

**PAST
HOWARD KAY AWARD
RECIPIENTS**

2016 Maureen Cotter

2015 Lisa Beaulieu

2014 Charles Shoemaker

2013 Sally Black &
Nancy Sprengelmeyer (Posthumously)

2012 John Saviano &
Debra Stockwell (Posthumously)

2011 Michael Crowley

2010 Kathy Patenaude &
Louis Sposato

2009 Ernest Marcure

2008 Jo Eva Gaines

2007 Scott Mueller

2006 Lorraine O'Connors &
Robert Watson

2005 Patrick Guida

2004 Catherine Kaiser

2003 Deborah Melino-Wender

2002 Frank Pallotta

2001 Virginia "Jean" Harnois

2000 Teri Adelman

1999 William Potter

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- **A**chieve your goals
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**RHODE ISLAND
ASSOCIATION OF
SCHOOL COMMITTEES**

2017 ANNUAL MEETING

***HEALTHY MINDS
HEALTHY STUDENTS***

**Saturday, May 6, 2017
Crowne Plaza**

**801 Greenwich Avenue
Warwick
Rhode Island**



Crowne Plaza, Warwick, Rhode Island

RIASC's ANNUAL MEETING
Healthy Minds—Healthy Students



Plan to attend RIASC's Annual Meeting and learn about policies and resources to support your district's student population.

Having a strong transgender policy can assist in keeping your students safe and could ward off potential issues. Dusty Rader knows first-hand about the transition and the issues facing transgender students. This session includes legal expertise to assist in crafting your policies.

The legalization of Marijuana is a hot topic among the states with regard to revenue enhancement, but what are the ramifications of legalization for our students? Attorney General Peter Kilmartin and a panel of school committee members will discuss potential issues that emanate from substance abuse.

Dr. Mary Carskadon, Professor of Psychiatry and Human Behavior at Brown University, will discuss later school start times and the impact to student performance and wellbeing based on her research.

The program will also include recognition ceremonies for our graduates of RIASC's Leadership Academy and our members with 50+, 100+, 200+ and 300+ hours of professional development.

A highlight of the day will be the presentation of the 2017 Howard Kay Award to an outstanding school committee member.

Annual Meeting attendees will also have the opportunity to converse with their colleagues from around the State and participate in RIASC's Annual Business Meeting.

Attendees will receive six hours of professional development credit.

RIASC Annual Meeting
 MAY 6, 2017
 Crowne Plaza

Healthy Minds, Healthy Students
AGENDA

- 8:30 – 9:15 AM Registration/Breakfast
- 9:15—9:30 AM *Greetings*
John Saviano, RIASC President
- 9:30—10:45 AM *Protecting the Rights of Transgendered Students*
 Dusty Rader and
 School Committee Panel
- 10:45—11:00AM Break
- 11:00—12:15 PM *Adolescent Substance Abuse and the Push to Legalize Marijuana*
 Attorney General Peter Kilmartin
 School Committee Panel
- 12:15 - 1:30 PM *Luncheon Program*
 Presentation of
 Howard Kay Award
 Leadership Academy Graduate
 Recognition
 Professional Development
 Recognition
- 1:30 - 2:30 PM *Later School Start Times and Student Health & Achievement*
Dr. Mary Carskadon, Professor of Psychiatry & Human Behavior
Brown University
School Committee Panel
- 2:30—2:45 PM Break
- 2:45—3:30 PM *RIASC Business Meeting*

THE RHODE ISLAND ASSOCIATION OF SCHOOL COMMITTEES

DISTRICT: _____

Name(s): _____

Address: _____

E-Mail: _____

Cost: \$75.00 (Registrants who do not attend will be charged)

Method of Payment:

- Payment Enclosed
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Please register by April 20, 2017 –E- Mail or Fax 272-9834
 jspremulli@ri-asc.org;(Attendees will receive six hours of professional development credit.)



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