



#### 2009-10 Executive Committee

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## Regional Driver of the Year Award Presented by Ohio Association for Pupil Transportation

One of the primary functions of OAPT is to support education in Ohio through safe and effective pupil transportation. The membership of OAPT, consisting of transportation administrators from throughout the state, acknowledges that the ultimate delivery of our pupil transportation services depends upon the quality of our school bus drivers.

To recognize their efforts, the organization annually honors one driver from each geographic region in the state. A committee comprised of the OAPT Regional Director, the ODE Pre-service Instructor, the ODE Area Coordinator, and two ad-hoc transportation administrators review the driver nominations.

Drivers are nominated by their transportation administrators and are evaluated based upon the criteria found on the nomination sheet that is enclosed. The OAPT Executive Committee has decided to personalize the award by honoring each winner, at the regional level where their peers will have an opportunity to be present. Please take a few minutes and nominate **the School Bus Driver** in your district that represents "The Best of the Best".

- **All nominations need to be received by your OAPT Regional Director by 5:00 P.M. Friday, April 16, 2010.**
- **The winning drivers will be recognized at the Regional School Bus Safety Road-e-o in their respective regions on Saturday, May 1, 2010.**

Sincerely,

Mike Miller  
OAPT President



# Ohio Association for Pupil Transportation

## Regional Director List

<u>REGION</u>	<u>COUNTY</u>	<u>DIRECTOR</u>
East Region	BELMONT, CARROLL, COLUMBIANA, COSHOCTON, GUERNSEY, HARRISON, HOLMES, JEFFERSON, MONROE, MORGAN, MUSKINGHAM, NOBLE, STARK, TUSCARAWAS, WAYNE	Jeff Vrabel, Director Columbiana County ESC 38720 Saltwell Rd Lisbon, OH 44432 jvrabel@ccesc.k12.oh.us
South Region	ADAMS, ATHENS, GALLIA, HIGHLAND, JACKSON, LAWRENCE, MEIGS, PIKE, ROSS, SCIOTO, VINTON, WASHINGTON	Cliff Warren Nelsonville-York S.D. 2 Buckeye Dr Nelsonville, OH 45764 ny_cwarren@seovec.org
Central Region	DELAWARE, FAIRFEILD, FRANKLIN, HOCKING, KNOX, LICKING, MARION, MORROW, PERRY, PICKAWAY, UNION	Steve Simmons Columbus City Schools, 889 E 17th Ave Columbus, OH 43211 ssimmons@columbus.k12.oh.us
Northwest Region	ALLEN, DEFIANCE, FULTON, HANCOCK, HARDIN, HENRY, LUCAS, PAULDING, PUTNAM, SENECA, VAN WERT, WILLIAMS, WOOD, WYANDOT	Pam Waugh, Director Wauseon EV Schools 120 E Chestnut St Wauseon, OH 43567-1443 wau_hs_pw@nwoca.org
Southwest Region	BROWN, BUTLER, CLERMONT, CLINTON, FAYETTE, HAMILTON, WARREN	Barb Leonard, Director Bethel-Tate Local Schools 112 N Union St Bethel, OH 45106 leonard_b@betheltate.org
North Region	ASHLAND, CRAWFORD, CUYAHOGA, ERIE, HURON, LORAIN, MEDINA, OTTAWA, RICHLAND, SANDUSKY	Debbie Miller, Director Wadsworth City Schools 360 College St Wadsworth, OH 44281 dmiller@wadsworth.k12.oh.us
Northeast Region	ASHTABULA, GEAUGA, LAKE, MAHONING, PORTAGE, SUMMIT, TRUMBULL,	Colleen Murphy Austontown Local Schools 225 Idaho Rd Youngstown, OH 44515 aust_cmb@access-k12.org
West Region	AUGLAIZE, CHAMPAIGN, CLARK, DARKE, GREENE, LOGAN, MADISON, MERCER, MIAMI MONTGOMERY, PREBLE, SHELBY	Marie Lozier, Director Graham Local Schools 370 E. Main St St. Paris, OH 43072 lozierm@graham.k12.oh.us