet School District, just twenty minutes down the road. In 2003, he retired from public education and began teaching sixth grade conservation classes in Columbia, Walla Walla and Garfield counties. When the grant through Pacific Power funding these classes ended in 2012, Mr. Wildfang "retired" once again. Then an opening on the ESD Board of Directors became available.

Mr. Wildfang says that he sees a clear and direct relationship between the work of ESD 123 and student achievement. The agency's professional growth programs for educators impact the ability of the region's students to succeed both inside and outside the classroom. Mr. Wildfang is looking forward to being directly involved in that process.

"Our Board is quite focused upon helping our clients propel student learning so that their dreams will become reality," said ESD 123 Superintendent Bruce Hawkins. "It is difficult but essential work for the Educational Service District, especially in today's environment. Mr. Wildfang brings both energy and perspective that will complement our current directors and help us make this journey."

ESD 123 is proud to welcome Mr. Wildfang to its Board of Directors and looks forward to the experience and perspective he brings to the organization.

~Molly Curtiss, ESD 123
Communications & Graphics Coordinator



Puget Sound ESD

Puget Sound ESD Leadership Academy members build water transport system: Splashy' Culminating Project Tests New Leadership Skills

Work is under way to begin implementation of the \$40 million Race to the Top grant that will fuel programs and strategies to improve education for students in seven King County school districts.

The Auburn, Federal Way, Highline, Kent, Renton, Seattle and Tukwila school districts competed together for the federal funding this fall as the "Road Map District Consortium." The name is a reference to the districts' participation in the Road Map Project, a collaborative effort to dramatically improve education in South Seattle and South King County.

The districts' 320-page plan was among 16 winners picked from nearly 400 applications, the U.S. Department of Education said in December. The region was one of only two applicants to win the maximum award of \$40 million.

The Puget Sound ESD will be responsible for managing the grant's implementation and function as the fiscal agent. Initial work on implementation is getting under way – a Project Manager will be hired shortly and the grant oversight Executive Committee is being established.

The winning plan covers 261 schools and 150,000 students, including 36,000 high-need children. The districts are using the grant to implement the following plans in an effort to help students "Start Strong," be "STEM Strong" and "Stay Strong":

- Start Strong - with a focus on early learning by ensuring students are ready for Kindergarten and improve math, science, and English language learning teaching. This will involve a lot of collaborative work between community PreK efforts and elementary schools.

- STEM Strong - our region is known for innovation in science, technology,



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engineering and math. We will invest in new tools that support the integration of digital content and blended learning approaches in the classroom and out of school for high need K-8 students. Investments will also help students explore STEM careers, and implement the Next Generation of Science Standards.

- **Stay Strong** - increases students' post secondary opportunities by offering all students the SAT, PSAT and ReadStep in school for free, provide training and assistance for our middle and high school guidance counselors, increase AP courses as well as STEM, IB, world languages, and enhanced career and technical training opportunities.

"We are excited to win this highly competitive and substantial grant to raise achievement in our region," commented Puget Sound ESD Superintendent John Welch. "Our successful grant application builds off of work already occurring in our districts and with our partners. These federal dollars will enhance, extend, and accelerate work we already know to be successful learning strategies."

A representative, nine-member Executive Committee will provide grant oversight and is in the process of being formed. Members include District superintendents, building leadership, teacher association leaders, and community partners. In addition, leading a complex, large federal grant such as this is a full-time job. The consortium is in the process of hiring a project director who will be housed at the Puget Sound ESD Renton offices. Applicants for the position should have a background in large-scale project management, experience in managing collaborative partnerships and program development. The project director will report to Superintendent John Welch and the

Executive Committee.

