

TO ALL SENIOR HIGH PRINCIPALS: Student Government Association Annual Leadership Conference March 20, 2010

Category:

Audience: Principals/APs (Senior High), Activities Directors

Due Date: Feb 19, 2010

Meeting Date: Mar 20, 2010

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Attachment(s): [SGA Campaign Information Packet.pdf](#)

The District Student Government Association, in cooperation with the Miami Heat and the Anti-Defamation League, is holding its annual Student Leadership Conference on Saturday, March 20, 2010. See specific details below.

- The annual District Student Government Association Leadership Conference will be held at the American Airlines Arena at the East Plaza Gate 5 on Saturday, March 20, 2010.
- The theme for this year's conference is U.N.I.T.Y. "Understanding Negative Influences in Today's Youth." The conference is a kick-off event for National School Violence Prevention Week, March 22-26, 2010.
- During the conference, students will be trained in a program called, "No Place for Hate" sponsored by the Anti-Defamation League.
- Following is a tentative schedule for the conference:
 - 12:45 p.m.: Registration Desk Opens
 - 1:00-7:00 p.m.: Safe Schools "No Place for Hate" Training by the Anti-Defamation League. Snacks and breaks are included during this time.
 - 7:30 p.m. Miami Heat vs. Charlotte Bobcats Game
- The cost to attend the conference is \$20.00 per student. The fee includes the conference, snacks, and entrance into the Heat game.
- Schools must collect the money from the students and send a school check made payable to The Miami Heat and send the check to Mr. Bob Brazofsky, Supervisor, Division of Social Sciences and Life Skills, work location 9626, on or before February 19, 2010.
- Game tickets will be distributed at the conference. Additional tickets for the Heat game may be purchased for \$17.00 for individuals who want to attend the game but can not attend the conference.
- Senior High Schools wishing to attend the conference are asked to fill out the registration form found in the attached information packet.
- Participating schools are required to follow the filed trip procedures established at their particular school sites.
- Transportation is not being provided. Parking is available for a fee at the Bayside Marketplace or the American Airlines Arena is easily accessible using the Metro Rail Transit System and People Mover Transit System.
- In addition to the Leadership Conference, Senior High School Student Government Associations are encouraged to organize daily activities during the week of March 22-26, 2010 to celebrate National School Violence Prevention Week.
- As part of this celebration, the District SGA is sponsoring a poster, video, and/or poetry competition for interested students. The attached information packet provides details regarding the competitions, suggestions of activities for schools to implement during National School Violence Prevention Week, and further details regarding the Leadership Conference.
- Please see the attached information packet for all other pertinent details.
- If you need additional information, please email rbrazofsky@dadeschools.net or see the contact information below.

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