

Andy Shinn Is Our CTA SESCC WHO Honoree

Andy Shinn (BGI) is the CTA South Eastern Service Center Council We Honor Ours (WHO) honoree for Montebello Teachers Association.

Andy has been a MTA member since 2001. He began his leadership involvement in the Association in 2005, originally serving as a site building rep. Over the next several years, he served his site not only as a Building Rep, Building Rep Chairperson, and Faculty Club Chairperson.

Andy was a member of the bargaining team for a year before serving as Bargaining Chair for about three years, including the years immediately following the 2008 financial crisis, during which time the team didn't allow one single pink slip to be issued, nor did the team accept any reductions to our pay schedule.

He's worked phone banks and walked precincts for multiple endorsed candidates for MUSD Board of Education.

Andy's MTA bio includes:

- Treasurer, Intermediate Director & Parliamentarian
- Organizing Committee
- Political Involvement Committee
- Ethnic Studies Committee
- Retiree Supplemental Health Plan (The Trust) Trustee

Andy will be honored at a banquet the evening of **Wednesday, April 27**.

Contact President David Navar if you are interested in purchasing tickets for Andy's special dinner: DavidNavar@MontebelloTeachers.org



If You Think Retirement Is Your Future, Keep Reading

- ◆ You are eligible to receive your State Teachers Retirement System (STRS) the day after you retire. If you retire June 10, you begin earning STRS June 11. (If you plan to work the additional student days June 13-15, you can retire June 15 and begin earning June 16.)
- ◆ You must submit your paperwork to STRS at least 45 days prior to your retirement date to receive your first regular payment in a timely fashion. If you wait to submit the paperwork you earn the same amount, but the payment may be late.
- ◆ It's all electronic! You will receive a direct deposit to the financial institution of your choice.
- ◆ Your CalPERS medical insurance will be deducted from your STRS pension.
- ◆ If you have 15 years of service to the District you can retire from the District and receive medical insurance through CalPERS.
- ◆ If you are under age 67 when you retire, the District will reimburse up to \$1466.65 per month (in 2022).
- ◆ If you are 65 or older, you must apply for Medicare Parts A & B through Social Security.
- ◆ If you are 67 or older when you retire, the MTA Retiree Supplemental Health Plan (The Trust) will reimburse you up to \$500 per month (in 2022) if you meet eligibility requirements.
- ◆ Retirement is a "qualifying event" so you can change your insurance options even though it is not Open Enrollment.

You and Your Family

Are Invited to the

Retiree Benefits Workshop

Tuesday, March 29 at 3:30 p.m.

Via Zoom

*Learn more about your retiree medical
benefit options.*