



# The Lighthouse



Columbus Public Service Chapter

40 Years  
1981—2021

NMA...The Leadership Development Organization  
Columbus Public Service Chapter  
The first Public Sector Chapter - est.1981

## JULY MEETING EVENT INSTALLATION DINNER



Our officers were sworn in! Congratulations to NMA President Melanie Mallett, 2nd Vice President Roberta (Bobbi) Marion, Treasurer David Fox and Secretary Brooke Agnew.



NMA Secretary Brooke Agnew won Chapter Member of the Year Award! Brooke attends meetings regularly, assists officers and NMA members and always greets us at meetings with a warm smile. Her work with NMA is appreciated. Congratulations to Brooke!!

## July 2022

Visit the Columbus Public Service Chapter website:

[www.nma-cpsc.org](http://www.nma-cpsc.org)

Visit us on Facebook at

[www.facebook.com/NMACPSC](https://www.facebook.com/NMACPSC)

Read the latest issue of Breaktime at

[www.nma1.org/nma-breaktime](http://www.nma1.org/nma-breaktime)

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# NMA Family Scrapbook



*Photos from our Installation Dinner meeting event!*



*Let us know about  
your new additions,  
or those needing our  
thoughts and prayers*

## Announcements

# September Meeting Event

DATE: Wednesday, September 21, 2022

TIME: 11:30am—1:00pm

LOCATION: Jerry Hammond Building  
1111 E Broad St  
Continental Room

MENU: Jason's Deli  
Boxed lunches



### Agenda:

- 11:30 Registration/Networking
- 11:45 Invocation/Pledge of Allegiance
- 11:50 Lunch is served
- 12:00 We will discuss our plans for the upcoming year. Please bring your questions, concerns and ideas to help improve our local chapter of NMA.
- 1:00 Closing Remarks

Make reservations by Wednesday, September 14, 2022 to

[BAAgnew@columbus.gov](mailto:BAAgnew@columbus.gov)

Preferred method is to accept the meeting invitation through Outlook

*Don't forget your pop can tabs for Ronald McDonald House*

# NMA Calendar

## July 2022

- 4 Independence Day
- 22 Jazz & Rib Fest
- 27 Ohio State Fair starts

## August 2022

- 7 Ohio State Fair ends

## September 2022

- 21 Member Meeting



Invite a friend or co-worker to the next meeting event!

*More photos from our meeting and our NMA Bingo game!*



All are welcome to attend:  
**City of Columbus  
 Toastmasters**

**Meetings:**  
 1st, 2nd & 3rd Thursday of every  
 month at  
 Columbus Public Health  
 240 Parson Ave.  
 Room 119-C  
 6:00 to 7:30 PM  
**For more information,**  
**Call 645-6032 or 216-8988**



**NMA Word Bingo**

B	I	N	G	O
Leadership	Programs	Smart	Skills	Persevere
Unity	Awards	Development	Grow	Chapter
Management	Community	Free Spot	Create	Vision
Value	Commitment	Service	NMA	Dedication
Mentoring	Business	Drive	Mission	Confidence





**The 2022 NMA Annual Conference is  
October 12-15, 2021  
The Galt House, Louisville, KY**

The 2022 NMA Annual Conference is right around the corner! Excitement is high, and anticipation is building for NMA's first fully-attended conference since 2019. NMA staff are working hard to provide attendees three days of great speakers, food, and fun. We will celebrate chapter and individual achievements, our national Member of the Year, 2022 Hall of Fame induction, the National Speech Contest Finals, and honoring our national Executive of the Year. And to make things even better, there will be no increase in registration fees over 2021!

Come experience Louisville's vibrant city-center and waterfront, Bourbon, food, horses, and southern hospitality while being hosted at a world-class hotel the 2022 NMA Annual Conference is sure to be a must-attend event for you!



## What is NMA?

NMA The Leadership Development Organization is a professional association headquartered in Dayton, Ohio. The Association is a national not-for profit organization serving about 20,000 members worldwide.

