

## Wednesday, August 24

Time	Workshops/Meetings	Location	Speakers/Presenters
3:00 - 8:00 p.m.	Credentials Committee	Champaign	
5:00 - 9:00 p.m.	Registration	2nd floor Hyatt	
7:00 - 8:00 p.m.	Sergeant at Arms Committee	Knox	
8:00 - 10:00 p.m.	Rules Committee	Marion	
8:00 - 9:15 p.m.	<b>New Delegates Orientation</b> <i>Orientation on convention activities and parliamentary procedures - a must for delegates new to the convention</i>	Delaware A & B	Lori Elmore

## Thursday, August 25

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8:00 - 9:30 a.m.	Registration (re-opens at 10:00 a.m.)	2nd floor Hyatt	
7:30 - 9:30 a.m.	Credentials Committee	Champaign	
8:00 - 9:15 a.m.	<b>New Delegates Orientation</b> <i>Orientation on convention activities and parliamentary procedures - a must for delegates new to the convention!</i>	Delaware A & B	Lori Elmore
	<b>Your Checkbook as a Weapon (Using PEOPLE to Fight)</b> <i>You've heard it many times before, "give to PEOPLE and get a jacket." But the PEOPLE program is much more than a t-shirt or jacket; it is our weapon against anti-labor politicians and big corporations trying to end the middle class, which will take away the hopes of future generations. Learn how to ask your fellow brothers and sisters about becoming members and how we can increase our political power by growing the PEOPLE program.</i>	McKinley	Bruce Wyngaard
	<b>What You Did to Win and How We Are Going to Do It Again (SB5 and the Referendum)</b> <i>Join a panel of activists, members and leaders as we discuss some of the great success stories of the signature gathering campaign against Senate Bill 5, and how we can think outside the box in strategizing for the massive fight leading up to the November 2011 elections. Hear OCSEA's action plans and bring your ideas on how we can best win by defeating the biggest anti-union bill in Ohio's history.</i>	Hayes	Paris Walker, PEOPLE Coordinator, Central Region AFSCME Gerry Fidler, Political Action, AFSCME

WORKSHOPS



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8:00 - 9:15 a.m.	<p><b>Open House on Subordinate Body Finances</b></p> <p><i>This is more than a workshop, it's an "Open House" to answer as many subordinate body financial questions as possible. Got questions on paperwork, trainings and more? Feel like you only communicate with OCSEA over the phone or email and want to put a face to the communications? Then pop in to the Open House, introduce yourself, grab some refreshments and meet OCSEA's financial experts. OCSEA Secretary Treasurer Kathy Stewart, OCSEA Comptroller Geri Kaparos and Assistant Comptroller Karla Cobel will be on hand to answer questions, hand out training materials and sign up chapters for trainings. Want to attend another workshop but have a financial question? A Q&amp;A box will be on hand to drop off questions.</i></p>	Harrison	Geri Kaparos, Kathy Stewart, Karla Cobel
	<p><b>Mini Communications Boot Camp</b></p> <p><i>Given the unprecedented attacks on public workers in Ohio, it's important that we have all the tools we need to effectively communicate our message about valued public services. We need to be better trained and we need more practice. It's not enough to just read some talking points; we need to understand what messages work and why, and, just as importantly, what does not work. This workshop will give participants practice in creating effective messages that capture audiences as well as help give the confidence and skills to deliver punchy and meaningful messages in a media interview. Come prepared to fully participate in this lively workshop.</i></p>	Harding	OCSEA PR Dept.
10:00 a.m.	<b>Registration re-opens</b>	2nd floor Hyatt Battelle Hall	Pres. <b>Eddie L. Parks</b> <b>DR&amp;C</b> <b>Michelle Mills</b> Columbus City Council <b>Nina Turner</b> State Senator
10:00 a.m.-Noon	<p><b>General Session</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Call to Order</li> <li>• Honor Guard</li> <li>• Welcome Address</li> <li>• Speaker</li> <li>• Credentials Report</li> <li>• Rules Report</li> <li>• Adoption of Agenda</li> <li>• State of the Union</li> <li>• Secretary-Treasurer Report</li> </ul>		
Noon	<b>Adjourn for Lunch (on your own)</b>		Pres. <b>Eddie L. Parks</b> Sec.-Treas. <b>Kathy Stewart</b>
Noon - 1:30 p.m.	<b>WAC Luncheon</b>	Franklin	<b>Tracy Maxwell Heard</b> State Representative



