



Florida State

Foster/Adoptive Parent Association

Nominations for Office

The FSFAPA is currently taking nominations for the offices of :

President

Treasurer

North Central RVP — Circuits 3, 8, 2

Northwest RVP — Circuits 1, 14

On June 7, 2014 the floor will be opened for nominations also.

Requirements and Job Descriptions can be found on the FSFAPA website in the newly ratified Bylaws.

Please email your nominees name to

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Awareness day in Tallahassee

Several hundred foster adoptive families attended children's week. FSFAPA set up a resource table for families attending to come by and discuss becoming a foster or adoptive parent.

This year we were proud to present the NEX Gen band for their first performance. These young people represented foster, adopted and birth you nth from around the state.



On Tuesday evening our families were invited to a Meet and Greet reception sponsored by the Florida Coalition for

Children. We had a presentation on advocacy and discussed our appointments for the next day. This was a great opportunity to visit with other families from around the state as well as administrators from the CBC and DCF.

On Wednesday everyone went to meet with their assigned legislators. The reports back were excellent. Many legislators listened the youth that spoke of their journey and concerns in foster care. As well as discussions with our foster parents concerning funding and children's rights.

This was a strong productive event and we hope to see others attend next year.

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Sign up for FSFAPA'S email newsletters! Contact Curtis Byrd at Fsfapa-secretary@gmail.com to join our mailing list.

Check FSFAPA's website often for updated news and events happening around the state!

Membership is now available online! A free FSFAPA Novelty License Plate with each new Membership.





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**Joint Conference - FSFAPA & National Foster
Parent Association**

DATE
June 5-8, 2014

HOTEL
Caribe Royale, Orlando, FL



We look forward to seeing everyone there.

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