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Hello CAPHI Members (and Hopeful Members):

BOO!!! Today all the goblins, witches, and pumpkins are out and about trick-or-treating. As you CAPHI President, I thought I'd fly by on my broom and tell you about some CAPHI treats (no tricks).

Check out the attached/enclosed CAPHI conference flyer. We have a date and will be at the Santa Barbara County Education Office. Dr. Kathryn Wolff Heller from Georgia State University has agreed to keynote our conference. She is the author of several textbooks in the field of orthopedic and health impairments and is a Past President of the Division for Physical, Health, and Multiple Disabilities with the Council for Exceptional Children. The CAPHI Executive is lining up presentations, luncheon, entertainment, and raffle prizes. Come join other CAPHI members for a day of instruction, networking, and fun!

Membership applications are also attached/enclosed. If you renewed your membership in the 2010 year we will give you a "pass" for 2011-2012 and pick up everyone next fall. If you planned to renew sometime but never got around to it, now is the time.

This message will be sent by both email and land mail. We need to make a special effort to get updated data from CAPHI members and ask for your help. Please send back any updated information (email address, telephone contact information, etc.) as well as whether you wish to remain on the active CAPHI mailing list or be removed from any active communication. You can mail your updated CAPHI membership form and membership renewal check to either Susan McCrary or Sherry Best at these addresses:

Susan McCrary
28042 Florence Ln
Canyon Country, CA 91351

Sherry Best
3949 Bradford Street
La Verne, CA 91750

Besides launching its conference, CAPHI is participating in another important state-level activity. Angie Juarez, CAPHI Vice President, is conducting a survey about teacher competencies in the field of physical and health impairments. Specifically, she is looking at the knowledge and skills of teachers who work in classrooms, as itinerants, and as hospital teachers. Her survey is almost complete and she wants to send it out to all CAPHI members as soon as possible. The survey will be sent electronically and that is one reason why we need updated contact information. Happy Halloween!

Sherry Best,
CAPHI President

