

SCCTM News December 12, 2020

Conference News

Please register for the next upcoming SCCTM Virtual Event being held on January 12, 2021: Seeing the Beauty and Wonder of Mathematics.

Register here: <https://scctm.wildapricot.org/>

The code to register is the same as for the previous event. If you need the code, please contact: director@scctmconference.org

Everyone who registers ahead will be notified of the Zoom link a week to ten days before the event.

Our keynote speaker will be Dr. Bernard Frost, the recent recipient of the 2020 SCCTM Outstanding Contributions to Mathematics Education Award. The theme is "Lifting Us with Humor."

To see details and schedules for all the planned events, visit <http://scctm.org/>

Although there is no fee for this event for members, we are accepting donations. [Follow this link to donate to SCCTM.](#)

[Virtual Meeting Flyer](#)

[Register Now](#)

SCCTM Officers

Election results are in. Follow this link to see our current executive board officers and managers: <https://scctm.wildapricot.org/SCCTM-Officers>

SCCTM 2020 Awards

SCCTM Recognizes Dr. Bernard Frost as Recipient of the 2020 Outstanding Contributions to Mathematics Education Award

SCCTM Recognizes Dr. Tom Peters as Recipient of the 2020 Richard W. Riley Award

The SCCTM has two awards to recognize the efforts of individuals who have made significant contributions to mathematics education in South Carolina - the Outstanding Contributions to Mathematics Education Award and the Richard W. Riley Award. Both awards celebrate the individual's time, energy, expertise, and commitment towards the improvement of mathematics education in our state. Their efforts have made positive differences for mathematics educators as well as impacted students' learning of mathematics across South Carolina. These awards recognize contributions in curriculum, instruction and/or assessment of mathematics.

Information on criteria and nomination forms are available on the SCCTM website or through this direct link: <http://scctm.org/Awards>

Donations to SCCTM

As many of you know, the annual in person conference that SCCTM has held each year for decades helps SCCTM earn the funds in order to support the scholarship and grants programs. SCCTM has always been able to keep membership and conference registration fees low due to the support from the vendors who reserve exhibit hall booths and so generously make donations toward the coffee breaks and reception for our members. Without the conference and its exhibit booth sales, our finance committee has had to rework and rethink what is now a very constricted budget.

Several of our board members have already made large donations to SCCTM recently. If you are able to help support SCCTM at this time, you may donate online at: scctm.org/donations or you may mail a check made out to SCCTM, 6 Sandalwood Lane, Sumter, South Carolina 29154.

MathMate

The September 2020 Issue of the MathMate is available on the SCCTM Webpage or via [this link](#).

Join or Renew NCTM membership

We encourage you to join NCTM. When you join or renew please use the following affiliate code SCCTMLC20

Opportunity from SCDE CTE

Interactive Career Awareness Toolbox

SC CTE EDUCATORS: Introduce Students to Math Skills as they Relate to STEM and Computer Science Careers in Learning Blade®

The South Carolina Department of Education Office of Career Technical Education (CTE) is providing Learning Blade to schools in SC. Receive your school's free account by registering at www.learningblade.com/SC

Learning Blade exposes students to high-demand STEM and Computer Science careers through 200+ hours of interactive STEM and Computer Science activities aligned to mathematics standards for Grades 5-9.

Request free virtual PD/training or ask questions by emailing info@learningblade.com

Submissions for the e-blast

The SCCTM sends out a monthly news blast. The format for submissions is a short (less than 250 words) description paragraph and links to any flyers or forms on the originating organization's website/storage. This format avoids us housing other organization's documents/flyers on our listserve server's limited space. All submissions must also meet our mission as stated on our website:

"The South Carolina Council of Teachers of Mathematics acts to support quality mathematics teaching by advocating at the state level for South Carolina educators and students; providing opportunities for leadership, professional development, and networking; and encouraging the creation of research-based curriculum, instruction, and assessment."