

NASSCED Member Resource Survey 2010

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PART 1 – About Your Association

State Represented *	New York
Organization Represented *	New York State Council on Leadership and Student Activities
Executive Director #1 *	Roberta Bittel
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Executive Director #4	
Approximate Number of Member Schools *	100
Annual Membership Fee	125
Does your membership elect State Officer...	Students/Individuals
Please describe how your association selects its State Officers/Schools:	<p>Any school district may, upon payment of the membership fee, be eligible to participate in the activities of NYSCLSA.</p> <p>An authorized official from each member school shall serve as the district contact person and shall receive all publications and other materials disseminated by NYSCLSA.</p> <p>The NYSCLSA shall set annual dues for each school. No later than June 1 of each year NYSCLSA shall notify SAANYs of its dues structure for the forthcoming fiscal year. Dues are payable to NYSCLSA on or before July 1st of the calendar year.</p>
Which best describes the sponsorship (if any) of your association?	Affiliated with your State Principals Association
Is the Executive Director of your association a full-time position?	No – with a stipend
Does your association currently have 501(c)3 non-profit status?	Yes – through parent/sponsor organization

PART 2 – About Your Conferences

State Convention 2010–2011 date	November 21–23, 2010, November 20–22, 2011
For your State Convention, how are students primarily housed?	Hotel
For your State Convention, what is your primary meeting facility?	Hotel

Please identify and describe a unique or outstanding aspect of your State Convention.

Each year we provide an opportunity do do a state wide community service project or a showcase for service learning.

Other Conference/Event #1, with 2010-2011 date

Advisor conference , Jan 2011

Other Conference/Event #2, with 2010-2011 date

Other Conference/Event #3, with 2010-2011 date

Please identify and describe a unique or outstanding aspect of one of the three events listed above.

PART 3 – Middle Level

Does your association currently include middle level schools as members?

Yes

As State Officers?

NO

As Regional or District Officers, within your state?

NO

At the same state Conventions or Conferences?

YES

At their own state Conventions or Conferences?

YES

At Regional conferences?

YES

At NASC L.E.A.D. Conferences?

YES

At NASC National Conferences?

YES

In the same award programs as high schools?

NO

In their own award programs?

NO

PART 4 – Summer Leadership Programs

Does your association conduct a summer leadership program?

NO

If your answer above was YES, please list below the name and summer 2011 date (if known) for each of your summer programs:

What is the fee per delegate for your summer program?

Have a separate advanced level program? Not applicable

Have a separate middle level program?	Not applicable
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Serve as a prerequisite to becoming a State Officer?	Not applicable
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PART 5 – About Your Awards/ Programs

Award/Program #1 Description:

The New York State Council on Leadership and Student Activities Kristen Haver Memorial Award honors one student who exemplifies the qualities of Kristen Haver.

Vince Lombardi once said, “Leaders are made, they are not born; and they are made just like anything else has ever been made in this country, by hard work. And that’s the price that we all have to pay to achieve that goal, or any other goal.”

Who was Kristen Haver?

Through perseverance and determination Kristen Haver showed her peers how hard work can pay off. She always went above and beyond the call of duty, no matter what it took. During her junior and senior years at Poland Central High School, Kristen was actively involved in many co-curricular activities and sports teams. Her easy going and energetic personality enabled her to be a success at endeavors, even when the chips were down. One task Kristen found difficult was to give instructions and get her peers to work together. She overcame that obstacle by becoming actively involved at Poland Central and especially on the state level of NYSASA. It was the involvement at the local, state, and national level that taught her that hard work was what would help her achieve her goals. Her respect and fairness for others helped Kristen develop into an outstanding leader.

Award/Program #2 Description:

Dale Hawley served as Principal at Cortland Junior/Senior High School before moving on to Reston, Virginia where he served as Director of the Division of Student Activities with NASSP, until his death. As a fitting tribute to Dale’s commitment to youth nationally, an award has been created in his name. It is awarded to one (1) student from five (5) different states for a total of five (5) students that have leadership achievements on local, state and national levels.

Award/Program #3 Description:

The NYS CLSA Honor Council Award gives special recognition to those schools that have designed exemplary programs for their Student Councils. "Exemplary" is defined as participating in NYSCLSA programs and sponsoring activities in each of the areas listed below.

Any school that meets the criteria below will be named a 2010 NYS CLSA Honor Council School.

Please type information and attach:

1. Describe involvement in a community service activity.
2. Describe involvement in a school service activity.
3. Describe involvement in leadership development

Include attendance at one of the following:

CLSA Leadership Conference
 National Leadership Camps
 NASC National Conference
 District Conference

4. Describe involvement in a spirit activity.

5. Must support 2010 State Charity Special Olympics financially to be eligible to be an Honor Council. (Must take part in charity to be eligible for the Honor Council.)

PART 6 – About Your Problems

How does your association deal with the issue of advisor turnover? We are working on it, just started.

What is another significant problem currently facing your association, and how are you dealing with it? Turn over of Executive board, picking up where things were dropped.

What advice do you have for someone who has just become a new Executive Director? Ask questions! That's what I am doing as a new Executive Director!

YOU'RE ALMOST DONE...

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