### NMA Code of Ethics

I will recognize that all individuals inherently desire to practice their occupations to the best of their ability.

I will assume that all individuals want to do their best.

I will maintain a broad and balanced outlook and will recognize value in the ideas and opinions of others.

I will be guided in all my activities by truth, accuracy, fair dealing and good taste.

I will keep informed on the latest developments in techniques, equipment, and processes.

I will recommend or initiate methods to increase productivity and efficiency.

I will support efforts to strengthen the management profession through training and education.

I will help my associates reach personal and professional fulfillment.

I will earn and carefully guard my reputation for good moral character and good citizenship.

I will promote the principles of our American Enterprise System to others, by highlighting its accomplishments and displaying confidence in its future.

I will recognize that leadership is a call to service.

### NMA Statement of Principles

NMA is dedicated to managerial excellence, personal and professional growth, and leadership development. The following principles identify NMA's core beliefs and provide the basis for the Association's Mission Statement.

We believe in the highest standards of personal and organizational integrity and respect for the individual.

We believe in lifelong learning, continuous improvement, and the development of a workforce capable of sustaining a competitive posture in the global economy.

We believe management is a creative, dynamic, and essential process enabling people to achieve personal and organizational objectives.

We believe that managerial responsibility is shared among all individuals at all levels of the organization and that leadership is critical to management success.

We believe that individuals and organizations have a community and civic responsibility.

### NMA Mission Statement

NMA creates leadership development products and opportunities that maximize the potential of our members, sponsoring organizations and communities.



# Helping Hands

**MEMBERS—Contact us to see your name here!**

**C. Celeste LaCour-Belyn**—volunteers with Twin Rivers Links, Inc. going to middle and high schools speaking on “*The Signs that I Missed*” in relation to the death of her daughter. She also teaches a “*Safe Dates*” curriculum to school counselors and health and wellness teachers at local schools.

**Bruce Black** – is President of the Berwick Civic Association.

**Joya Brooks**—volunteers through Big Brothers Big Sisters mentor program.

**Lesley Carter**—volunteers for Girl Scouts GSOH Troop 1975 and Columbus City Schools Berwick Alternative K-8.

**Jeff Emhuff**—volunteers at the Metro Parks 2-3 times a month.

**Cindy Fruth** – the Treasurer of her church.

**Audrea Hickman**—volunteers with the Mid-Ohio Foodbank in Reynoldsburg, volunteers and supports various non-profit organizations which advocate for mothers who have lost children to violence and is also a proud supporter of the local chapter of Moms Demand Action.

**Beth Fairman Kinney** – volunteers as the Outdoor Events Coordinator for Cub Scout Pack 41 and mentors at Marion Franklin High School.

**Terry Neal** – volunteers as a Board Member for the Eastgate Garden Civic Association and is a member of the Columbus Police Civic Volunteer Corps.

**Kasia Richey**—volunteers through Big Brothers Big Sisters mentor program and is the Board Member/Tournament Assistant Coordinator for All Ohio Premier Basketball program.

**Kathy Spatz** – volunteers in CAPRA accreditation reviews for the National Parks and Recreation Association, Member of the Westerville Parks Advisory Board and the 2022 NMA Vice Chair of the Board.

**Terrell Spencer** – currently holds the office of President of the Livingston Heights Place Civic Association.

**Bee Tolber** – volunteers at the North Central Area Commissioner, Big Brothers Big Sisters mentor, Columbus City School Board, Tray Lee Center volunteer, also at St. Stephen’s Community House CCS Mentorship Program.

**Scott Ward** – is an Executive Board Member for the American Legion and the Association of the United States Army.

## The NMA Leadership Model



*Derived from a similar model in Results Based Leadership by Ulrich, Zenger, & Smallwood.*

## NMA OFFICERS AND BOARD MEMBERS JULY 2022—JUNE 2023

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