

**MAHPERD Leadership Conference**  
**Wednesday, February 27<sup>th</sup>**



***“Strengthening Our Leadership”***

***Conference Objective:*** *By the end of the conference, Directors will be able to identify their leadership strengths and prioritize their leadership efforts for the rest of the year.*

8:00- 8:30 **Coffee and Refreshments**

8:30- 9:00 **Welcome and Team Building-** *Maria Melchionda, Executive Director*

9:10- 10:10 **Leader to Leader: Taking a look at your journey to success as an administrator-** *Donna Ruseckas, Program Coordinator of Health and Physical Education, Andover Public Schools*

10:15- 11:15 **Round Table Discussions**

**Table 1-** How do you create a culture of unity and collaboration within your department?

**Table 2-** Professional development speakers that have been successful in your district/department

**Table 3-** Gender Inclusive Elementary Level Human Growth and Development Unit

11:20-12:20 **Debrief Round Table Discussions:** Overview of Highlights (copy will be provided to attendees)

12:20- 1:00 Lunch

1:00- 2:45 **Observation and Evaluation-** *Open Dialog*

How have we made the Observation/Evaluation Tool work in order to bring about Best Practices and Student Learning? Will begin with a Walk and Talk (indoors)

2:45-3:00 **Group Debrief** followed by personal reflection on leadership strengths and list of priorities to work on in districts.