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# Why SDEA-Retired?

As an active NEA member, you can join other NEA active members who have subscribed to an NEA-Retired life membership. Public education and educators face challenges that require the resolve and support of its members — all of its members, both active and retired. NEA needs your support, your wisdom and your leadership to forge a path forward. NEA-Retired members work with active NEA members to

- Preserve, protect, and improve retirement pension and health benefits, including state pensions, Social Security and Medicare
- Improve public education through mentoring, literacy, and intergenerational programs and activities
- Advocate for legislative and political action to support public education and educators
- Participate in intergenerational programs that link retired educators with young people in need of help
- Continue their involvement with their state association and NEA and enjoy new and different activities with former colleagues and new friends
- Volunteer in community-based programs and projects that help make America stronger
- Give you the opportunity to remain engaged on important issues facing students, education and educators.



For a one-time lifetime subscription fee of only \$350 (plus applicable state dues), NEA-Retired lifetime membership provides

- Enjoy NEA-Retired lifetime membership and benefits
- Be part of a powerful, active retiree organization that understands the value of public education
- Give you a head start on enjoying a financially secure retirement by using pre-retirement planning info found in your suscription to *NEA Today* for NEA-Retired Members
- Make available leadership opportunities including voting and holding office in your retired organization and participating in literacy, mentoring, early career educator and lobbying projects
- Keep you eligible for NEA Member Benefits such as liability insurance, long-term care insurance, Medicare supplemental insurance and credit card/savings programs

## You Are SDEA-Retired!

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# SDEA-Retired Membership Application

SDEA Retired | 411 East Capitol Avenue | Pierre, SD 57501

Date \_\_\_\_\_

First Name \_\_\_\_\_ Middle Initial \_\_\_\_\_ Last Name \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Home Email \_\_\_\_\_

SDEA/NEA Membership No. \_\_\_\_\_ *(As found in NEA Today or SDEA staff can fill this in)*

Date of Retirement \_\_\_\_\_ Local Association \_\_\_\_\_  
*(or expected date of retirement)*

Female  Male Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_ Registered Voter Yes  No

My preferred method of being contacted by SDEA-Retired leaders is:

Telephone  US Postal Service  Email

## Membership Choices

All memberships combine SDEA-Retired and NEA-Retired dues.

**Retired Life — \$410**

Once retired, you will only owe the yearly \$10 maintenance fee.

**Pre-Retired Life — \$400**

**Retired Annual — \$55**

Annual membership is valid September 1 through August 31. No pro-rating for partial-year membership (You can upgrade to retired life at any time)

**IF already a lifetime member, yearly maintenance fee — \$10**

Please call me to arrange billing either by credit card or checking account.

Make checks payable to **SDEA-Retired**

Dues \$ \_\_\_\_\_

SD-EPIC \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Total** \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Total Enclosed** \$ \_\_\_\_\_

### ANY QUESTIONS? CONTACT:

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**Forms can be mailed back to:**

**SDEA Retired**

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