

Invite List

ACES and Bike to School Day is a great way to bring attention to the importance of physical education at your school. Take advantage of that opportunity and invite members of your community who should be part of the celebration.

Including community members at your event will increase the interest of local media. Media coverage not only helps spread your school's message, but also spreads the fitness message to other Michiganders.

Here's a list of people you may want to invite to help lead activities during ACES and Bike to School Day:

From the School

- Building staff, including principal, food service, specialists and custodians
- Bus drivers
- Parents
- Superintendent and office staff
- School Board members
- Coaches
- Retired principal or teachers

Civic Leaders and Dignitaries

- Mayor or City Manager
- City Council Members
- Township Board
- County Commissioners
- State Representative
- State Senator
- Probate Judge (often involved in children's issues and may enjoy an invite to a happy event)
- Sheriff or Deputy
- Police Chief or community police officer
- Firemen and paramedics

Local Celebrities

- Media personalities—TV news anchor, weatherman, local sports reporter
- Professional and semi-professional athletes
- Area college athletes
- Local high school athletes
- Celebrity parents and family members
- Mascots of area schools

- Retired principals or teachers

Miscellaneous

- Area businesses
 - Is there an office across the street from the school? Invite employees to participate.
 - Do you have any school-business partnerships? Invite employees to participate.
 - Is there a Farm Bureau Insurance office in the area? Their funding of ACES Day statewide pays for materials, and local agents may appreciate an invitation—they may even sponsor your school with a donation of \$250.