



# News & Views

***Busy as a Bee  
Fellowship, Service, Support***

***Paulding Retired Educators Association***  
***www.pauldingrea.org***

## **Message from the President :**

We have just a few reminders for everyone. The next meeting is our covered dish breakfast at 9:00. Our scheduled hostess can not attend so Don and I will be hosting. We will have a memorial for Bob Watson, retired teacher Lee Hooker will be presenting some of her nature photography, and the GREA area Rep. Jesse Hunter will be in attendance.

This is the last chance to bring in pull-tabs for the State President's Special Project. They will be delivered in April. Thanks to all who helped with this project.

Thank you to everyone that assisted Bea McClung with the Valentine Party. Donations can be made to help with those expenses at our meeting.

The Paulding County Luncheon for new retirees has a tentative date of May 14. Please add the date to your calendar.

Helping Hands appreciates all of our monetary and food donations. They are asking for volunteer assistance in the office to continue to serve the community.

Marsha and Don Rauscher

March 10, 2015

***BEE GREA:***

***Memorials and Recognitions***

***Dallas First Baptist Church,  
9:00 am***

***Inspiration:*** Christi Loftin

***Members please bring your  
favorite breakfast dish.***

***Host/Hostess: Sharon Davis***

Please join **GREA**...the ONLY organization working for your retirement benefits. Applications will be available at the meetings or you can download one online at [www.garetirededucators.org](http://www.garetirededucators.org).

**NOTE: If you have an address change, YOU must contact GREA or go online at [trsga.com](http://trsga.com).**

***BEE INVOLVED:***

***Paulding Helping Hands:*** Don't forget to bring items and/or donations for Paulding's Helping Hands to the meeting. If you would like to volunteer to work at Helping Hands call 770-443-1230. Volunteers are always needed.

## What's the Buzz:



Best wishes go out to several with health concerns: Gloria Morris, Retha Tibbitts, Carolyn McTyre, Tina Rakestraw, Randy Brooks, and Russell Dickey

**Just a Reminder: Please bring photos and articles of where you have performed or worked for Community Service for the scrapbook. Betty Vollenweider reports that the scrapbook is well on its way with some “busy bees” at work!!**



Please let us know if you have news of any of our fellow Retirees that you would like to include in our PREA newsletters. Please send any email address changes or additions also! Just email Jeaneen at [geoljcamp@att.net](mailto:geoljcamp@att.net)

## Buzzing Around:

We are hoping to plan some fun “Road Trips” this year. Lots of people want to go places and would like others to drive or be with them. Let us know if you have any ideas for good trips. Cathy Amos is already working on a trip for us to the Carlos Museum at Emory University where she volunteers.

## Mark these Upcoming Events on your 2015 Calendar:

**March 10, 2015 PREA meeting at First Baptist Dallas 9:00 am**

**April 2, 2015 Cluster meeting and lunch at Cedartown.**

**April 28-30 GREA Convention, Legacy Inn at Lanier Island, Buford GA.**

**May 2015 Celebrating with the 2015 Retires with the Paulding Board of Education**

## Helping the Hive:

Bernie Booth, retired ROTC from Hiram High School is our Paulding Chapter Chair of this year's **Presidents Special Project**. We have been collecting the tab tops from drink cans to donate to the Shriners Children's Burn Center. Please bring your "last batch" of aluminum tabs to our March 10<sup>th</sup> meeting. We currently have about 23,500 and we are well above the 10,000 goal!!!



Please bring Canned  
Goods to each meeting  
for donations to Helping  
Hands Food Pantry!!!

Please donate to the Scholarship  
Fund!! We are short on funds and  
need to reach our goal!!! Thanks for  
"Beeing" a help!!!

### ***2014-2015 PREA membership application***

Sandra Parson, 11 Clonts Road, Douglasville, GA 30134

**2014 retirees: Join GREA and get first year of PREA membership free!**

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Street \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail address \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

[ ] \$10.00 for dues

Please donate to the Scholarship fund: [ ] \$5.00 OR [ ] \$ \_\_\_\_\_

***In honor or in memory:*** \_\_\_\_\_

Total enclosed: \_\_\_\_\_