2015 SPEAKERS

Sean Kaufman BA, MPH, principle of Behavioral–Based Improvement Systems has dedicated his life to the study of behavior and motivating behavior/change among those affected by infectious diseases. He has worked at the CDC and WHO. He continues to take lessons from the frontline, integrating them into training solutions aimed at improving and protecting today’s workforce.

Terry Foster RN, MSN is a critical-care specialist for emergency departments of a five hospital system. Back by popular demand, he is a national speaker on humor in health care. His presentation “Surviving and Thriving in the Crazy World of Nursing” will showcase what makes nurses tick and describe some of the crazy and funny things that only nurses know.

Barbara Madeloni is President of the 110,000-member Massachusetts Teachers Association. She is a strong advocate for students and educators in the state’s public schools and public higher education system. She is committed to growing an activist union that builds alliances with parents, students and community members to give educators a strong voice in public education. She has a Bachelor of Arts degree from Hamilton College, a Master’s degree in education from UMass Amherst and a Doctor of Psychology degree from the University of Denver.

Frank Callahan BA, MS is the President of the 75,000 Mass Building Trades Council. He is a Vice-President of the Massachusetts AFL-CIO, a faculty member of the Boston Labor School Guild of Labor Management Relations and serves on the Blue Cross Blue Shield Labor Advisory Committee and a member of the School Building Advisory Board Authority.

Jeff Crosby is the President of the North Shore Central Labor Council and served on the National Advisory Board and Steering Committee of Labor Campaign for Single Payer.

SCHEDULE

**Wednesday, October 7**

6:30-8:30 p.m. Welcome reception: 1st piano room bar, music, clam chowder, appetizers, cash bar. Sponsored by Region 3.

**Thursday, October 8**

7:30-8:30 a.m. Labor Program’s Continental Breakfast, Registration, exhibits and silent auction opens

8:30-10 a.m. Welcome and Opening Remarks with Donna Kelly-Williams, President MNA Panel of Massachusetts Labor Leaders:
- Barbara Madeloni – MA Teachers Association
- Ed Kelly – Fire Fighters
- MBTA Carmen’s Union – TBA
- Scott Hoffman, APWU
- Moderator: Jeff Crosby, North Shore Central Labor Council (invited)

10-10:30 a.m. Break, exhibits and silent auction

10:30 -11:30 a.m. Bargaining Unit Reports

11:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m. Frank Callahan, President MA Building Trades Council

12:30-2 p.m. Unit 7 Annual Meeting and lunch 2nd floor

12:30-2 p.m. Lunch 2nd floor, exhibits, silent auction

2-3 p.m. ICU Limits

3 p.m. Business meeting

6-8 p.m. Awards reception, buffet, cash bar 2nd floor

8-9 p.m. Jim Spinnato, comedy hypnosis show

9-11:30 p.m. Music by “The Interlopers,” cash bar, ice cream sundaes

**Friday, October 9**

7:30-8:30 a.m. Silent auction closes, registration, breakfast

8-9 a.m. Mass. Student Nurses meeting 2nd floor

8-9 a.m. MNA PAC meeting

9-9:15 a.m. Break

9:15-10:45 a.m. The Ebola Crisis: Containment Strategies for the Clinical Treatment of Ebola-the Nurses Role, Sean Kaufman

10:45-11 a.m. Break

11 a.m.-12 p.m. Surviving & Thriving in the Crazy World of Nursing, Terry Foster RN, nurse humorist

REGISTER ONLINE: [www.massnurses.org](http://www.massnurses.org)

Registrations can also be made by phone. Call Theresa at 781-830-5727.
**INFORMATION:**

**Registration Deadline: September 8, 2015**

**Accomodations**

**Resort and Conference Center at Hyannis**

The Resort and Conference Center at Hyannis is an all-season resort in Hyannis. It is located on fifty-two acres and includes an eighteen hole par-3 golf course, indoor and outdoor pools, extensive health and fitness center and a luxurious spa and salon.

Room rates are $109.00 per night for double or single with 11.7% Mass occupancy tax. Check in time is 3 p.m. and check out time 11 a.m.

**Chemical Sensitivity**

Attendees are requested to avoid wearing scented personal products when attending the 2015 MNA Convention. Scents may trigger responses in those with chemical sensitivity.

**Contact Hours**

On Friday, October 9, 2015 Continuing Nursing Education contact hours will be awarded by the Massachusetts Nurses Association. The MNA is accredited as a provider of continuing nursing education by the American Nurses Credentialing Center’s Commission on Accreditation.

