

Beliefs

The Midwest Principals' Center (MPC, Inc.) bases its activities and programs on the following beliefs.

- Principals work consistently to improve schools.
- Principals are leaders in effecting change.
- Principals are advocates for children, teachers, and parents and are accountable to all in the community.
- Principals who are active learners are more effective.
- An understanding of the nature of learning, the process of change, theories of instruction, and successful applications is critical to the success of principals.
- Opportunities for renewal are essential for the enhancement of the principal as a person and professional.

Working Together

- Principals share many common experiences and a unique empathy for the complexity of their work.
- Principals can learn a great deal from reflecting on their own experiences and those of others.
- Principals gain affirmation and support by working together.
- Learning is enhanced in an environment in which a sense of community exists.
- Effective organizations provide opportunities for their members to influence governance and policy.

Working with Others

- Principals have a unique role in leading and developing leadership.
- Leadership is a shared responsibility in effective schools.
- Change will require challenging systems, traditions, and practices that separate people.
- Cooperation with other professional organizations enhances the work of the center.

Membership

Several membership options are available to individuals and organizations wishing to participate in MPC, Inc. activities. An "Organizational Partnership", described below, is available to those interested.

Type: **INDIVIDUAL MEMBERSHIP**

Eligibility: School Districts
Individual Schools
Other Organizations

- Benefits:*
- Reduced rates for MPC programs for all principals, assistant and associate principals, central office administrators, and other district leaders
 - Priority registration for all staff in special events and programs
 - Representation on Regional Partnership Board
 - Mailings
 - Network with school leaders
 - FREE Legal Breakfasts

Cost: \$45.00 Membership
\$30.00 Retiree Membership

Other Membership Options:

District/Organizational Partnerships
School Partnerships

QUESTIONS?

Please contact Linda Kaminski listed on the back of this brochure or go to our web site at:

www.midwestprincipalscenter.org

Midwest Principals' Center, Inc.

Individual Membership Application

Name _____

Position _____

District/Organization _____

District No. (if applicable) _____

School (if applicable) _____

Mailing Address _____

Email Address _____

Phone _____ / _____

FAX _____ / _____

Membership Option *(Check One)*

_____ Member (\$45.00)

_____ Retiree Membership (\$30.00)

Amount Enclosed \$ _____

*(Please make check payable to
Midwest Principals' Center, Inc.)*

I would like information about:

_____ Organizational Partnerships

_____ Other _____

How did you hear about the MPC?

Comments or Questions:

Please mail or fax to:

MIDWEST PRINCIPALS' CENTER, INC.
421 N. County Farm Road
Wheaton, Illinois 60187
630-407-5803

Recent and Current Programs

2011-2012 Programs

THE SKILLFUL TEACHER - THE SKILLFUL LEADER

with
Jon Saphier
09/21-22/2011
Addison, Illinois

FIVE MINDS OF THE FUTURE

with
Howard Gardner
11/09/2011
Lombard, Illinois

MOTION LEADERSHIP - THE SKINNY ON BECOMING CHANGE SAVVY

with
Michael Fullan
12/08/2011
Lombard, Illinois

FROM WHAT TO HOW

with
Dr. Doug Reeves and Dr. Debra Hill
01/20/2012
Lombard, Illinois

SEVEN PRINCIPLES OF SUSTAINABLE LEADERSHIP

with
Andy Hargreaves
02/23/2012
Lombard, Illinois

MPC Officers and Staff

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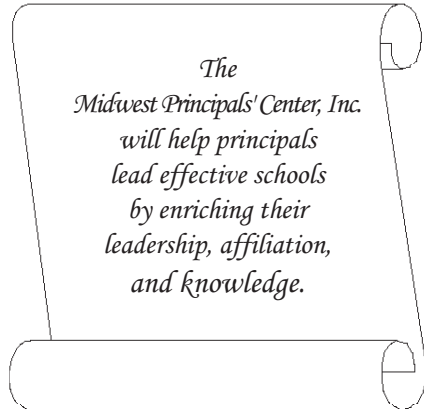
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Membership Brochure

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*The
Midwest Principals' Center, Inc.
will help principals
lead effective schools
by enriching their
leadership, affiliation,
and knowledge.*

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