



SUNDAY
 July 11, 2010

DAILY SCHEDULE

SARATOGA COUNTRY CLUB
 ANNUAL GOLF OUTING FOR THE MARCHI SCHOLARSHIP FUND

WELCOME TO THE SARATOGA HILTON

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8:00 AMMORNING COFFEE BREAKFOYER/PAVILION
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7:30 AM - 8:15 AMNEW ATTENDEE WORKSHOPBROADWAY 1

8:30 AM - 10:00 AMGENERAL SESSION:SARATOGA BALLROOM
 ANNUAL ASSOCIATION MEETING

The 2010 Annual Meeting will include a presentation of the Annual Report to the Membership, nomination of and presentations by candidates as officers of the association, presentation of certification recognition, and other business of the association.

*Presenter: John J. McCormick, Riverhead CSD,
 President, New York Association for Pupil Transportation, 2008-2010*

10:15 AM - 11:15 AM • WORKSHOPS

MOBILITY DEVICES: 10 COMMON MISTAKESBROADWAY 1

Students with special needs are now using a wide variety of mobility devices and we are asked to transport their devices as well. There is clearly much to learn about the various devices and their workings. This session will look at 10 common mistakes (and their solutions!) made with these mobility devices during the loading/unloading process, tie-down and the actual bus ride.

Presenter: Jean Zimmerman, Physical Therapist, Palm Beach County Schools, Florida

FIRST OBSERVER TRAIN-THE-TRAINER TRAINING (TILL 12:45 PM)BROADWAY 2

FIRST OBSERVER is a highway security program funded by FEMA and the Transportation Security Administration (TSA). Its mission is to promote security by training people to observe, assess and report risks and security breaches. This session will prepare attendees to train school bus drivers back in their operations and we are pleased to bring the First Observer team to NYS!

Presenter: Donald Howell, Subject Matter Expert, First Observer

MCI: ARE YOU PREPARED?BROADWAY 3

This presentation will convince you of the importance of conducting a mass casualty drill and will offer tips and ideas to enable you to hold one in your area. Are you prepared to make every second count in the event of a tragic emergency involving a bus load of children?

*Presenters: Deb Stevens, Master Instructor
 Anthony Quaranta, Owego-Apalachin CSD*

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11:30 AM - 12:30 PM • WORKSHOPS

TIME MANAGEMENT CAN HELP! (REPEATS ON TUESDAY).....BROADWAY 1

Life in the transportation office is hectic and it comes at you fast each day. It's easy to get caught up and misuse time and energy. Want some ideas? Come spend some time with a NYAPT "fav" in exploring strategies and 'to-dos' to improve your time management skills. Trust us—it'll be well worth your time!

Presenter: William Hoosty, President, WRH Consulting Group

PROFESSIONAL CERTIFICATION: A TOOL FOR YOUBROADWAY 2

Professional certification brings recognition for work accomplished and support for work to be accomplished. NYAPT has recently instituted a professional certification program that is growing in strength and the NAPT has sponsored a Certification program that is both rigorous and credible. This session will outline ways to participate in both programs and complete their standards and requirements.

Presenter: Robert Peters, CDPT, Liverpool CSD

RECOGNITION PROGRAMS AND MORALE BUILDING (REPEATS ON TUESDAY)BROADWAY 3

Times are tough; but even when they aren't, it's important to recognize success and effort and to invest in the esteem and morale of our workforce and team. Learn about the value of such programs and activities and learn of ways to incorporate recognition and team building into your daily operational culture. You'll be glad you did!

Presenter: Betty Hughes, Master Instructor

ADVOCATING FOR THE INDUSTRYBROADWAY 4

Speaking up for the issues that are important to our members and to the safety of the children is an important part of our jobs as professionals. We will discuss ways that you can be more involved in advocating for school bus safety and support for school transportation, and share our association's advocacy and issues development with our lobbyist/executive director.

Presenter: Peter Mannella, Executive Director, New York Association for Pupil Transportation, Cyr Foundation for Excellence in School Transportation

12:30 PM - 1:45 PMLUNCH ON YOUR OWN

1:45 PM - 2:45 PM • WORKSHOPS

THE NEUROLOGY OF MULTI-TASKINGBROADWAY 1

In this session, you will learn more about how the brain works, especially how it works when we try to multi-task. More to the point, we will learn why it really can't be done and what happens when we "push" it. Don't be doing anything else when you attend this course.

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FIRST OBSERVER TRAIN-THE-TRAINER TRAINING (TILL 4:15 PM)BROADWAY 2

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DON'T BE A CRASH TEST DUMMY!BROADWAY 3

This entertaining presentation will include interaction filled with fun and learning in a game show format where teams will be questioned about different scenarios showing crash testing. Your knowledge of various aspects of transportation will be tested. The session will include prizes and a 'guest' visitor! Having fun and learning! It doesn't get any better than that!

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Kathleen Furneaux, Executive Director, Pupil Transportation Safety Institute*

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2:45 PMREFRESHMENT BREAKLOWER LOBBY
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3:00 PM - 4:00 PM • WORKSHOPS

EXPLORING PEAKS AND VALLEYS (REPEATS TUESDAY)BROADWAY 1

This comprehensive look at transporting children with behavioral disorders will explore the challenges of a child with behavioral disorders on a school bus. Discussion will include understanding these disorders, how to identify and defuse the turmoil they can cause on your buses and what focus your role as a manager/leader should take. Interesting insights from someone who has both driven and managed transportation of these children.

Presenter: Kathleen Furneaux, Executive Director, Pupil Transportation Safety Institute

WHAT ADMINISTRATORS NEED TO KNOW ABOUT EVACUATIONSBROADWAY 2

Administrators need to carefully plan in advance for the eventuality of an evacuation of a bus transporting students with special needs. This session will explore the kinds of serious questions and considerations that arise in planning for such evacuations ahead of time.

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BEATEAM: BETHLEHEM'S FINEST!BROADWAY 4

The BEATeam appears in their community and teaches in all of Bethlehem's schools using innovative, multi-media programs. These 10 drivers strive to increase awareness of the safety margins on and around school buses. This presentation will describe their evolution including curriculum development, fulfillment of SED mandates, and local business partnerships.

*Presenters: Ellen Driscoll, Driver/Trainer, Bethlehem CSD
Ladd Valentini, Driver Trainer, Bethlehem CSD*

6:00 PM - 7:00 PMRECEPTIONFOYER/PAVILION

7:00 PM - 9:00 PMAWARDS BANQUETSARATOGA BALLROOM

9:00 PM - 10:00 PMDESSERT RECEPTIONFOYER/PAVILION

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COURTYARD BY MARRIOTT

9:00 AM - 4:30 PM
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