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The First NCDPI/PowerSchool Summer Conference was a Success!

The first joint NCDPI/PowerSchool Summer Conference was an absolute success! The conference was held July 30 - August 1 in Charlotte, NC. Ten sessions with an aggregate count of over eighty PowerSchool and technology specific courses were attended by nearly 150 NC SIS coordinators and directors.

Thank you! attendees, trainers and exhibitors for your contributions to the conference's success. We have received lots of positive and constructive feedback, and are looking forward to doing this again in the summer of 2019.

Home Base Meet-Ups - Thank You!



The Home Base Team would like to thank everyone who attended the July-August 2018 Home Base Meet-Ups. Your participation was sincerely appreciated. As you reflect on your experience, we welcome your feedback to help drive future meetings. Use this link to complete our feedback survey http://bit.ly/HBMU_Feedback_18-19.

If you missed the meetings or want to review what was discussed, all presentations and resources are available online at http://bit.ly/HBMU_Shared_Files. Please save or bookmark this folder for future reference, as we will continue to add information after each set of meetings.

As a reminder, future Home Base Meet-Up dates are listed below. Registration will be available two weeks before each event to give everyone the opportunity to: 1) provide input on the topics to be discussed at the next Meet-Up, and 2) present on best practices or lessons learned in your LEA/Charter when using a Home Base product. We hope you continue to take advantage of these opportunities to partner with us. Here are the dates and locations for the remaining sessions:



2018-2019 Home Base Meet-Ups

(1) Northeast & (3) North Central	(2) Southeast & (4) Sandhills	(5) Piedmont-Triad & (7) Northwest	(6) Southwest & (8) Western
★ Location Change	★ Location Change		
7/30/18 (N Central) Edgecombe County Pattillo Middle ★ School 501 East Avenue Tarboro, NC 27886	7/31/18 (Sandhills) Cumberland Cty Lewis Chapel ★ Middle 2150 Skibo Rd. Fayetteville, NC 28314	8/1/18 (NW) Wilkes County Stone Center 613 Cherry St, North Wilkesboro, NC 28659	8/2/18 (W) Buncombe County Schools 175 Bingham Rd Asheville, NC 28806
11/5/18 (NE) Washington Cty Schools Creswell High Sch. 115 Middle St, Creswell, NC 27928	11/6/18 (SE) Wayne County WCPS Professional Development & Family Engagement Center 415 S. Virginia St Goldsboro, NC 27530	11/7/18 (PT) Alamance-Burlington Schools 1712 Vaughn Rd. Burlington, NC 27217	11/8/18 (SW) Cleveland County Schools 400 W. Marion St, Shelby, NC 28150
1/28/19 (N Central) Johnston County Schools AG Glenn Building 211 East Rose St Smithfield, NC 27577	1/29/19 (Sandhills) Cumberland Cty Education Resource Center 396 Elementary Drive, Fayetteville, NC 28301	1/30/19 (NW) Wilkes County Stone Center 613 Cherry St, North Wilkesboro, NC 28659	1/31/19 (W) Henderson Cty. Mills River Academy 96 School House Rd Mills River, NC 27859
4/8/19 (NE) Bertie County Schools 715 US Highway 13 North Windsor NC 27983 <i>Use Bertie Stem HS for navigation</i>	4/9/19 (SE) Wayne County WCPS Professional Development & Family Engagement Center 415 S. Virginia St Goldsboro, NC 27530	4/10/19 (PT) Alamance-Burlington Schools 1712 Vaughn Rd. Burlington, NC 27217	4/11/19 (SW) Union County Schools 721 Brewer Drive, Monroe, NC 28812

Next Home Base Maintenance Weekend - August 10-12, 2018

The next Home Base maintenance weekend is planned for August 10-12, 2018. PowerSchool is the only Home Base tool scheduled for maintenance at this time. Information on what this maintenance entails will be provided once received.

Home Base will be taken offline Friday, August 10 at 5 p.m. and returned to service no later than Monday, August 13 at 6 a.m. Once maintenance is completed, a message will be sent to notify users that the application is up and available for use. If there is a delay in bring up the system, users will be notified.

Stay apprised of all Home Base planned maintenance periods by visiting our [2018-19 Home Base Maintenance Schedule](#).



Upcoming Summer PowerSchool Workshop Opportunities

The NCDPI Home Base Training staff has prepared summer workshop opportunities for our PowerSchool customers. These sessions will be held onsite, so please hurry and register early.

PowerSchool New User Training

This three day workshop is suited for new PowerSchool users (new to PowerSchool) working with day-to-day school business at the data manager/school administrator level. This workshop is available to new elementary, middle, and high school users. This is NOT a teacher training. Participants are expected to attend all three days.

Space is limited. Attendees are to bring a laptop to each session.

**Please note, NCDPI has the right to combine or cancel sessions if not enough attendees register.

Sessions run 9 a.m. - 4 p.m. each day with lunch on your own.

Dates: August 7 - 9, 2018 - **Capacity is full**

Registration Link: <http://bit.ly/PSNewUserRegister2018>

Note: If you wish to be added to the waiting list for this training, please send an email to Tiffany Kinney at tiffany.kinney@dpi.nc.gov. You will be notified if a seat becomes available.

PowerSchool New Coordinator Training

This two day workshop is for new PowerSchool coordinators. It is designed to give new coordinators training on the day-to-day operations of a coordinator. Examples include what coordinators are expected to do, what to expect from their data managers, and a walk-through of a year in PowerSchool.

Space is limited. Attendees are to bring a laptop to each session.

****Please note,** NCDPI has the right to combine or cancel sessions if not enough attendees register.

Sessions run 9 a.m. - 4 p.m. each day with lunch on your own.

Dates: August 13 - 14, 2018 - **Capacity is full**

Registration Link: <http://bit.ly/PSNewCoordRegister2018>

Note: If you wish to be added to the waiting list for this training, please send an email to Tiffany Kinney at tiffany.kinney@dpi.nc.gov. You will be notified if a seat becomes available.

Remember to visit the [NC SIS website](#) for additional information including webinars and training documentation. Follow us on twitter [@NCHomeBase](#).

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