NETWORKING, ASSOCIATION GOVERNANCE, RESOURCES,

AGENDA:

5 p.m.

Open House & Registration

6 p.m.

Business Meeting

Presiding: Bill Alexander, Chair

Reports of the:

Board of Directors: Lisa Weitzel, Director

Resolutions Committee: Amy Reynolds, Resolutions Chair

Statewide Officers: Tom Neeley, Treasurer

Recognition of Delegates from 2016 Conference Delegate Assembly

Announcements: Larry J. Dirks, IASB Field Services Director

Dinner & Entertainment: Meridian High School Jazz Band

Director, Tony Hicks

7:15 p.m.

Legislative Update: Deanna Sullivan, Director,

Governmental Relations

7:30 p.m. Program

8:30 p.m. Adjourn

Mark Your Calendar:

May 31, 2017 — Abe Lincoln Division Governing Committee Meeting, IASB, Springfield

October 3, 2017 — Abe Lincoln Division Dinner Meeting, Sangamon Valley CUSD 9

November 17-19, 2017 — Joint Annual Conference, Chicago

Be sure to visit the IASB website for a complete list of events and locations: www.iasb.com/calendar



Larry J. Dirks **Field Services** Director

Your Abe Lincoln Division Officers:

The following dedicated school board members represent you and serve your Association:

Lisa Weitzel, Director Ball-Chatham CUSD 5

Bill Alexander, Chair New Berlin CUSD 16

Vacant, Vice Chair

Amy Reynolds, Resolutions Chair, Rochester CUSD 3A

Meridian CUSD 15 **Board of Education:**

Vicki Carr, Board President Tony Etherton, Vice President Angela Dawson **Adam Herbert** Monte Hogan Marie Jagger-Taylor Matt Roush

Dan Brue, Superintendent



Field Services

The vision of the Illinois Association of School Boards is excellence in local school board governance supporting quality public education.

REGISTRATION:

Event date: Thursday, March 2, 2017

Registration fee: \$25

All registrations must be completed online. You will be using the new IASB database management system to register. Please follow these easy steps:

- Go to www.iasb.com and click on MY ACCOUNT.
- Log in using your email address and password:
 - If you do not know your password or do not have a password, do not create a new account; use the forgot password link.
 - If you are still having difficulty logging in, please contact your District's Superintendent or Administrative Assistant to make sure you are listed on the District Roster.
- Click on Events Calendar tab and continue with your registration.

If you have any questions, please contact: Chelsea Reimann at

creimann@iasb.com or 217/528-9688, ext. 1117.

If you need a special meal or arrangements, please note when registering online or call/email the contact listed above

Payment may be made by credit card or the district can request that it be billed if a P.O. number is provided. Registration fees will be refunded only for cancellations received two days prior to the meeting. This is a legitimate school board expense.





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ABE LINCOLN DIVISION MEETING

So You Think You Know the FBI?

Briefing for Candidates

Thursday, March 2, 2017 • Meridian Middle/High School • Macon

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PROGRAM:

So You Think You Know the FBI?

Most of us have some notion of the FBI, and what that organization does, like protecting and defending against foreign or domestic threats, enforcing Federal criminal laws, and providing resources to federal, state, and municipal law enforcement agencies. But unknown to many of us, the FBI also has community outreach resources that can help school districts and communities to be safer places to live. Brad Ware, Community Outreach Specialist, from the FBI Field Office in Springfield will overview community outreach resources available through the FBI. Those resources include Citizen Academies, Community Relations Executive Seminars, Safe Online Surfing, Child ID App for mobile devices, help in planning for an active shooter response, and preventing gang related activities in communities. Mr. Ware will overview these free services in the hopes that school districts may want to tap into this valuable resource. We will have Q & A as time allows.

March 2, 2017

Meridian Middle/ High School 728 S. Wall Street Macon, IL 62544

Follow US Route 51 to Macon. Turn south onto Wall Street for approximately one mile. School will be on the left (east). Enter through the High School or Middle School main entrance.

Briefing for Candidates

This session is designed to provide **board candidates** with an overview of the roles and responsibilities of an elected school board member and an idea of what to expect if they are successful in the April elections. Boards are encouraged to bring candidates for the whole evening, as the dinner program will be valuable to candidates as well as to current board members.

While the briefing is free, online registration and payment of \$25.00 is required for the candidates attending the dinner. Your district superintendent or district secretary must update your district roster to include candidates prior to registration. (see REGISTRATION section below). If you have questions about registration, please email creimann@iasb.com.

Presented by: Larry J. Dirks, Director, IASB Field Services