



# FCRTA

Franklin County Retired Teachers Association  
NRTA "With Our Youth" National award Recipient

FCRTA

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## Luncheons/Dinners & Board Meetings

### June 16 -DINNER

Aladdin Shrine  
3850 Stelzer Rd.  
Columbus, OH  
5:00 Social Hour  
6:00 Dinner

### Sept. 8

Arlington Banquets (Cafe)  
1967 W. Henderson Rd.  
Columbus, OH

### Oct. 13

Villa Milano  
1630 Shrock Rd.  
Columbus, OH

### Dec. 8

Aladdin Shrine  
3850 Stelzer Rd.  
Columbus, OH

Executive Board Meetings  
will meet at 10.00 a.m. on these dates.  
Lunch is at 12:00 noon.

June 16, 2010

### DINNER RESERVATION

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Street \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_

Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Deadline: June 9, 2010

Cost per person: \$25.00

Make checks payable to  
FCRTA and send to:

**Mildred Becker**

**311 East Walnut Street**

**Westerville, OH 43081-2339**

## A Flying Take-off for FCRTA's 61st Year

If you were not one of the 80+ members or guests who attended the FCRTA April luncheon meeting at J Liu in Worthington, you missed a good time. Why? Very good food, very good service and a great program.

The speaker was Bobbie Richards, who along with her husband Bill, are the local directors of the Honor Flight Columbus program. Bill is a teacher in the Upper Arlington System and Bobbie retired from teaching to devote more time to the program. The motto of the Honor Flight Network is "Remembering the Past - Teaching the Future."

The goal of this program is to fly World War II veterans to Washington, D.C. so that they may view the World War II Memorial. The Columbus program has escorted 1,200 veterans on free one-day trip to Washington, D.C. The total cost of each flight is \$13,000.

With the help of her slide projector, Bobbie shared with us some of the joys and emotions these veterans of the Greatest Generation experience as they view this impressive memorial. At the close of her presentation, Bobbie received a standing ovation for the work she and her husband are doing to keep this program going. She stressed that the some 500 volunteers were the force that kept Honor Flight Columbus

'in the air'.

If you are interested in more information about this program contact: Bobbie and Bill Richards, 2185

Ridgecliff Rd., Col's OH 43221; 614-284-4987; [columbus@honorflight.org](mailto:columbus@honorflight.org) or [www.honorflightcolumbus.org](http://www.honorflightcolumbus.org)

Tom Beck, Co-president

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## MEMBERSHIP

It is time again for dues. Membership is from January 1 through December 31. Please invite those retirees who may not have joined FCRTA. Retired teachers need to support those organizations who try to protect our benefits. Legislators pay attention to numbers. Especially at this time, every membership counts.

Please recruit a retired teacher and/or a friend of education. Your support is appreciated!!

### New Members

Sue Ann Dykes  
Barbara Forbes

### New Life Member

Sue Ann Dykes

Thank you,  
Martha Kinkead, Membership



A Huge Thank you to hosts Sally Lefler, Barbara Courtad, Ray Fatig and Donald Conard for helping out at the April 14 luncheon? Also, thanks to Bob Croye for bringing a flag.

Many thanks,  
Linda Conard



### FCRTA Community Service

We are now donating our food collection to NNEMAP (Near Northside Emergency Material Assistance Program) which cooperates with Mid-Ohio Food Bank. More than 40 churches support this endeavor to assist people in need, including the homeless.

**Please bring your donations to our luncheon meetings.**

Items needed are:

Canned foods only (vegetables, fruit, soup, meat, fish etc.) No boxes, jars, or bottles.

Thanks you very much for sharing your bounty!!

Bob Croye

**Members: Please visit the webpage at its new address:**

**<http://www.fcrt.com>**

**Information for the Sept/Oct, 2010**

**Newsletter should be to sent to:**

**Missy Rush, Editor**

**by Aug. 6, 2010.**

**[mrush52995@aol.com](mailto:mrush52995@aol.com)**



## ORTA Workshop

The Franklin County Retired Teachers Association Officers and Trustees who attended the informative ORTA area workshop on April 8, 2010 in Wilmington, OH are: Robert Croye, Delena Doan, Al Foose, Evelyn Foose, Ray Jewett, Catherine Wheeler, Richard Wheeler, and Tom Beck.

**JUNE 16<sup>th</sup>**

### **DINNER EVENT**

**Join your FCRTA friends for a fun-filled affair!!!**

**Place: Aladdin Shrine  
3850 Stelzer Rd.  
Columbus, 43219**



**Time: 5:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m. Social Event  
with light hors d'oeuvres, cash bar**



**and music entertainment  
6:00 p.m. Dinner,  
after dinner remarks and  
visit with friends**

**Cost: \$25.00**

**Deadline: June 9, 2010**

**Make checks payable to F.C.R.T.A.**

**Mail to:**

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**Westerville, OH 43081-2339**

**JUNE 16 DINNER RESERVATION**

**Mail check and form by June 9, 2010**



Name \_\_\_\_\_

Street \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

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Return Service Requested



## FRANKLIN COUNTY RETIRED TEACHER'S ASSOCIATION

Last Name                      First/Given Name                      Middle Initial

Street Address    Apt.                      City                      State                      Zip

Telephone \_\_\_\_\_ Year retired, \_\_\_\_\_

e-mail \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_ FCRTA Life . . . . . \$100.00      \_\_\_ ORTA Life ... \$300.00

\_\_\_ FCRTA Annual... .. \$ 10.00      \_\_\_ ORTA Annual . \$ 20.00

Please make check payable to FCRTA and mail to:

Martha Kinkead,  
5810 Pinewild Dr.,  
Westerville, OR 43082-7753

(Enclose a stamped envelope if a dues card is desired.)

If you have moved, please inform the membership chairperson. Be sure to include your phone number.

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Street \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_

9 digit Zip. \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

e-mail \_\_\_\_\_

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