## Thursday, August 25 continued

Time	Workshops/Meetings	Location
1:40 - 5:00 p.m.	General Session Nominations	Battelle Hall

**Nominations for PRESIDENT, VICE PRESIDENT AND SECRETARY-TREASURER must adhere to the following guidelines:**

- Nominating speeches: No more than 1, not to exceed 3 minutes.
- Seconding speeches: No more than 2, not to exceed 2 minutes each.
- Acceptance speeches: Not to exceed 5 minutes each.

5:00 pm	<b>Committee Meetings</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Credentials</li> <li>• Constitution and By Laws</li> <li>• Finance</li> <li>• Legislation</li> <li>• Resolutions</li> <li>• Rules</li> <li>• Elections</li> <li>• Sergeant at Arms</li> </ul>	<b>Champaign</b> <b>Fayette</b> <b>Morrow</b> <b>Garfield</b> <b>Grant</b> <b>Marion</b> <b>Clark</b> <b>Knox</b>
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6:30 - 8:30 p.m.	PEOPLE VIP Reception	Delaware
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## Friday, August 26

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8:00 - 9:30 a.m.	Credentials Committee	Champaign	
8:00 - 9:00 a.m.	Registration (re-opens at 9:30 a.m.)	2nd floor Hyatt	
8:00 - 9:15 a.m.	Committee Meetings	See Thurs. agenda for room locations	

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8:00 - 9:15 a.m.	<b>Grievance Process and Investigation</b> <i>This workshop will focus on grievance investigation and processing and will give stewards the tools they need for the preliminary stages of a grievance, particularly for the first two weeks after it is filed.</i>	<b>Harding</b>	<b>Tom Cochrane</b>
	<b>Fighting Privatization</b> <i>This discussion-focused workshop will cover the six general approaches to fighting privatization of public services. It will include interactive exercises to help chapters, districts and assemblies to develop a multi-tactic approach to stopping privatization and engage members in grassroots activities at the local level.</i>	<b>McKinley</b>	<b>Pat Hammel</b>
	<b>The Power to Win SB5... The Cause, The Journey, The Leaders!</b> <i>1.3 million signatures to repeal Senate Bill 5 didn't happen overnight. It took a lot of hard work from activists from every corner of the state. This workshop will inspire leaders to share their strengths and experiences in their SB 5 grassroots mobilization efforts. In addition to a brief history on the referendum efforts to date, leaders will learn from one another by speaking before the group about mobilization victories, obstacles, wisdoms and inspirations.</i>	<b>Hayes</b>	<b>Deborah Bailey</b>
9:30 - Noon	<b>General Session</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Speakers</li> <li>• Credentials Committee Report</li> <li>• Election of Officers</li> </ul>	<b>Battelle Hall</b>	<b>Tim Burga,</b> <i>Ohio AFL-CIO President</i> <b>Lee Saunders,</b> <i>AFSCME Secretary-Treasurer</i>
12:30 - 2:00 p.m.	<b>Lunch (on your own)</b>		
12:30 - 2:00 p.m.	<b>CMCA Luncheon</b>	<b>Franklin</b>	<b>Joe Schiavoni,</b> <i>State Senator</i>
2:15 p.m.	<b>General Session</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Committee Reports</li> <li>• Run-off Election (if needed)</li> </ul> <b>Adjourn</b>	<b>Battelle Hall</b>	
TBA	<b>Committee Meetings</b>	<i>See Thurs. agenda for room locations</i>	
6:30 - 7:00 p.m.	<b>Cocktail Reception (cash bar)</b>	<b>3<sup>rd</sup> floor Hyatt</b>	
7:00 - 8:30 p.m.	<b>Banquet</b>	<b>Hyatt Regency Ballroom</b>	
8:30 p.m.	<b>Dance/DJ</b>		

