

BAY AREA & SACRAMENTO CHAPTERS PROUDLY PRESENT:

Joint Chapter Meeting & Networking Breakfast May 6, 2015

LOCATION: Paradise Valley Golf Course Clubhouse 3990 Paradise Valley Drive, Fairfield 707-426-1600

DIRECTIONS:

(From I-80 take the North Texas Street/Manuel Campos Exit. Proceed on Manuel Campos. Turn left on Paradise Valley Rd. Golf course entrance is on right)

REGISTRATION: Send registrations to Karen Caoile: <u>karen.caoile@acgov.org</u>

COST: **It is FREE for All Public Agency Employees** \$25 for All Others

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Meeting Agenda

- 8:30 9:00 Registration/Networking Breakfast
- 9:00 9:15 Welcome
- 9:15 10:15 Mandatory Reporting Where Your Personal Liability Starts & Ends

Presenter: John Stephens, Keenan & Associates

Physical and sexual abuse claims in schools has become a silent epidemic. Assembly Bill 1432 became effective January 1, 2015 and this newly enacted legislation requires all new hires as of the effective date to be trained within the first six weeks of hire and additionally requires all school districts, county office of educations, state special schools and charter schools to annually train mandatory reporters within the first six weeks of the school year on their child abuse reporting obligations. This law also requires school districts to provide proof of compliance reports to the Board of Education and the California Department of Education. This session will provide an overview of who is a "mandatory reporter," the type of training required, the type of reporting required and where your personal legal responsibility starts and ends and what you can do to help prevent child abuse.

10:15 – 10:30 Break/Announcements

10:30 – 11:30 Safety Officer Benefits & Presumptions: Mitigating Public Agency Workers' Compensation Exposure

Presenters: Tom Richard, RTGR Law LLP

Dan Graves, RTGR Law LLP

Safety Officer benefits and presumptions become more and more complex every year in California due to constant changes in the law. Learn such things as:

- Who is entitled to receive 4850 benefits?
- How are 4850 benefits paid?
- When can 4850 benefits be terminated?
- How do Advanced Disability Pension payments interact with 4850 benefits?
- What are the requirements for a Disability Retirement and how can my agency reduce this exposure?
- What are the presumptions for Safety Officers?
- How can we fight these presumptions?"

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