

# 14<sup>th</sup> Anniversary East Wind Membership Conference

*Maria Navarro, Local President*

**\* Where There is Unity There is Victory\***

December 2024

Happy News to all Local 870 School District Dues Paying Members,

It is with great excitement that, Suffolk Educational Local 870 President, Maria Navarro, together with The Navarro Team of Local Officers and CSEA's Statewide President, Mary Sullivan are proud to invite you, our CSEA Local 870 School District **Members ONLY** to participate in our

**14th Annual School District Membership Conference**

**Date: March 1, 2025 (Saturday) Time: 8:00 am - 3:00 pm (Registration tables open at 7:45)**

**Location: East Wind Inn/Spa Conference Center**

**5720 Route 25A, Wading River, NY 11792**

In addition to the educational workshops, there will be information tables, member benefit vendor displays, raffles gifts & much more.

*The entire conference, including lunch, is FREE.*

*So, bring a Co-worker! Carpool, It will be a great day of education and fun!*

**Be sure to bring extra \$\$\$ for a chance to win awesome raffle gifts to support our graduating seniors of school district members Scholarship awards.**

**\$30 will get you 52 raffle tickets for our wonderful variety of raffles.**

*Also, we will be doing a special raffle with a great prize to support the St. Jude Children's hospital Foundation.*

*PLUS..... Everyone loves a 50/50*

**RESERVATIONS ARE REQUIRED!** Registering is easy.... Just review the enclosed workshop descriptions,

**\*Please choose a workshop in each session\*** Complete the enclosed pre-registration form and return it to the address indicated on the form; **NO LATER THAN February 07, 2025**

**REGISTER EARLY: ONLY THE FIRST 500 PEOPLE WILL BE ACCEPTED.**

Return the completed Pre-Registration form today. Remember, the more information you learn concerning your union, the stronger our union will become! So, why not gather your fellow CSEA members, carpool, and enjoy a wonderful, stress free day with fellow School District Local 870 members at no cost to you.

All questions regarding the conference should be directed to [mariacsea@aol.com](mailto:mariacsea@aol.com) or

[Local870secretary@gmail.com](mailto:Local870secretary@gmail.com).

We hope you will join us and participate in Our 14<sup>th</sup> Annual Local 870 Membership Conference.

*Thanks for all you do!*

*Together we WIN!*

*In the Spirit of Teamwork,*

*Maria Navarro,*

*Local 870, President*

*Local 870 Officers*

*Statewide officers*

*Mary Sullivan ,*

*CSEA Statewide, President*



CSEA Suffolk Educational LOCAL 870 REGION ONE

14<sup>th</sup> East Wind Membership Conference 2025

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SUFFOLK EDUCATIONAL LOCAL 870  
MARIA NAVARRO, LOCAL PRESIDENT

CSEA STATEWIDE OFFICERS  
SULLIVAN, BRIGGS, MEEKS, BEBO

LOCATION: East Wind Hotel/Spa Conference Center  
5720 Route 25a, Wading River, NY 11792 631-929- 3500

DATE: Saturday, MARCH 01, 2025  
TIME: 8am-3pm

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**WORKSHOP SESSION 1**

**WORKSHOP SESSION 2**

(Please choose **ONE** morning workshop)

(Please choose **ONE** afternoon workshop)

**9:30 AM – 11:00 AM**

**11:30 AM – 1:00 PM**

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Full Breakfast served at **8:00 am – 9:00 am SHARP**  
RAFFLES, LUNCH, SPEAKERS

Hot Lunch Buffet begins at **1:00pm**

PLEASE PRINT NAME & ADDRESS CLEARLY. **\*\*We will be mailing your confirmation card from this information. It must be legible!**

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First Name	Last Name	Cell/Home Phone Number
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Home Address	Town	Zip
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School District:	Job Title:	CSEA ID#
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Please Return no later than **Febuary 07, 2025**  
To: Maria Navarro, Local 870 President- Conference Registration  
1731 Suite D North Ocean Avenue, Medford, New York 11763

Please choose one of the TWO options to register, **do not duplicate** \*you may either Mail or Fax to: (631) 475-8740.  
(Additional forms can be downloaded from the CSEA870.org website)

**\*YOU WILL RECEIVE A CONFIRMATION CARD IN THE MAIL ONE WEEK PRIOR TO THE CONFERENCE.**  
**PLEASE INDICATE ANY SPECIAL NEEDS!**      **Don't forget to bring \$\$ for raffles!**      Looking forward to seeing you there!



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## ***Workshop Descriptions:***

***Civil Service Overview! Presented by: Civil Service Representative; Presenter, Civil Service assigned representative***

*This presentation will give you an overview regarding classification, position reviews, exams, and eligible lists. Come join this workshop to get those questions answered that you always wanted to ask. There will be open discussions of questions and answers!*

***School Safety: Presented by: Jane Meunier-Gorman: CSEA Health and Safety Specialist: School safety is more than just what is taught in the classroom. Gang violence, bus and transportation issues, kitchen hazards, ergonomics, and building hazards are just some of the safety issues affecting CSEA members in our school districts. This workshop will explore safety issues in schools and discuss strategies to address them.***

**Reduce your Technology Stress: Become Tech Savvy: Presented by: Kristine Cucinello.**

Are you feeling overwhelmed by constant notifications, endless scrolling, and the digital demands of modern life? This course will equip you with practical strategies to reduce tech related stress and become more tech-savvy.

**You will earn 3 CTLE hours for this event.**

**Preparing for the Unthinkable: Educating Workers on How to Best Respond in Case of an Active Shooter: Presented by: Suffolk Police Officer Elisa McVeigh:** Active shooter incidents are becoming all too common, and workplaces can be a target of these often-fatal events. Workers need to know how to best respond to these unpredictable and rapidly evolving situations. At this introductory session, participants will learn which actions to take to prevent and prepare for potential incidents, including what to do when an active shooter enters the workplace.

**Retirement (All Tiers: 3,4,5&6): Presented by; NYS Retirement Speaker from The New York State Comptroller's Office;** This is an interactive program presented by an Information Representative from the NYSERS. Participants will learn the critical elements involved in the calculation of their pension benefits, what they can do to maximize these benefits and obtain information on how and when to contact NYSERS to obtain their specific information Participants will also have the opportunity to ask questions related to pension benefits during and after the presentation. In addition to a verbal and Power Point presentation, participants will also receive a guide that covers pension information in more detail.

**Member Benefits: Presented by: Jessica LaFontaine: Member Benefits Specialist:** In this interactive workshop you will learn about the many participating providers CSEA has to offer. There will be a presenter from a variety of Member Benefits to explain exactly how you and your family can benefit from the many offers available to you because you are a CSEA Member.



**CSEA Suffolk Educational Local 870**  
**2025 East Wind Membership Conference**  
**“Where There is Unity There is Victory”**

Come together to support our **community members in need.**

Please bring a nonperishable food pany and or toiletry item to the drop off location at the East Wind, at the 2025 Membership Conference and receive a FREE raffle ticket for a separate prize drawing.

Also, help support our Scholarship fund for graduating seniors of 2025, please remember to bring your raffle \$\$\$\$ for many raffle gift selections.

\$30 gets you 52 chances to win!

THANK YOU FOR YOUR CONTINUED SUPPORT