For more information on Race to the Top, please visit the Puget Sound ESD website, www.psesd.org

~Peter Daniels, PSESD
Communications Manager



North Central ESD

North Central ESD Educational Foundation forms partnership with Olive Garden



The first annual Olive Garden Italian Pasta dinner was held March 22 at Wenatchee High School. This event came about because of a new community partnership between the NCESD Educational Foundation, Olive Garden Restaurant and the Wenatchee H.S. Mariachi (pictured above with Ray Allen, Olive Garden Manager; Karen Rutherford, NCESD Foundation Board; Rufus Woods, editor of Wenatchee World; Dr. Rich McBride, NCESD and Si Bautista, NCESD Board Chair) who provided music for the evening. It was a highly successful event, with an attendance of 350.

The Mariachi program was honored in November 2012 with a \$900 grant from the North Central ESD Educational Foundation, made possible by a donation from the Woods House Family Fund, and designated to purchase a harp for the mariachi program. In the grant application, Mariachi Director Ramon Rivera wrote, "Mariachi Huenachi has guitars, violins, trumpets, vihuela and guitarron. We have long wanted to add a harp to our school instrument inventory but have yet to find the funds. Many of our students come from low-income families and buying a harp is out of the question for such students." Students' delight with the new harp is obvious in the picture (right).

The NCESD Foundation recently received their second \$1,000 grant from Olive Garden through the Darden Foundation.



Please contact Eldene Wall eldenew@ncesd.org or 509.665.2629 for your copy of the latest Teachers Make a Difference book.



NWESD 189

NWESD 189 offers technology tools

We are proud to share that the NWESD staff work diligently to provide the most modern resources and innovative tools for member districts. Here are a few examples of what we currently use.:

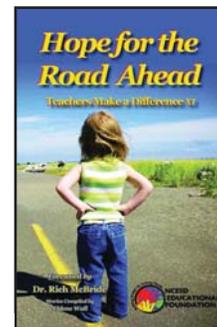
TPEP-RIG Website – The regional Teacher and Principal Evaluation Program (TPEP) is underway for the second year. The TPEP website (library.nwesd.org/tpep) serves as a collaborative space for the TPEP work, housing framework models, eVAL resources, tools created by the participants, and a library of materials used in each TPEP work session.

Common Core State Standards (CCSS) Implementation – You can find a list of CCSS resources online (library.nwesd.org/ccss) related to specific standards by age group and topic area. Most of these resources are printable PDFs, and we expect this list of tools to grow as more resources become available.

Autism Outreach Project (AOP)– The AOP office in Anacortes offers support to teachers and families statewide, providing everything from professional development opportunities to educational intervention resources and transition tools – all of which can be found online at nwesd.org/autism. One of the most utilized services through the AOP website is a free lending library that provides over 1,500 books, curriculum materials, DVDs, and videos to anyone needing Autism-related support statewide.

Technology is providing new opportunities/resources for educators, and has already altered the way we communicate. We are working diligently to stay in front of these trends (at least abreast to them!) and provide accessible, efficient tools in support of member districts.

~Rachael Woods, NWESD 189
Communications Specialist



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Washington Teacher of the Year selected as 2013 National TOY

For the fourth time in the program's 61-year history, the National Teacher of the Year is an educator who teaches in Washington!

Zillah High School science teacher Jeff Charbonneau was named the 2013 National Teacher of the Year in April by the Council of Chief State School Officers. Following his debut as National Teacher of the Year on "CBS This Morning" on April 22, he joined other educators for a meeting with Dr. Jill Biden on the White House grounds for about 90 minutes, then a luncheon with the other 2013 State Teachers of the Year at the vice president's home. The next afternoon, Charbonneau and his family enjoyed a brief meeting with Barack Obama in the Oval Office of the White House, just before a formal ceremony in the Rose Garden.

In his 2 ½-minute speech at the White House Rose Garden, Charbonneau said: "I firmly believe we are a nation of succeeding schools. It is time that the real message of education is shared: That the students of public education in the United States of America have some of the best opportunities to succeed. Their teachers are high-quality educators. Their local districts are proactive about their educations. And their government is committed to implementing real and meaningful reform measures."

Charbonneau will spend the next school year as the nation's education ambassador as a guest and presenter at about 150 events throughout the country and even overseas.

