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News Release

Schedule for Commissioner Jones, Sept. 8 - 12

Monday, Sept. 8

Colorado Commissioner of Education Dwight D. Jones will speak at a meeting for the new Innovation and Transformation Division within the Colorado Department of Education. The meeting will begin at 8:30 a.m.

Location – Colorado Trust, Sabin Room, 1600 Sherman St., Denver

Tuesday, Sept. 9

Commissioner Jones will speak at the "Dreaming a Lean and Green School: A Symposium on Healthy Foods, Fitness and Environments." The commissioner will speak at 8:30 a.m.

Location – INVESCO Field at Mile High, the West Club Lounge, 1701 Bryant St., Denver

Wednesday, Sept. 10

Commissioner Jones will attend the Colorado State Board of Education work session beginning at 9 a.m.

Location – Colorado Department of Education, 201 E. Colfax Ave., State Board Room, Denver

Thursday, Sept. 11

Commissioner Jones will join the Colorado State Board of Education during their regular board meeting beginning at 9 a.m.

Location – Colorado Department of Education, 201 E. Colfax Ave. State Board Room, Denver

Friday, Sept. 12

"BE EMPOWERED: Make a Difference in Education" is the theme for the Colorado ACT State Organization 2008 Annual Conference. The commissioner will attend the day-long event which will focus on innovative initiatives by individuals, schools, businesses, and community organizations to create positive change within the field of education. The conference will be held from 8:15 a.m. to 3:15 p.m.

Location - Sheraton Denver West, 360 Union Blvd., Lakewood

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