



WAYNE-FINGER LAKES
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BOCES Staff Gets Recognized

On June 8, 2006, Wayne-Finger Lakes BOCES held its annual Employee Recognition Reception at which retirees, employees with 25 and 30 years of continuous service and those selected by their peers to receive performance awards were honored.

The following people retired at the end of the school year: Patricia Schell, Fairport, Sp. Ed. Instructor; Cindy Reed, Sodus, Special Services Coordinator; Barbara Stevens, Palmyra, Resource Coordinator; Frederick Dole, Caledonia, Info Tech Network Analyst; Emily Parker, Rochester, Sp. Ed. Instructor and Rocco Carbone, Auburn, School Social Worker.

Three employees were recognized for thirty years of service: Donna Makitra, Stanley, Teaching Assistant; Lynda Scribner, Shortsville, Sp. Ed. Principal; Ronald Newman, Pittsford, Psychologist and Lynn Stockwell, Canandaigua, Speech Therapist.

Fourteen employees were recognized for 25 years of service: Christine Angus, Palmyra, Technical and Career Instructor; Barbara Bagshaw, Clifton Springs, Teaching Assistant; Thomas Bezon, Sodus, Psychologist; Linda Brugge, Marion, School Aid; Deborah Gorton, Rushville, Teaching Assistant; Ruth Hartnett, Canandaigua, Sp. Ed. Instructor; Mary Beth Hewitt, Fabius, Staff Development Coordinator; Gail LeFever, North Rose, Secretary; Elaine Longo, Livonia, School Aide; Joseph McClinton, Marion, Phys. Ed. Instructor; Debra Page-Parker, Newark, Custodian; Diane Stanton, Williamson, Account Clerk Typist; Debra Walbourn, Webster, Teaching Assistant and Nancy Wright, Stanley, Sp. Ed. Instructor.

Employees that received special performance awards must first be nominated by peers through a formal nomination process requiring evidence of suitability for the award. Then a team of employees representing a cross section of BOCES employees, reviews the nominations and makes selections. Recipients of the Individual Contribution Award were: Janet LaRocca, Geneva, Teaching Assistant; Madeleine Hemmings, Newark, Grants Coordinator; Judy Marsh, Penn Yan, Administrator of Library Media Services and Sylvia Neill, Clifton Springs, Sp. Ed. Instructor.

Leadership awards went to Marty Daniels, Canandaigua, Sp. Ed. Principal and Brian Hegeman, Fairport, Web Developer.

The Teamwork Awards went to the following people: Jack Bauer, Middlesex, Technical and Career Instructor; Roger Brooks, Canandaigua, Technical and Career Instructor; Fran Corso, Macedon, Technical and Career Instructor; Amanda Venuti-Kanaley, Geneva, Teaching Assistant; Jan Soper, North Rose, Teaching Assistant; Beth Whitehouse, North Rose, Teaching Assistant; Dave Burley, Rushville, Teaching Assistant; Tracy Green, Rushville, Teaching Assistant; Vicki Hunter-Harrington, Naples, Teaching Assistant and Kevin Timmerman, Ontario, Teaching Assistant.

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