Since joining the teaching staff in 2001 of the same high school where he graduated in 1996, Charbonneau has built a reputation throughout the district and region as an innovator in STEM education. He developed agreements with area higher learning institutions to boost the level of rigor in his classes so students in all of his science courses can now obtain college credit for their high school work. In 2008, he launched the Zillah Robot Challenge, which loans out robot kits to schools throughout the state for a competition that so far has involved about 900 students from more than 40 schools. He further assists the 400-student high school as advisor of their yearbook, co-advisor of their drama program, and co-founder of a hiking and backpacking ecology program. Plus, he has been a teacher of fellow educators who have pursued their National Board



Jeff Charbonneau (left), 2013 National Teacher of the Year, and National Principal of the Year Trevor Greene, both from Washington State

Certification and their Continuing Teaching Certificate.

The National Teacher of the Year award previously went to Washingtonians in 1963 (Elmon S. Ousley, a speech and government teacher from Bellevue Senior High School), 1970 (Johnnie T. Dennis, a physics and math teacher from Walla Walla High School), and 2007 (Andrea Peterson, a music teacher from Monte Cristo Elementary School in Granite Falls). Minnesota has also had four National Teachers of the Year since the award began in 1952; only California has had more, with seven.

Washington has also become the first state to ever have the National Teacher of the Year and a National Principal of the Year during the same school year. Toppenish High School's Trevor Greene – whose school is just nine miles away from Charbonneau's – was named the 2013 National High School Principal of the Year last fall by the National Association of Secondary School Principals. Greene was among the group of teachers from all 50 states overlooking Charbonneau during the April 23 ceremony at the White House Rose Garden.

~David Goehner, ESD 105 Public Information



President Obama (center) honors Jeff Charbonneau (to Obama's right) as 2013 National Teacher of the Year, along with Teacher of the Year representatives from other states.

~Photos by Patti Kinney, National Association of Secondary School Principals

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2013 AESD Conference in Olympia



OESD board member Jean Wasson (left) and ESD 113 staff congratulate Dr. Howard Cook for receiving the AESD President's Award. Howard's wife, Marilyn, is seated on the right.



Conference attendees are intrigued by a display at the Hands On Children's Museum.



A member of the Olympia High School String Quartet that performed during the AESD banquet.

Conference photos by Jacque Netzer, Manager
ESD 113 Capital Event Center

April 11-13, ESD 113 hosted the annual AESD Conference "Partnerships: Doing More, Together," a gathering of ESD leaders from across Washington State. The keynotes and breakout sessions were held at the Capital Event Center, with tours through the region (Washington State Capitol, WET Science Center, Nisqually National Wildlife Refuge, West Olympia Head Start, Washington State Department of Early Learning, OSPI, and Washington Department of Ecology) and a reception at the Hands On Children's Museum.

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Pictured above at the AESD Conference are (l-r): Superintendent Walt Bigby, OESD 114; Karen Sorger, AESD President-Elect and other OESD 114 board members



ESD 113 Superintendent Bill Keim and Charlie Staadecker, AESD Executive Board member from Puget Sound ESD.



Among the speakers at the April 11-13 AESD Conference hosted by ESD 113 in Olympia were (above left) Professor Ron Fielder from University of Iowa (formerly from Grant Wood AEA in Iowa) and State Superintendent Randy Dorn (above right). Other speakers included Dr. Gene Sharratt, Executive Director of Gov. Jay Inslee's Student Achievement Council; and Merle Kirkley, AESD Executive Board President, and Canfield Marketing Representative.



Howard Coble and his wife Marilyn, shown with Howard's President's Award.



Dr. Rich McBride, AESA Executive Board, who, along with AESA Executive Director Lee Warne (shown on the screen via Skype), brought an AESA update.



Mike Hickman, ESD 113 Assistant Superintendent of Support Services, and Dana Anderson, ESD 113 Assistant Superintendent, visit with a guest at the Conference.