NYSUT Retiree Council 10

Please join us at the Spring 2026 NYSUT Retiree Council 10 Regional Conference!

Thursday, April 23, 2026
8:30 am – 3:00 pm
The Vista
Van Patten Golf Club
924 Main Street
Clifton Park, NY 12065

Overview:
This event for RC 10 members and their guests will focus on RC 10's community involvement, NYSUT's social justice efforts, mocktail samplings, a golf simulator, and various presentations & displays about America's 250th! Details inside!

Cost: $25 each for Retirees and their Guests

The day includes morning coffee, teas, and continental breakfast and a full, hot lunch buffet. Both with vegetarian, gluten-free and dairy-free choices. We are fortunate that NYSUT and RC 10 subsidize our event so we can hold the cost to a minimum.

Register Now; Here's How:
It's easiest and preferred for you to register and pay by credit card, via online registration.
Go to: https://nysut.cc/2026rc10
Or use this QR Code.

REGISTRATION CLOSES April 14, 2026.

Online registration is preferred. If not possible, use the form below. Mail it along with a check made out to NYSUT. The cost is $25 for each attendee. Mail to:

RC 10 Spring Conference
c/o NYSUT CDRO Chakerra Arrington
800 Troy-Schenectady Road
Latham, NY 12110

Full Name: _____
Phone Number: _____
Email Address: _____
Year Retired: _____ School: _____
Address: _____
City: _____
County: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____
Please check appropriate registration type:
___ Retiree
___ Retiree's guest (name of guest) _____
Total amount included: _____
ADA accommodations needed _____
Questions? Email Chris Fowler, NYSUT Retiree Services Consultant for RC 9 and 10, chris.fowler@nysut.org.

SIGN UP TODAY- REGISTRATION CLOSES APRIL 14TH

~ NYSUT Retiree Council 10 Spring Conference ~ April 23, 2026 ~

8:30 am Arrival
Coffee and Tea, Continental Breakfast (Vegetarian, Gluten Free, Dairy Free Choices)

9:00 am Welcome, RC 10 Election Update, Scholarship Information
~ Chris Fowler, NYSUT Retiree Services Consultant for RC 9 & 10
~ Barbara McCarthy, RC 10 President and Cliff Brosnan, RC 10 Vice-President
~ Jeanne Bush, RC 10 Scholarship Committee Chair

9:25 am Retirees and In-Service Members: Keeping the Connection Strong
~ Valerie Flood Co-President and Mary Mosher, Vice-President
Schodack Faculty Association Retiree Chapter

9:45 am NYSUT Social Justice Programs
~ J. Philippe Abraham, NYSUT Secretary/Treasurer and Social Justice Leader

10:30 am RC 10 Community Partnerships
~ Regional Food Bank:
Stephen Sheffer, Senior Manager of Marketing & Communications
Myah Bermudez, Community Partnerships and Marketing Coordinator
~ Ronald McDonald House Charities of the Capital Region: Kimmy Venter, CEO

11:00 am Making Mocktails Demonstration and Sampling
~ Gayatri Hingwala of Gayatri's World Kitchen

Noon – 1:00 pm ~ Lunch and Socializing
Green Salad, Chicken Marsala, Grilled Salmon, Pesto Bow Ties, Red Potatoes, Rolls, Cookies

1:00 pm America's Rev 250!
~ Children of the American Revolution: Kate Keesler, NYS President
~ Benjamin Lattimore: The Tale of a Black Revolutionary War Soldier
Nancy Newkirk, America 250 Chair, Mohawk Chapter DAR
~ America's Colonies Tapestry: Jenni Paperman, Quilter

2:00 – 3:00 pm Golf Club Simulator and/or Smaller Rev 250 Talks

3:00 pm ~ Evaluation ~ Feedback ~ Departure

Mocktails:

Learn how to make fruity, springtime mocktails with Gayatri Hingwala of Gayatri's World Kitchen.
Try all three and choose your favorite!

Golf Simulator:

Get some tips from the club's golf pro while using their simulator. Open to all - novices and experts alike!

America's Revolution 250 Presenters:

Kate Keesler, NYS CAR President - The 2025–2026 State Project is Triumph at Ticonderoga: America's First Victory. From soldiers to oxen, everyday people and animals supported the fight for independence.

Nancy Newkirk, America 250 Chair of the Mohawk Chapter DAR – In 2025, with support from the Pomeroy Foundation, research resulted in an Albany historical marker to honor Black Revolutionary War Soldier, Benjamin Lattimore. Learn about the process.

Jenni Paperman, Quilter – Across America's Thirteen Original Colonies, quilters are creating squares that will be woven together and displayed in galleries across the country. See New York's design which was stitched at the Van Schaick Mansion in Cohoes.