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Region XI of PASR



GLEN R. GRELL

EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC SCHOOLS EMPLOYEES **RETIREMENT SYSTEM (PSERS) INVITED AS FALL** LUNCHEON KEYNOTE SPEAKER

Mr. Grell is the Executive Director of the Public

School Employees' Retirement Systems (PSERS), a \$50.2 billion public pension system headguartered in Harrisburg, PA and currently the 20th largest state-sponsored defined benefit public pension fund in the nation with a membership of nearly 260,000 active school employees and nearly 220,00 retirees. Prior to being named

Executive Director, Mr. Grell served as the elected State Representative for the 87th District in the House of Representatives, which includes several communities in Eastern Cumberland County. He was first elected to the Pennsylvania House of Representatives in 2004.

During his tenure in the House of Representatives, Mr. Grell was the prime sponsor or House floor leader on legislation addressing many important matters, including: the 2010 pension reform; eminent domain; the 2012 Justice Reinvestment Initiative for corrections reform; revisions to the Uniform Commercial Code on secured transactions; a recodification of the Notary Public Law; and tort reform. Prior to his election, Mr. Grell was an attorney in private practice in Central Pennsylvania.



Attendees from Fall 2018 Breakfast

BREAKFAST FOR NEW MEMBERS. COMMITTEE AND EVENT VOLUNTEERS If you have joined PPSREA, became a LIFE MEMBER, VOLUNTEERED on a COMMITTEE, or

at a SPECIAL EVENT, you will receive an invitation to Breakfast at Tiffany's on Wednesday, October 30, 2019.

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SAVE THE DATE **NOVEMBER 14TH**

Dutch Apple Dinner Theatre Lancaster, Pennsylvania

Money Due To Boscov's Travel **OCTOBER 7, 2019** Go to www.ppsrea.org for details

MEMBERSHIP LUNCHEON

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 17, 2019 MARK YOUR CALENDAR! PLAN TO ATTEND Time: 11:30 AM

PLACE: **Penns Landing Caterers** 1301 South Columbus Blvd. Philadelphia, PA 19147

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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE



want to thank all the PPSREA officers, directors, committee chairs, volunteers, family and friends, who helped to make our nonagenarian celebration a fabulous success. This spring over 320 guests celebrated with PPSREA at our General Membership Meeting and Luncheon as we honored 14

Greetings to all,

nonagenarians, 8 of whom attended.

This year our Cultural Trips committee planned a diverse and enjoyable series of trips. Check out the article from the Cultural Trips committee on page 7. The 2020 schedule is currently in development, if you have any special requests please reach out to one of the committee co-chairs at the PPSREA office.

.Sherry O. Morris | In an effort to continually improve our services to the members and retirees, the membership committee has included a survey on page 14. We value your ideas and opinions. Tell us what you think!!!

> Finally, on December 31, 2019, my tenure as your president will end. It has been an honor to serve you and this organization. At the beginning of my term I laid out a "Goals for Growth" agenda. Three goals were created.

- To increase the use of the website and digital media platforms to communicate information, activities and events.
- To expand PPSREA/PASR outreach activities to all retirees.
- To increase PPSREA/PASR active membership participation.

I am proud to announce that the members of our organization stepped up to accomplish these goals.

- PPSREA's digital footprint has increased. The website improved. Use of both the PPSREA and the PASR website has increased substantially. An email list server was created. Informational email blast to over 1500 members are sent out regularly. The newsletter was redesigned and is sent out not only to members but also to all the Philadelphia Public Schools.
- PPSREA is proud to announce that talks have started with the school district to re-establish the Retirement Planning presentations to potential retirees. Participation in the PFT Programs for Learning Workshop attendance to our sessions has increased.
- The Volunteers Workshop brought in many new members helping at the luncheons, cultural trips and socks collections. The "I Survived the School District" t-shirts garnered tremendous interest in PPSREA.

I want to thank Danielle O. Keith, PPSREA Office manager, the Board of Directors at PPSREA and PASR, the PASR staff and the Committee Chairs for their help and support on so many occasions. Lastly, I want to acknowledge the awesome PPSREA/ PASR members that I have had the pleasure to meet at events and work with on various activities and projects. "Its been great fun!!!!!''

Sincerely. Sherry O. Morris Visit www.ppsrea.org website for additional information.



On October 6-8, 2019, PASR will be hosting the House of Delegates Conference at the Valley Forge Hotel and Casino. Philadelphia Region XI has been allotted 13 delegates to caucus and vote on PASR business. Twenty-three (23) non-voting attendees have requested registration forms to attend the conference from Region XI. I look forward to strong participation from the Philadelphia coalition.

The 2019 Leadership Conferences will be held on 11/6/19 at the Berks IU, 11/8/19 at the CAIU, and 11/14/19 at the Midwestern IU. The focus will be on utilizing the PASR website and training for incoming Presidents from the odd numbered regions.

