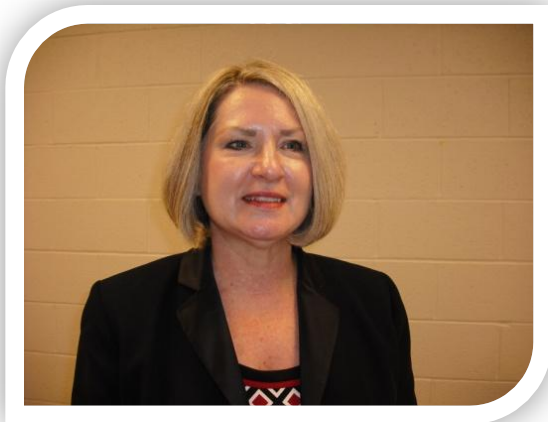


President's Message

Dr. Gwen Bean



Tennessee Technology Center (Shelbyville)

Spring is in the air! The grass is growing, the trees are budding, and the air is fragrant with the smell of flowers. Spring is a season of rebirth and renewal. It awakens the spirit and makes us feel invigorated, hopeful, and simply more energetic. Spring also reminds us that we live in seasons of change. Although change is inevitable, it is how we deal with change that makes the difference. Ultimately, we may choose to embrace change or to resist it.

Speaking of change—change is alive and well across the state of Tennessee. New curriculums are being ushered in and old ones are being phased out. Since change is constant, teachers now, more than ever before, must be adaptable. Highly adaptable teachers embrace change and consistently practice continuous quality improvement. More importantly, they never fail to keep the success of the student at the forefront of change. Being a good teacher is one of the hardest jobs there is, and one that should never be taken lightly.

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Changes are also occurring at TBEA. Given the ever-changing face of technology, TBEA will now have a presence on Facebook and Twitter. Don't forget to visit us at **tbeaonline on Twitter** and look for us at **TBEA on Facebook!**

Another change has taken place within this newsletter; a TBEA Leadership Awards Nomination Form is being included in this newsletter. This form is being distributed earlier than usual for your convenience. Please nominate a colleague or friend for Middle/Secondary Teacher of the Year, or for Postsecondary Teacher of the Year. The nominee must be a current TBEA member. Instructions are on the attached form.

Furthermore, this year **Dr. Vincent Smith** is coordinating the 2011 TBEA Fall Conference, which is scheduled for September 23-24, at the Doubletree in Murfreesboro, Tennessee. Mark your calendars now and plan to attend this great conference. Other changes are also in the making at TBEA. **Dr Sherry Roberts** is currently in the process of planning the 2012 TBEA Fall Conference. From this year forward, TBEA plans to project a conference schedule for two years out. There will be more information to come regarding these two conferences. Step up to the plate and support your professional organization. TBEA needs your help to make these conferences a success.

And so it is, we live in seasons of change!

Membership Matters



Alice Huskey, TBEA/SBEA/NBEA Membership Director

I'd like to share a couple of my favorite quotes about teaching and professionalism: *"Teachers teach more by what they are than by what they say"* and *"Professionalism: It's not the job you do, it's HOW you do the job."* Tennessee business educators ARE "doing" the job and becoming more professional, as shown by our increasing membership in TBEA. As you will see by the included (see page 5 & 6) detailed membership statistics and roster, TBEA currently has 148 professional members plus 72 student members, and that's an increase of approximately 12% since the end of our last membership year—this is the highest in several years. Although our national business education organization, NBEA, has shown an overall declining membership, Tennessee's membership in NBEA has remained consistent – 184 professional members and 43 student members. By the way, did you know that Tennessee currently has the largest NBEA student membership in the nation??????

Your TBEA Executive Board has been busy at work finalizing plans for another great convention in the fall, updating TBEA's website—new fresh look and new information options, improving TBEA's online presence (Facebook and Twitter), possible new association logo, and many more new ideas! Another new item you will see on our TBEA membership form coming this July—TBEA will now accept payment for your ACTE and TACTE dues. However,

we still cannot take credit card payments for any dues payments.

Joining professional organizations can benefit you in so many valuable ways—networking with other colleagues across the state, relevant publications, discounted conference registration fees, leadership opportunities, workshops on cutting-edge technology and software, legislative advocacy, curriculum materials and creative teaching ideas, optional insurance programs, publishing opportunities, and, of course, pride and satisfaction in becoming *involved* in your profession. A great way to get more involved is by attending conferences when possible.

