



President's Message

Happy Teacher Appreciation Week! I hope this email finds you and your family safe and healthy. These times are not easy. We are planners and doers and there is only so much we know and can do at this time. Teachers are rising up to the challenge while also taking care of their own children and families.

LATM will continue to be here for you from sharing teaching ideas and LDOE updates through our Facebook page to honoring our state's best educators through the Outstanding Teacher Awards. Watch these future LATM Sharings and our upcoming newsletter for information on 2020 Conference plans. We are also offering free membership (<http://lamath.org/membership/membershipForm.html>) to new members through the 2021 conference to keep all our state's educators informed. Current memberships have automatically extended until the 2021 conference; no need to fill out a new membership form.

We are educators. We are strong. Together we will make it through this stressful time.

Trisha Fos
LATM President

LATM Outstanding Teacher Awards

From the membership, Louisiana Association of Teachers of Mathematics (LATM) honors an outstanding elementary, middle, and high school teacher each year. LATM also honors an outstanding new teacher who is in his/her first three years of teaching. One of the goals of LATM is to honor and recognize individual mathematics educators who model and promote standards-based mathematics teaching and learning for their students. The 2020 Outstanding Mathematics Teacher Nominations can be found [here](#). Nominations are due before **June 15th**.

Resources from the National Council of Teachers of Mathematics

Celebrate NCTM's Centennial with 100 Days of Professional Learning

The 60-minute webinars presented by selected speakers from the NCTM Centennial Annual Meeting & Exposition program that was to take place in Chicago will be held at 7 p.m. Eastern time on 100 selected days from April 1 leading up to the October NCTM 2020 Annual Meeting & Exposition in St. Louis. A variety of speakers and topics are geared to meet all grade bands and interests. Webinars will be recorded and made available at www.nctm.org/100 up to the St. Louis Annual Meeting.

The Zoom rooms used for the sessions are limited to 1000 participants. In the event that we reach capacity and you are unable to enter the session, you can watch the session on [Facebook Live](#) or view the recording on www.nctm.org/100. The recording will be posted the day after the live event.

Sharing one of Brod Bagert's [#coronavirusquarantine](#) poems to bring a smile to your face. Next time you visit the LATM Facebook page be sure to check out Brod's other poems.

