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**MEMO TO:** All Buffalo Teachers

**FROM:** Philip Rumore, President, BTF

**RE:** Special Event – Unmasking Standardized Testing, Billionaire Privateers and the Common Core

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The BTF, Hamburg Teachers, NYSUT and parent teacher organizations have joined together to present a forum on unmasking standardized testing, the Billionaire privateers, the Common Core and other important issues.

Presentation by Dr. Mark Garrison, Professor, Education Policy and Research, D'Youville College.

Date: Wednesday, June 18, 2014

Time: 5:30-7:30

Place: Kleinhans Music Hall, Mary Seaton Room

This is our way of bringing teachers, parents and educators together. Dr. Garrison is an amazing and knowledgeable speaker who you would not want to miss.

More information will be forthcoming.

Apparently, a couple of teachers, who did not check with BTF, have arranged for Dr. Garrison to speak at a local church. That meeting is not a BTF/Hamburg Teachers/NYSUT/parent teacher co-sponsored event.

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