Please mark the following conference dates on your calendar:

Save the Dates!!!

NBEA Convention, Apr. 19-23, 2011, New Orleans, LA
CTE Conference, July 11-13, 2011, Murfreesboro, TN
TBEA Conference, Sept. 23-24, 2011, Murfreesboro, TN
SBEA Convention, Oct. 19-22, 2011, Orlando, FL

SBEA, NBEA's southern region, still consistently leads the other four national regions in NBEA membership, but national membership is steadily decreasing. Now, more than ever before, the benefits you receive including the outstanding publications and the \$250,000 professional liability insurance make membership a bargain!! Especially in these tough economic times, our professional organizations need our support. So please encourage your school colleagues who may be potential members to consider joining both TBEA and NBEA.

If you have any news to share, please contact me at ahuskey@mscc.edu or at Motlow State Community College, P. O. Box 8500, Lynchburg, TN 37352-8500. Have a great rest of the school year. Hope to see each of you at the fall TBEA conference!!

Loretto High School Receives National Recognition!



Loretto High School recently chartered the first National Business Honor Society in the state of Tennessee! The National Business Honor Society was established by NBEA in 2010 with the goal

of recognizing the best and the brightest business education students at the national level. Loretto High School business education teacher and NBEA member, **Roberta Niedergeses** (pictured), stated “We are very excited to showcase our business students. We will have approximately 20-30 students qualify for our first year.” Both **Niedergeses** and **Mary Pack** (Loretto High School business teacher) are members of NBEA which is a requirement to establish a society.

To learn more about establishing a chapter at your school, [click here](#).



National Business Honor Society

Are you looking for a way to provide honor and national recognition to outstanding students in your business education program? Look no further. The National Business Honor Society is the perfect way to bring greater recognition to your students **AND** your business education program.

By starting a chapter of the honor society, you will be able to promote and recognize your dynamic students' academic achievement in business education at the secondary level.

Who's eligible? Any high school junior or senior who has completed or is currently enrolled in his/her third business course and has a 3.0 (overall) and 3.5 (business course) GPA.

What school can start a chapter? Any public or independent secondary school offering business curriculum reflective of National Standards for Business Education is eligible to apply for a local chapter charter.

Start a chapter today. It's so easy...you'll be glad you did!

2011 TBEA Conference

Call for Proposals/Presentations



TBEA invites proposals for presentations from all its members for the 2011 TBEA Conference to be held in Murfreesboro on September 23 and 24, 2011. A proposal is a request from current TBEA members at the middle, secondary, or postsecondary levels or state business education supervisors to lead or participate in a special interest session during the conference.

Possible session topics for this year's program may include Entrepreneurship; Best Practices: Tips & Tricks; Online Learning and Distance Education; MS Office 2010 Software; Certification; Youth Organizations; New Technologies including YouTube, Facebook and Twitter; Innovative Teaching/Learning Strategies in the Classroom; Business Etiquette; eTeams in Business; State Department/Legislative Update; Accounting Education; Parliamentary Procedure; Internationalizing the Curriculum; Engaging the 21st Century Learner; Economic Education Update;

and various roundtable discussion topics. This is your chance to share your personal interests and expertise with your state colleagues.

Conference presentations are typically 45 – 60 minutes in length; if possible, presenters should plan to bring their own multimedia equipment. The conference will provide a table, electricity, power strips, and screen/display area for the presentation.

Please consider supporting your state business education association by presenting a session (or volunteering to lead a roundtable discussion) at the 2011 TBEA Conference. To make a proposal, please specify the following in an email to **Dr. Vincent Smith**, TBEA President-Elect, at vsmith@mtsu.edu by **June 11, 2011**.

- Proposed Title of Presentation
- Description
- Presenter's Bio (one paragraph)
- Could this be a bring-your-own-laptop session?

Are you willing to host a roundtable discussion? Which topic(s)?

Get Involved Today!

