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CONGRATULATIONS!

Our chapter president, Cathy Smith, has been named the Louisiana Counselor of the Year! She will be attending a meeting of the American School Counselor Association in Washington, DC to represent Louisiana later this month. We are very proud of this A+PEL member!

We will be planning our annual **Volunteer Banquet** at the January meeting, Thursday, Jan. 14th, at 4pm at Java Joltz (next to Mid South Bank) in Jennings. If you have ideas for the banquet or would like to volunteer to help decorate/take photos/etc. please try to be there or let either Cathy Smith or Gayle Jones know.

MEETING FOR ALL MEMBERS:
Thursday, Jan. 14th
4:00-Coffee on Us!
JAVA JOLTZ
(near The Rocket Drive-In)

Bldg. Reps.-
Come join us
for a combo
meeting-members
and reps!

Our Volunteer Banquet was the subject of a presentation at the A+PEL Summer conference last July 16-17. Chapter President Cathy Smith spoke about the steps we use from how the volunteers are chosen from each school through the presentation of the trophies on banquet night. She was very pleased with the number of attendees who asked for more information. Good Job, President Cathy!

Pres. Cathy also made a presentation on the program "Fill the Bucket" which she has found very useful at Elton High where she is the counselor.

Speaking of the Summer Conference...information was sent out recently about the 2016 Conference and registration is already open. For more information, go to apeeducators.org.