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## Lots of NSRF “news you can use” happening right now!

Sorry you haven't seen **Connections** in your inbox in awhile, but we have been quite busy here in the office on other tasks important to CFG work and your professional development.

### #1: New website coming up soon!

After surveying our members and other users of our website, we are making some dramatic upgrades to the website. Soon it will be easier for you to find protocols, news, information about trainings, and other great content. We're hoping to launch in December or January, and we're also seeking a few people to fine-tune it before we launch. If you're interested, please email [ivan@nsrfharmony.org](mailto:ivan@nsrfharmony.org).

### #2: Better indexing of protocols!

In addition to the familiar “A-Z index,” you'll soon be able to click to preview the purpose of each protocol or activity without downloading it. You will need to login to see protocols, including our older, original protocols (which will still be freely accessible without a paid membership). The login information will help us understand what materials are in demand, so we know what's most helpful and needs to be supported. We will also have a new mechanism by which you can search for terms mentioned in the purpose of every protocol and activity.

### #3: Help matching the right protocols to your work!

Members of the NSRF will be able to use a new Protocol Matching Tool on the protocol page that will help you find a variety of resources specific to the type of work you have to do. You'll first identify a general type (e.g., dilemmas,

student work, etc.) and then narrow it down to a subset (e.g., preparing for dilemmas, looking at one student's responses to a variety of assignments).

### #4: Because we want as many people as possible to have that membership benefit, organizations can purchase “bulk renewals” of trained coaches\*!

If you were trained as a coach on-site in your district, your organization can renew **everyone** who completed training all at once, for only \$375, even if they're renewing coaches from multiple trainings! For the cost of five coach memberships, 15 or more coaches at a school can be renewed. (\* “Regular” \$25 members who did not complete our coaches' training are not included in this benefit.)

If you were trained individually or are responsible for paying your own renewal, you can earn a 20% discount as long as you renew before your coach membership expires. If you have questions, please email [ivan@nsrfharmony.org](mailto:ivan@nsrfharmony.org) or call us at 812-330-2702.

### #5: Training benefits are increasing in 2018 (along with our rates) BUT you can save if you book another training now.

CFG Coaches' Trainings will now include Collaborative Cue Cards and some other benefits, and thus our training fees are going up a little. BUT if you've booked a training with us since 2014, you can get a 2018-value training at 2017 prices IF you sign a contract before January 31. Call 812-330-2702 or email [nsrf@nsrfharmony.org](mailto:nsrf@nsrfharmony.org) for details. 