TBEA MEMBERSHIP ROSTER

March 10, 2011

(S) = Student ☆ = NBEA Member

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**TBEA Conference ♦ Murfreesboro, Tennessee
September 23-24, 2011**

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PRE-REGISTRATION FORM

(PLEASE PRINT OR TYPE)

Name: _____
 Position: _____
 School: _____
 Work Address: _____
 City/State/ZIP: _____
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PLEASE CHECK APPROPRIATE BOXES	
Region	Status
<input type="checkbox"/> East	<input type="checkbox"/> Professional
<input type="checkbox"/> Middle	<input type="checkbox"/> Student
<input type="checkbox"/> West	

Are you a first-time attendee: ___ Yes ___ No

The pre-registration fee deadline is **September 12, 2011**. For registrations received **AFTER** September 12 or paid on-site, there is an additional late fee of **\$20**. Please indicate the type of registration and number of tickets desired for any function, and enclose payment in full with your pre-registration form. Registrations received without full payment will be returned. Refunds will be made for pre-registration and meal functions if cancellation is received by **September 12, 2011**. Registration packets will be available upon arrival at the conference for participants who have pre-registered. NOTE: Special assistance for individuals with disabilities can be arranged. Please attach written requirements to this form.

Check here if TBEA membership dues have been paid for 2011-2012. (Membership year begins July 1, 2011.) If not, dues must be paid with conference registration or nonmember registration fee applies.

Check here if you wish to serve on a future TBEA committee.

	Quantity	Price Each	Amount
TBEA Membership Dues			
TBEA Professional Member		\$ 15.00	
TBEA Student Member (full-time)		\$ 5.00	
TBEA Conference Registration Fees			
Full Conference – TBEA Member Pre-Registration Fee (includes Fri. Meet-and-Greet, and Sat. Awards Luncheon)		\$120.00	
Friday Only – TBEA Member Pre-Registration and Meet-and-Greet		\$ 75.00	
Saturday Only – TBEA Member Pre-Registration and Awards Luncheon		\$ 75.00	
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Nonmember Full Conference Pre-Registration Fee		\$150.00	
Late or On-site Registration Fee		\$ 20.00	
Other Meal Functions (Advance Purchase/Reservation ONLY)			
Professional Development Luncheon (Friday – not included in other fees)		\$ 25.00	
(Guest) Meet-and-Greet (Friday)		FREE	
(Guest) TBEA Awards Luncheon (Saturday)		\$ 28.00	
(Guest) Name for Badge			
<input type="checkbox"/> CHECK HERE TO REQUEST A VEGETARIAN MEAL(S)			
Other Membership Dues			
NBEA Professional Member		\$ 80.00	
NBEA Professional Member/ISBE		\$110.00	
NBEA Undergraduate Student		\$ 40.00	
ACTE Professional Membership		\$80.00	
TACTE Professional Membership		\$20.00	
TOTAL AMOUNT ENCLOSED (Make Check Payable to TBEA) →→			

MAIL CHECK PAYABLE TO TBEA – SEND BY September 12, 2011, TO:

Marlena Dixon, TBEA Treasurer
 114 Lynnford Drive
 Murfreesboro, TN 37128

**TENNESSEE BUSINESS EDUCATION ASSOCIATION
HOTEL RESERVATION FORM
September 23-24, 2011**

Doubletree Hotel Murfreesboro

1850 Old Fort Parkway
Murfreesboro, TN 37129
Phone: 615-895-5555
Fax: 615-895-3557
www.murfreesboro.doubletree.com



The Doubletree Hotel in Murfreesboro is pleased to host the **2011 TBEA Conference**. **To make your reservation, please complete the reservation request and return it to the Doubletree Hotel Murfreesboro before midnight, August 26, 2011; mailed reservations must be received no later than August 26, 2011, to get the special TBEA room rate.** Internet reservations can be made, and telephone reservations will also be accepted. Requests received after the cut-off date will be accepted based on room availability and offered at the best available rate at that time. **All reservations must be made with a major credit card or debit card. PERSONAL CHECKS are not accepted.** To register online, go to the TBEA personalized webpage at

http://doubletree.hilton.com/en/dt/groups/personalized/MBTDTDT-TBE-20100922/index.jhtml?WT.mc_id=POG

When making reservations, please indicate you are attending the TBEA conference, and provide code **TBE for the group rate.**

Guests will stay in spacious and luxurious rooms and receive a complimentary, full, American, hot buffet breakfast. High-speed wireless Internet access is available in guest rooms and meeting space at no additional charge. Also, parking is FREE for hotel guests. Amenities include a refrigerator, coffee maker, hair dryer, iron and ironing board, a 37 inch flat screen LCD television with free HBO and free USA Today newspaper (Monday-Friday). In addition, the hotel offers Pay-Per-View Movies, a Nintendo Gaming System, voice mail, and data ports.

