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Subject: Welcome Back! Here is your weekly reminder list!

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Welcome Back! We hope your first week of 2017 was satisfactory!

Here is your weekly reminder list...make sure you read all the way through!

- **Job Share Workshop** - The CFT Annual Job Share Workshop will be held at the CFT Office on Wednesday, January 18, 2017 from 4:30 pm to 5:30 pm. Please RSVP to cft@cft-aft.org or 513-961-2272. Click [here](#) for more information regarding the workshop. The contract language regarding Job Sharing can be found on page 45, section 250 of the [CFT Collective Bargaining Agreement](#) or click [here](#) for the snippet.
- **Professional Development Fund** - On December 29, an email was sent to all certificated personnel notifying you that the drop off date for the PDF applications was changed. The email message read:

The Teacher Professional Development Fund Committee has decided to postpone the application drop-off date from Wednesday, January 4 to Thursday, January 12 due to the Learning Team meetings taking place the same day. Certificated personnel can also have the application time stamped at the HR desk on Friday, January 13th through Wednesday, January 18th, 2017. We are sorry for the late notice the scheduling conflict was just realized.

Application drop-off will now occur on January 12 from 5:00 to 6:30 PM at Mayerson Academy. If you have any questions contact Brian Sersion (SersioB@cpsboe.k12.oh.us) or Latosha Wright (wrightla@cpsboe.k12.oh.us)

- **Be On the Look Out** - for your ILT to receive your ***school budget & staffing sheets*** in the very near future! Please read the information about Team Composition and planning deadline requirement regarding the budget [here](#) or reference the [CFT Collective Bargaining Agreement](#), Page 9, Section 145, Paragraph 3.
- **Save the Date** - CFT/CFOP in conjunction with the Cincinnati Educational Justice Coalition will be holding a rally to stand together across the nation to let the new administration know "we will protect our students, our schools and our communities". ***Title 1 funds are in danger!*** Please plan to attend to show solidarity for our schools, our students and our communities, on Thursday, January 19 @

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5:00 pm at the CPS Education Center (2651 Burnet Ave, 45219). Click [here](#) to view flyer.

- **Membership Meetings** - Membership meetings are open to all bargaining unit members. If a vote is to be held, fair share members will not be permitted to vote, but should be there to be informed. Anyone who attended the December ratification membership meeting knows how much information is delivered at our membership meetings and you only received a "tidbit" of what is announced. Please plan to attend the next **CFT membership meeting** (also open to CFOP members) on **Wednesday, January 11 @ 5:30 pm** at the Tom Moore Laborer's Hall located at 3457 Montgomery Rd. The next **CFOP membership meeting** will be held at the CFT/CFOP office located at 2055 Reading Rd, Suite 120, 45202 at 5:00 pm. **on January 19.**
- **FACEBOOK** - remember to "[LIKE](#)" us on Facebook for announcements you may miss in your email. Many members are on FB more often than non-work email, so we try to post all announcements on [our page](#), Cincinnati Federation of Teachers-Official. Also, "LIKE" the [Cincinnati Educational Justice Coalition-CEJC page](#).
- **Whitelist our emails** - We send our membership emails through the Action Network program and it has come to our attention that some of the SPAM filters may automatically be sending our emails to your SPAM folder. If you whitelist or mark not spam, you should not have a problem. Also, if you have a colleague that has not been receiving our emails, please have them contact us at cft@cft-aft.org with their non-work/personal email address to get on the list. This is a negotiations year, and most, if not all of our negotiation's information will be sent via email or communicated at membership meetings. SO GET ON THE LIST!

Have a great weekend!