

The FOUNDATION

For Seminole County Public Schools

APRIL 2014 PROGRESS REPORT

Fabulous Food, Fun, and Prizes Planned for Golf "FORE" Education Tournament

The 20th annual Golf "FORE" Education Tournament, presented by IOA, on **Monday, April 14**, is shaping up to be a can't-miss event!

Golfers should bring their appetites and a sweet tooth, because there will be food and drinks around the Legacy Club course... breakfast from Chick-Fil-A for the morning flight, and 4 Rivers Smokehouse lunches for the afternoon golfers. Hospitality tents compliments of Tropical Smoothie, Walgreens, Chiro-Fit, Jeremiah's Italian Ice, and Publix will supply cool refreshments, golf items and chair massages.

Golf entertainer and professional Rocky "Rockstar" Shipes will be on hand to drive your ball on Hole #7. Hole-in-One sponsors include Classic Audi, Fields BMW, and Mercedes-Benz of North Orlando. Raffle prizes include Coke Zero 400 tickets, passes to Universal Orlando, and more.

[Register today](#) for one of the largest golf tournaments in Seminole County and support programs to benefit students in our A-Rated school district! For more information on how to get involved, contact The Foundation for Seminole County Public Schools at 407-320-0196 or Foundation@scps.us.



Night of the Stars Celebrates Outstanding Teachers

Excitement was in the air at the 2015 Teacher of the Year Celebration "Night of the Stars", presented by CFE Federal Credit Union. Nearly 300 guests packed the Hilton Orlando ballroom on March 13 in honor of the 66 Seminole County Teachers of the Year.



2015 Seminole County Teacher of the Year, Bridget Dycus (center) with Seminole County School Board members (L-R): Karen Almond, Chairman; Dede Schaffner; Tina Calderone, Ed.D., Vice-Chairman; Amy Lockhart; and Superintendent Walt Griffin, Ed.D.

Our VIP teachers walked the red carpet and were welcomed with applause and cheers by family, friends, event sponsors and SCPS administrators. Bob Frier, FOX 35 Evening News Anchor, was emcee again this year, and infused the program with jokes and laughter. Each teacher received an apple trophy, cash award, and a tote bag filled with gifts, as well as door prizes.

The highlight of the evening was the announcement of the 2015 District winner. Superintendent Walt Griffin opened the envelope to announce that Bridget Dycus, mathematics teacher at Rock Lake Middle, would represent SCPS as the 2015 Seminole County Teacher of the Year. Bridget was also surprised with a year-long lease on a Chevrolet Cruze, courtesy of Carl Black Chevrolet Buick GMC. Congratulations Bridget!

Thanks to presenting sponsor CFE Federal Credit Union, and all the event sponsors and gift donors for recognizing the efforts of these outstanding educators. It's because of their efforts that we have sustained an "A" rated school district for 15 years running.

2014 School-Related Employee of the Year CELEBRATION

REFLECTIONS OF EXCELLENCE

April 15, 2014

Seminole High School
2701 Ridgewood Avenue
Sanford, FL 32773

6:00-8:00p.m.
Awards Celebration



CFE Federal Credit Union representatives Kevin Miller, Suzanne Dusch, Michael Ferreer, and Cassie Roach welcomed guests to the reception.



Bob Frier, FOX 35 Evening News Anchor, emceed the event while Omar Rodriguez, Carl Black Chevrolet Buick GMC, announced a new car one -year lease to Teacher of the Year!



Carl Black Chevrolet Buick GMC donated a year's lease on a Chevrolet Cruze to District Teacher of the Year, Bridget Dycus.

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