

SCHEDULE					MONDAY, JUNE 24, 2019				
5:00-7:00					OPTA State Board Meeting				
					TUESDAY, JUNE 25, 2019				
7:00-8:00					Pre-Conference Registration				
					PRE-CONFERENCE:				
8:00-12:00		The Speed of Trust <i>Cheryl Spittler</i>	Special Education Transportation 101 <i>ODE</i>	Refresh The BTW Trainer <i>Chris Carley/Mary Conger</i>	New Bus Technology/Ride and Drive <i>Schetky/Peterson/Western</i>				
12:30-5:30					Golf Tournament: River's Edge Golf Course				
5:30-6:30					Golf Awards: River's Edge Golf Course				
					DINNER ON YOUR OWN				
					WEDNESDAY, JUNE 26, 2019				
7:00-8:00					Pre-Conference Registration				
					PRE-CONFERENCE:				
8:00-11:00		The Speed of Trust (cont.) <i>Cheryl Spittler</i>	Special Education Transportation 101 (cont.) <i>Sandy Van Baggen/Sean Schroeder</i>	Refresh The Classroom Instructor <i>Sandi Miller/Casey Jebens</i>	New Bus Technology/Ride and Drive (cont.) <i>Schetky/Peterson/Western</i>				
10:00-11:30					Conference Registration				
11:30-12:30					Lunch/OPTA General Session				
12:30-1:30					OPENING KEYNOTE: <i>Stacey Bess - "Be a Mentor, Change a Life"</i>				
1:30-1:45					Break				
					Roundtable Forum Discussions:				
1:45-3:45		Supervisor ☉ <i>Teri Brady/Sandi Miller</i>	Training ☉ <i>Casey Jebens/Chris Carley</i>	Dispatch/Routing ☉ <i>Tanya Adams/Mindy Parsons/Jason Chess</i>	Fleet ☉ <i>Keith Bowers</i>				
3:45-4:15					OPTA Chapter Meetings ☉				
6:00-9:00					Schetky Northwest Evening Event				
					THURSDAY, JUNE 27, 2019				
7:00-8:15					Registration / Coffee				
					Vendor Direct Forum Discussions: (<i>pick 2: one-hour each session with a repeat</i>)				
8:15-10:30		School Bus Manufacturers ☉ <i>Chris Ellison</i>	School Bus Video ☉ <i>Casey Jebens</i>	School Bus Accessories and Support ☉ <i>Teri Brady</i>	Ricon Wheelchair Lift Maintenance Training ☉ <i>Chris Van Gorder</i>				
10:30-10:40					Break				
10:40-12:00		Social Media Pro's and Con's in Transportation ☉ <i>Theresa Anderson</i>	SPED Evacuations ☉ <i>Launi Harden</i>	Behavior Management for Front-Line Personnel ☉ <i>Cheryl Spittler</i>	Air Disc Brakes ☉ <i>Steve Tetrault - Bendix</i>				
12:00-1:00					Lunch/OPTA General Session				
1:00-3:00					Voting For Officers (at OPTA Table/Trade Show)				
1:00-4:00					Trade Show ☉ (Scavenger Hunt)				
3:00-4:30		DMV 3rd Party Program Changes <i>DMV/ODE</i>	School Bus Misadventures and How It Involves You <i>Scott Bohl</i>	TrimFlex Vinyl Seat Repair Training <i>Paul LaMontagne</i>	ASE School Bus Test Preparation <i>Walt Commans</i>				
6:00-9:00					Western Bus Sales Evening Event				
					FRIDAY, JUNE 28, 2019				
7:00-8:30					Registration / Coffee				
8:30-10:00		Public Speaking Skills to Make Your Presentations Stand Out ☉ <i>Karen Main</i>	Transportation Jeopardy! ☉ <i>Theresa Anderson/Launi Harden</i>	Operation Lifesaver ☉ <i>Vince Hoffarth/Steve Kreins</i>	Which Fuel is Right For Me? ☉ <i>Schetky/Peterson/Western</i>				
10:00-10:15					Break				
10:15-12:00					KEYNOTE: <i>Karen Main - "The "I" in Team"</i>				
12:00-1:30					Awards Luncheon, Voting Results				
1:40-2:40		Personal Branding in Transportation ☉ <i>Theresa Anderson</i>	Entry Level Driver Training Requirements ☉ <i>Diana Hollander/Brock Dittus</i>	Updates and Trends in Special Education ☉ <i>Launi Harden</i>	Basic Diagnosis of Electrical Issues and Components ☉ <i>Luke Meyers</i>				
2:40-3:00					Break - Sponsored By Northwest Chapter OPTA				
3:00-4:00		Building Great Communication and Attitudes in the Workplace ☉ <i>Sandi Miller</i>	Seat Belts - It Can Happen Here... ☉ <i>Diana Hollander/Scott Bohl</i>	Non-Physical Disabilities: What To Look For When There's Nothing To See ☉ <i>Theresa Anderson</i>	Advanced Diagnosis of Electrical Issues and Components ☉ <i>Luke Meyers</i>				
6:00-9:00					Peterson Trucks & IC Evening Event				
					SATURDAY, JUNE 29, 2019				
7:00-8:00					Coffee				
8:00-9:00		Coaching Skills for Supervisors ☉ <i>Karen Main</i>	Introduction to New Core Class ☉ <i>Brock Dittus</i>	What's In Your Box? ☉ <i>Craig Pruitt</i>	Mechanics Driving Routes? How to Effect Change... ☉ <i>Chris Ellison/Jaiver Davenport</i>				
9:10-10:00					ODE Director's Corner/Updates From ODE				
10:00-12:00					CLOSING KEYNOTE: <i>Jonathan Bowman - "The Fine Art of People Power"</i>				
12:00-1:00					OPTA State Board Meeting				
KEY:	LEADERSHIP	OPERATIONS	SPECIAL EDUCATION	FLEET	GENERAL SESSION				

☉ = PASSPORT EVENT