

BUCKEYE LOCAL LPDC MEETING
September 2006

The following items were discussed during the September meeting held at the Jefferson County Educational Service Center.

1. The next date for the Jefferson County LPDC is October 18th, 2006 at 4:30 p.m. at the Jefferson County Educational Service Center. Please remember that your IPDP must be submitted with your application packet to Carol Webb at Central Office at least one week before the meeting date. **New LPDC members are asked to be there by 3:30 for an orientation session.** LPDC binders will be issued to new members.
2. Teacher and Administration IPDP forms are available on line. A hard copy is available at the Central Office. All LPDC members were given a packet containing all LPDC forms at the August meeting. Please remember to **read the directions carefully** when completing your IPDP, especially when checking the boxes on the form. If you have questions please contact one of your district LPDC members.
3. A committee has been formed to assist superintendents from all districts in reviewing, revising, and updating the By-Laws and forms for the LPDC. Jodi Rielly has agreed to serve on this committee.
4. Professional Development for the LPDC 2006-2007

The LPDC is committed to become more PD focused since the writing of IPDP's has been streamlined. We will have a Professional Development topic on each agenda beginning in September. Lynda Glenn and Maureen Taggart lead the presentation for the September meeting featuring "A Focus on SIRI." Your suggestions and support are vital if we are to optimize our Professional Development efforts for the future. Please contact an LPDC member if you have an idea for professional development. Buckeye Local will be presenting in March of 07.

5. Your building principal has been given a copy of approved On-Line Colleges and Universities outside of Ohio. Approved work taken from these colleges and universities is acceptable for certificate/license renewal and for salary schedule advancement (if approved by your district). **Please be reminded that all coursework must appropriately support the implementation of the goals and activities that are on your approved IPDP.** Coursework taken from these colleges and universities may not be accepted by ODE as legitimate work for gaining licensure in an additional field (e.g., administration). **It is advised that you obtain approval from ODE prior to beginning coursework for an additional field.**

Teacher Representatives

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Administrative Representatives

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