PASR has endorsed Russell J. Diesinger, from Lenhartsville, PA for the Office of Member of the Public-School Employees' Retirement System (PSERS) to represent the Annuitant Members of the System. PASR encourages all PASR members to vote.

PASR has upgraded its digital presence. Visit PASR's two (2) Facebook pages. "Like" them both and join the private page. Visit the PASR YouTube page. Be the first to listen to the newly uploaded "Just A Moment With PASR" podcast where discussion on leadership roles take place, featuring Judy Schaffer and William Neugebauer. Jacklyn Keys is the podcast host and interviewer. Check it out!!! "Don't forget to visit the PASR website: www.pasr.org for additional information."

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Phone: 717-697-7077 Fax: 717-697-8742 pasr@pasr.org www.pasr.org Note: Membership dues payments are not deductible for federal income tax



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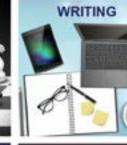
PLEASE ALLOW 4-6 WEEKS FOR PROCESSING

DON'T FORGET TO VOTE ****** NOVEMBER 5, 2019 ******

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CAMPING



# CALLING ALL HOBBYISTS







## **DO YOU HAVE A HOBBY THAT YOU ENJOY?**

A hobby is an activity or interest pursued for pleasure or relaxation and not as a main occupation. We are planning to showcase our retirees who have a hobby that they will be willing to share at our General Membership Spring and Fall luncheons.

We are hoping to have the first display at the Spring 2020 Luncheon.

If you are interested in sharing and showing other retirees how you spend some of your time, please reply as soon as you can by email to <u>membership@ppsrea.org</u> or by contacting the PPSREA office at 215-921-5056. Include your name, phone number and a brief description of your hobby.

# Socks, socks, socks &MORE SOCKS

Thank you for the sock donations at the Spring 2019 General Membership Meeting and Luncheon. Our goal this year is 500 pairs. We need you! The collection of white athletic socks for seniors and veterans will continue at the October General Membership Meeting and Luncheon on Thursday, October 17, 2019. Please bring dozens! Seniors need socks! Drop them off at the Membership table. Attention: Mamie E. Bryan

Please Bring DOZENS!



#### LIFE MEMBERS: 33 NEW MEMBERS

Carmen E.Alba Patricia L. Alexander Michael W.Andrews Sarah Bradsher Evelen L. Brown Hattie L. Brown Stella T. Camilla Marilyn M. Carr Charlene T. Childs Renee G. Coleman Denise J. Clayton Ronnie H. Collins **Richard E. Conroy** Diane C. Fountain Pamela G. Galloway Carol A. Goral Renee C. Harris-Headen

#### **ANNUAL MEMBERS: 24 NEW MEMBERS**

Rita Alexander-Augustine Deborah J. Blake Delisa S. Bromwell Dulcemaria Castellon Sue A. Christmas Beverly M. Demeritte John Gillard Kenneth S. Hilliard Linda Jarrell Lorelle P. Jones Denise C. Clark-Kirby Richard A. Kydd



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### PPSREA NEW MEMBERS LIST JANUARY 2019 - JUNE 2019

Vernenda E. Hayman Freda E. Sydnor-Joell Lynette R. Lazarus Loretta M. Lees Cheryl F. Lewis Patricia N. Maune Anna C. Mines **Deirdre Pearson** Marie C. Pugh Carol Ray Joyce E. Sample Cheryl M. Skipworth Roslyn G. Smith Sharon A. Whiley Marcia K. Henderson-White Judith C.Wood

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#### **2019 PPSREA FITNESS PROGRAM APPLICATION - STIPEND \$60**

Please Print and Complete All Information

| Name:                              |                                                 |                                           | Life Member #                                                  |
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APPLICATIONS MUST BE RETURNED BY JANUARY 15, 2020 TO BE ELIGIBLE FOR THE 2019 STIPEND

\*\*If your membership is paid by another program such as "Silver Sneakers" you are not eligible for the stipend\*\* Applications available online at www.ppsrea.org



#### APRIL

Forty-four (44) members and their friends traveled to Cambridge, Maryland for the Harriet Tubman Underground Railroad Tour. The trip included an informative, guided tour of historical Cambridge, visits to The Harriet Tubman Museum and her birthplace in Bucktown, Maryland. Travelers enjoyed an authentic "Maryland crab cake" luncheon.

PPSREA caught the Phillies Fever at "Seniors Stroll the Bases" Day on April 17, 2019. One hundred and twentyfive (125) members, their families and friends went to the balldame. Some of our members sported the blue "Join PPSREA" baseball cap. Hundreds of seniors in attendance in at the Lincoln Financial Center remained after the game and formed a line that wrapped around the stadium from the first base to the home plate. Fan pictures were displayed on the electronic board. PPSREA trips to the Phillies games are quite popular with our members. Again on July 30<sup>th</sup>, fifty (50) PPSREA fans cheered the Phillies against the San Francisco Giants.

