

SCCTM News June 23, 2021

Conference News

SCCTM Fall Conference 2021
Special Agents of Δ Academy
Columbia, S.C. November 11-12, 2021

Registration: [Registration Link for the 2021 SCCTM Conference: https://scctm.wildapricot.org/event-4174280](https://scctm.wildapricot.org/event-4174280)

Early bird rates are available through August 5.

The idea of “change” within the context of the 2021 SCCTM Annual Conference and Business Meeting in Columbia, SC, addresses multiple ideas because, if nothing else, COVID-19 has forced us all to make changes. In addition to the idea that the entirety of the field of education has had to make significant change, we’d like to use components of the key recommendations from NCTM’s Catalyzing Change: Initiating Critical Conversations as a guide for the conference theme.

Speaker Proposals: The deadline for submission has been extended through July 30, 2021. [Speaker Proposal Google Form for 2021 Submissions: https://forms.gle/ryLpSxNVz9xPP5cJ9](https://forms.gle/ryLpSxNVz9xPP5cJ9)

Vendor Registration: [Vendor Registration Link 2021 SCCTM Conference: https://scctm.wildapricot.org/event-4172622](https://scctm.wildapricot.org/event-4172622)
Vendors must obtain the code from Lane Peeler. exhibits@scctmconference.org

Free Puppies

Okay, okay, there are no free puppies. A former colleague would use an eye catching phrase in the subject line of important emails to students and it worked. If you are reading this now, it worked again. I do want to direct you to the SCCTM resources and networking opportunities through our webpage, Facebook, and Twitter @SCmathteachers Have a look at what is available. If you have any questions or suggestions please let us know.

Web Page: <http://www.scctm.org>

Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/SCCTM/>

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Government Relations

The legislative session concluded on May 13 except for a few extensions not directly related to mathematics education. This means that the General Assembly will not make any new legislative

actions until January 2022. If there are any new actions, we will keep you updated. Thank you SCCTM educators for pouring into our SC students!

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Government Relations

Join or Renew NCTM membership

We encourage you to join NCTM. When you join or renew please use the following affiliate code SCCTMLC21

SCCTM Volunteers

Can you help SCCTM? We are looking for educators who have the time, talent, and willingness to contribute in order to help our state math organization grow stronger and be better able to serve our membership. Please complete the questionnaire below in order to volunteer with SCCTM. At any time, you may contact the SCCTM Executive Director, Cindy Parker: director@scctmconference.org or SCCTM President: president@scctmconference.org if you have any questions or other ideas about volunteering for or assisting SCCTM. Time and Talents Volunteer form: https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSfXr5XIA4PrGZhUbd_MINO9fcSwWctSjJjWyX3YpfOmG5wd9g/viewform

Donations to SCCTM

You may donate to SCCTM online at: scctm.org/donations or you may mail a check made out to SCCTM, 6 Sandalwood Lane, Sumter, South Carolina 29154.

Submissions for the e-blast

The SCCTM sends out a monthly news blast. The format for submissions is a short (less than 250 words is suggested) description paragraph and links to any flyers or forms on the originating organization's website/storage. This format avoids us housing other organization's documents/flyers on our listserve server's limited space. All submissions must also meet our mission as stated on our website:

"The South Carolina Council of Teachers of Mathematics acts to support quality mathematics teaching by advocating at the state level for South Carolina educators and students; providing opportunities for leadership, professional development, and networking; and encouraging the creation of research-based curriculum, instruction, and assessment."

Requests from organizations outside SCCTM need to be in by the first of the month for inclusion in that month's e-blast, because they have to be approved by our editorial committee.