Number of Guests: _____

Room Rate: \$99 + 14.75% tax

Sharing with: _____

Name: _____ Arrival Date: _____ Arrival Time: _____

Address: _____ Departure Date: _____

City/State/Zip: _____ Telephone: _____

_____ Charge one night's room rate plus sales/occupancy tax to the following credit card:

_____ MasterCard / _____ Visa / _____ American Express / _____ Diners Club / _____ Discover

Card Number: _____ Exp. Date: _____

Any "no show" reservations will be automatically billed to the individual's credit card for the first night's room and tax. An individual reservation may be cancelled without penalty 24 hours prior to check-in.

Name of Credit Card Holder

Signature of Credit Card Holder

- Check-in time after 3 p.m. Check-out time is 12 noon.
- Sales/Occupancy tax is subject to change without notice.
- All hotel accounts are subject to credit arrangements at time of registration and payable at departure.
- Parking is provided at no charge to conference attendees and hotel guests.

TENNESSEE BUSINESS EDUCATION ASSOCIATION

TEACHER OF THE YEAR AWARD

NOMINATION GUIDELINES/CRITERIA (Secondary/Middle School and Post-Secondary)

ELIGIBILITY

The recipient must be a current member of TBEA and have been a member for a minimum of three years and must be teaching in business education at the appropriate level. The recipient's contributions may have been made over an extended period of time; however, the major impact must have occurred within three years prior to the nomination.

NOMINATION GUIDELINES

Nominations may be made by a TBEA member or by the Executive Board of TBEA. Nominations must be on the TBEA Nomination Form. The TBEA form is available on the TBEA Web site. The TBEA Nomination Form is to be sent to the chairman of the TBEA Leadership Awards Administrative Committee. The chairman will send the TBEA Nomination Form and guidelines to the nominee. **Each nominee will submit the materials detailed below to the chairman of the TBEA Awards Committee. Application materials must be received by September 1, 2011.**

CRITERIA FOR BUSINESS TEACHER AWARD

1. Contributions to business education through teaching. Include information about classroom teaching performance, years of experience, and subject areas taught; give evidence of effectiveness (student, peer, and administrative evaluations). Supporting documentation from students, administrators, and/or professional colleagues is essential to this criterion. Do not include copies of student evaluations or other documentation. (Maximum points—50)
2. Participation and offices held in local, state, regional, and national professional associations. Special activities that resulted in needed changes or improvements in the profession. (Maximum points—20)
3. Involvement in other activities such as departmental responsibilities, serving on committees, and working with student organizations. (Maximum points—15)
4. Contributions to business education through major articles, refereed publications, non-refereed publications, and research activities (including grant proposals). Describe the significance of such activities to the profession. List—**do not include copies**—of articles, monographs, books, etc., published by the nominee. (Maximum points—10)
5. Contributions to business education through religious, civic, government, cultural, and/or private business organizations. (Maximum points—5)

TENNESSEE BUSINESS EDUCATION ASSOCIATION

Leadership Awards Nomination Form

Place a check mark by the Leadership Awards category for which the candidate is nominated. The nominee must be a current TBEA member. The Nomination Form must be postmarked by August 1, 2011. Mail, email or fax the completed form to Gwen Bean at address shown below. Nominations may be made by any TBEA member.

Check Category:

_____ Middle / Secondary Teacher of the Year

_____ Postsecondary Teacher of the Year (all teachers above secondary level and supervisors)

Please enter the following information:

Date:	
Nominee's Name:	
Street Address:	
City, State, ZIP:	
Office Phone:	
Home Phone:	
Email Address:	
Present Position:	
Is nominee TBEA member?	
Nominator's Name	
Street Address:	
City, State, ZIP	
Office Phone:	
Home Phone:	
Email Address:	

Please return completed Nominator Form by August 1, 2011 to:

Dr. Gwen Bean
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(931) 685-5013 ext. 115
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Save the Date!

2011 SBEA Convention

October 19-22, 2011

TENTATIVE SCHEDULE (Subject to change)

Experience the Magic! Join us in Orlando, Florida, October 19-22 for the 2011 SBEA Convention at the Hilton, located in the Walt Disney World Resort. Convention attendees will enjoy a variety of session styles with outstanding speakers, technology workshops, exhibits, and local attractions.