#### JUNE

On June 19th, thirty-five (35) members and their guests traveled to Ellis Island. This trip included opportunities to visit Liberty Island, the Statue of Liberty, and a stop in Chinatown for a scrumptious multi-course Chinese food dinner.

Visit the website for information on the November 14, 2019 trip to the Dutch Apple Dinner Theatre.

#### **COMING IN 2020**

The 2020 PPSREA cultural trip calendar is being developed to include:

- Respect
- 2020 Philadelphia Flower Show, Riviera Holiday, February 29 March 8.
- Winterthur Museum with lunch on the Riverwalk
- Chesapeake Cravings Annapolis, MD.
- · Grounds for Sculpture Hamilton, NJ
- St. Michaels, MD
- Culinary Institute of America, Franklin Delano Roosevelt home, Hyde Park, NY

The 2020 Cultural trip schedule and reservation guidelines will be posted on the PPSREA.org website. Please observe the due dates and submit your reservations with payments. Members' suggestions for trips are considered when the schedule is developed. Let us know of places of interest to you. Travel with us, meet new people, reconnect with former colleagues and have fun. The participation of PPSREA members, their families and friends enables us to accomplish the mission: *helping each other enjoy retirement*.

The Cultural Trip Committee Mamie E. Bryan, Don Williams Co-Chairs

• February 15, 2020 matinee at the Kimmel Center featuring the Philly Pops tribute entitled Aretha:





MRS. HARIETTE COX ROBINSON

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# 2019 Spring General Membership MEETING & LUNCHEON



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#### SERVICE

#### Dear Colleague:

Since 1947, our organization, the Philadelphia Public School Retired Employees Association, has been entrusted with the responsibility of providing needed service to our fellow retirees. Over the years, the Service Committee has worked diligently to help members live in a safe, healthy and comfortable home environment. Among the services provided by the Service committee are:

- Care Giver Relief
- ✤ Home Repair
- In Home Appliances (e.g. Shower Chair, Wheelchair) •••
- Medical Aids •••
- Occupational and Physical Therapy \*
- Structural Repairs for Quality of Life (e.g. Chair lift, Ramp)

Please complete the Confidential Request for Service form to the right, and return it to our office. Upon receipt, a member of our committee will be assigned to you as case manager and will contact you to discuss your needs.

Please be assured that any information you provide to us will be held in the strictest of confidence. We are pleased to be of service to you.

> Sincerely, Stephen Spence, Service Committee Chair



# **CONFIDENTIAL REQUEST FOR SERVICE**

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Briefly describe the nature of service requested and the approximate cost. Continue on another paper, if needed.

\*\*\* 3 estimates for contracted services must be obtained from licensed and insured contractors \*\*\*

Please return this request for service to the office at the above address. Any information provided will be held in the strictest confidence

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The PPSREA Membership Committee focuses on recruiting and retaining members. In order to achieve the association's annual goal, we need to know what PPSREA members want. Please complete this short survey form and email your responses to: <u>membership@ppsrea.org</u>. or mail to: 5398 Wynnefield Avenue, Suite 201 • Philadelphia, PA 19131. Your responses will be considered in planning for the future.

#### 1. Please list (3) three things that PPSREA should **continue** doing.

|    | 1                                               |                                              |  |
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| 2. | Please list (3) three things that PPSREA sho    | uld <u>stop</u> doing.                       |  |
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| 3. | Which programs or services do you take adv      | vantage of:                                  |  |
|    | General membership Luncheon Meeting             | Information in the Spring & Fall Newsletters |  |
|    | Townsend Service Fund                           | Volunteer Opportunities                      |  |
|    | Fitness Reimbursement                           | □ Breakfast for New Members & Volunteers     |  |
|    | Cultural Trips or Events                        | PASR administered Vision or Dental Plan      |  |
| 4. | Would you ask a friend to join PPSREA?          | □ Yes □ No                                   |  |
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|    | Are you a member of the state association, Penn | sylvania Association of School Retirees      |  |

The PPSREA Membership Committee

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| THE PHILADELPHIA PUBLIC SCHOOL<br>Penns Landing Caterers   1301 South Columbus Bi                                                                                                                                                                                       |                                                                                                                                                         |
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| Enclosed find <u>\$30 for each person</u> . If members would like to<br>check payable to "PPSREA". <u>Deadline for payment is:</u> SEP<br><u>Send Checks to:</u> Stephanie Mitchell • 703 We<br><u>Questions?</u> Call Stephanie I<br><u>Names</u> (Next to each name C | <b>TEMBER 24, 2019</b> (refunds will <u>not</u> be made after the deadline)<br>est Chelten Avenue • Philadelphia, PA 19126<br>Mitchell @ (215) 924-7764 |
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# THAT ALL RETIRED PUBLIC SCHOOL EMPLOYEES CAN JOIN PPSREA

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TELL YOUR FRIENDS AND FAMILY MEMBERS!! GO TO PPSREA.ORG FOR MORE INFORMATION