To successfully complete a program and receive contact hours you must: 1) sign in, 2) be present for the entire time period of the session and 3) complete the evaluation.

**Questions**

Call MNA’s Division of Nursing at: 800-882-2056 x727.

**Community Service Event**

Please bring a clothing donation to benefit Independence House in Hyannis, a private, nonprofit organization established in 1979 to serve the needs of survivors of domestic violence and their children. Their 'wish list' includes sweatshirts, sweatpants, t-shirts, underwear and socks for men, women (sizes M, L, XL), children and teens. The items must be new and cannot be used. www.independencehouse.org.

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**DIRECTIONS:**

**Resort & Conference Center at Hyannis**

Phone: 866-828-8259 or 508-775-7775

**Resort & Conference Center at Hyannis**
35 Scudder Avenue • Hyannis, MA 02601

**From Boston**

Follow Route 93 South to Route 3 South to the Sagamore Bridge and onto Route 6 East. Follow Route 6 East to Exit 6. Take a right off the exit onto Route 132 South. At the 4th set of lights turn right onto Beares Way (towards Hyannis West End). Continue straight through 2 sets of lights. Take the 2nd exit off the rotary. At the next set of lights turn right onto North Street. Continue straight to the rotary. Take the 2nd exit just after the Paddock Restaurant. Resort and Conference Center at Hyannis will be on your left.

**From Western Massachusetts:**

Follow Route 495 South to Route 25 East to the Bourne Bridge and merge onto the rotary. Take the 4th exit off the rotary (IHOP will be on your left). Follow until you reach a set of traffic lights. Take a right at the lights onto Route 6 East. Follow Route 6 East to Exit 6. Take a right off the exit onto Route 132 South. At the 4th set of lights turn right onto Beares Way (towards Hyannis West End). Continue straight through 2 sets of lights. Take the 2nd exit off the rotary. At the next set of lights turn right onto North Street. Continue straight to the rotary. Take the 2nd exit just after the Paddock Restaurant. Resort and Conference Center at Hyannis will be on your left.
REGISTRATION FORM

Name (please print): ___________________________________________ Night Ph: ______________ Email: _______________________
Address: ___________________________________________ City: ___________________ State: _____ Zip: ___________

I am a(n):  q MNA Member/Associate Member  q Non-member  q Full-time student/Unemployed/Retired*
q Reduced Members* $35  q All Others $60  q MASNA students n/c  $ _________
q Check here if you require gluten-free.  q Check here if you require special assistance during the convention, and please call 800-882-2056 x727.

Three Convenient Packages/Business Meeting

Thursday-Only Package: Includes events on Thursday: keynote, plenary session, all meals, exhibits
q MNA Members $45  q Reduced Members* $35  q All Others $60  q MASNA students n/c  $ _________

Friday-Only Package: Includes events on Friday: keynote, plenary session, breakfast
q MNA Members $35  q Reduced Members* $30  q All Others $50  q MASNA students n/c  $ _________

Two-Day Convention Package — Thursday and Friday:
Includes events on Thursday and Friday
q MNA Members $75  q Reduced Members* $65  q All Others $100  q MASNA students n/c  $ _________
q Business Meeting Registration (only) • Thursday, 3 p.m.  n/c

Optional Events

Please register below if you plan to attend the following events:

q Reception sponsored by Region 3 • Wednesday • 6:30 - 8:30 p.m. ____________________________ n/c
q Unit 7 Annual Meeting/Lunch (Unit 7 members only) • Thursday, 12:30 - 2 p.m. ____________________________ n/c
q Awards Reception/Buffet • Thursday, 6 p.m. - 8 p.m. ____________________________ n/c
q Comedic Hypnotist • Thursday, 8 p.m. - 9 p.m. ____________________________ n/c
q Music by The Interlopers • Thursday, 9 p.m. - 11:30 p.m. ____________________________ n/c

Total Convention Fees: $ _________

Payment

Please mail this completed form with check made payable to MNA at:
Massachusetts Nurses Association • 340 Turnpike Street • Canton, MA 02021
Payment may also be made by:  q VISA  q MasterCard  q American Express  q Discover
Account # _______________________________ Expiration Date: ______________ Security Code: __________
For Credit Card registrations you may fax this form to: 781-821-4445; please call to verify receipt at 781-830-5727.