NEW THIS YEAR! INDUSTRY CERTIFICATION SESSIONS

Industry certification sessions will be held for convention participants on Wednesday, October 19, Thursday, October 20, and Friday, October 21. The following exams will be offered during the 2011 SBEA Convention:

- A+—\$100 single try exam
- Adobe Certified Associate exams (*Dreamweaver, Flash, Photoshop*)—\$25.00 single try exam/\$35 exam with retake
- IC³—\$35 single try exam/\$40 exam with retake
- MOS—\$55 single try exam/\$65 exam with retake
- Network+—\$145 single try exam
- Security+—\$195 single try exam
- WISE Financial Literacy—\$50

CONVENTION REGISTRATION FOR NBEA MEMBERS

Convention registration this year includes a ticket to the SBEA Awards Luncheon on Friday. Pre-registration must be marked by October 1, 2011.

Pre-Registration Fee (NBEA Member)	\$155.00
Non-Member Pre Registration Fee	\$255.00
Full-Time Student (NBEA Member)	\$ 80.00
Retired	\$ 80.00



Wednesday, October 19, 2011

1:30 p.m.–5:30 p.m.	SBEA Executive Board Meeting
4:00 p.m.–7:00 p.m.	Registration
5:30 p.m.–7:30 p.m.	Certification Exam Sessions
7:00 p.m.	SBEA Executive Board Dinner

Thursday, October 20, 2011

8:00 a.m.–5:00 p.m.	Registration
8:30 a.m.–10:30 a.m.	Certification Exam Sessions
8:00 a.m.–11:00 a.m.	Leadership Development Seminar
8:00 a.m.–8:50 a.m.	ISBE Meeting
9:00 a.m.–9:50 a.m.	NASBE Meeting
8:00 a.m.–11:00 a.m.	State Officers' Seminar
8:00 a.m.–11:00 a.m.	State Membership Directors Meeting
9:00 a.m.–6:00 p.m.	Exhibits Open
10:30 a.m.–10:50 a.m.	NABTE Session
11:15 a.m.–12:30 p.m.	Opening General Session
12:30 p.m.–1:15 p.m.	Box Lunch with Exhibitors (Ticket required)
1:30 p.m.–2:30 p.m.	Interest/Vendor Sessions
1:30 p.m.–2:30 p.m.	First Timers Reception (ticket required)
1:30 p.m.–3:30 p.m.	Certification Exam Session
2:45 p.m.–3:45 p.m.	Interest/Vendor Sessions
3:45 p.m.–4:15 p.m.	Refreshment Break with Exhibitors
5:30 p.m.–7:30 p.m.	Certification Exam Session

Friday, October 21, 2011

8:00 a.m.–12:00 Noon	Registration
8:30 a.m.–9:30 a.m.	General Session NBEA/SBEA Assembly/Business Meeting
9:30 a.m.–4:00 p.m.	Exhibits Open
9:45 a.m.–10:45 a.m.	Past President's Council
9:45 a.m.–10:45 a.m.	Interest/Vendor Sessions
10:00 a.m.–12:00 Noon	Certification Exam Session
11:00 a.m.–12:00 Noon	Interest/Vendor Sessions
11:10 a.m.–12:00 Noon	Legislative Session
12:15 p.m.–1:45 p.m.	Awards Luncheon (ticket required)
2:00 p.m.–3:00 p.m.	Interest/Vendor Sessions
3:00 p.m.–3:30 p.m.	Refreshment Break with Exhibitors
3:30 p.m.–4:30 p.m.	Interest/Vendor Sessions

Saturday, October 22, 2011

7:30 a.m.–8:30 a.m.	SBEA 2012 Executive Board Meeting
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NATIONAL BUSINESS EDUCATION ASSOCIATION MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

Join Today and Increase Your Professional Expertise!

IMPORTANT: List both home and business contact information. Please indicate your mailing preference.

Home Business

Name

Home Address

City

State

Zip

Telephone

E-mail

Institution/Organization

Address

City

State

Zip

Telephone

E-mail

MEMBERSHIP SERVICES

- Professional journals and publications:
 - NBEA's journal, *Business Education Forum*
 - NBEA's newsletter, *Keying In*
 - NBEA Yearbook
 - Special publications and promotional items
 - Curriculum standards and resources
- \$250,000 professional liability insurance
- Annual national convention
- Regional association membership
- Regional conventions
- Online Jobs Forum
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