

1. Welcome
2. Update from Brian
 - a. New President – **Brandi Schupp**
Vote to pay for Brandi room for state meeting Jan: Brain R.
1st – John S 2nd – Katie D
 - b. New board members Vote [John Strong and Nick Yachetta]
Motion vote John Strong for the 3 year term (Brian R.)
1st Heather R. 2nd Heather W Approved John Abstained

Clancey S. doesn't think that someone who hasn't been to any meetings should just get voting rights on the board
Motion vote Nick Yachetta for the 2 year term (Brian R.)
no 1st or 2nd not approved
 - c. New EC members vote Kelsey Williams Adapted PE Rep [kewilliams@olvhs.org] lackawanna
Motion to accept Kelsey as Adapted PE rep (Brain R.)
1st – Sue. B 2nd Brandi S approved
 - d. Awards- [2026 NYS AHPERD Award Nomination Form](#) state level and need local
Due in March
Need google form for local nominations
 - e. Meeting Dates for rest of year
 - f. Newsletters
 - g. Zone Review
 - h. Speakout Day in DC – Feb 11th **John S will be there if you want to share a room**



- i. Western Zone Conference Katie, Brianne

Niagara Falls option – Option 1 fieldhouse

Option 2 school – classrooms and gym

Would need to be after hours to use the space or use the Fieldhouse during the day

1st choice April 29th, 2nd choice April 30th

Doing an evening smaller PD event

3. NEW BUSINESS:

- 4. BPS Professional Development- Contract Signed (**not signed yet**)

Providing PD for BPS - Brain & Nick are leading it up

NYS AHPERD wants to help and take cut, might not take a cut this year (\$10 member, \$30 non)

Generates \$ for the zone

- 5. Golf Tournament for 2026-

- a. Combine with central western

- 6. Future Meetings.

- a. September?
- b. October early Brianne Blaszak
- c. November - social at conference this year somewhere
- d. December - Canceled
- e. January-
- f. February
- g. March – **Technology – Brian R.**
- h. April
- i. May end of year social Riverworks?

- 7. Newsletter- Please send your article, tips and/or links to Sheryl by the date listed below

a. <u>Fall (Sept. 30)</u>	<u>Winter (Jan. 20)</u>	<u>Spring (April 15th)</u>
President	President	President
Coaches	Recreation	Aquatics
Elementary	APE	Technology
Technology	Retirees	Future Professional
Health	Diversity and Inclusiveness	COA
Higher Ed	Dance	Secondary



8. Zone Board Positions

- a. Open due to movement/conflict
 - i. Adapted PE
 - ii. Future Professionals
 - iii. Social media
 - iv. Dance -
 - v. Fundraising/social events
- b. hosting a pickleball or badminton tournament for area students. We could see if a central school gym would be willing to host or we could talk to pickleball island on grand island to see if they want to host, then local students can register to participate. Could be done between winter and sports seasons or may/June when sports aren't using the gym.

2025-2026 MEETING SCHEDULE

<u>Date</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Topic</u>	<u>Presenter/Action Items</u>	<u>Notes</u>
Sept					
Oct		Global Concepts			
November		Turning Stone			
December			Award Dinner/social		
January					
February					
March					
April					
May					

Meeting adjourned: 9:32 pm

1st - Heather W.

2nd - Dr. Reed approved



NYS AHPERD WESTERN ZONE EXECUTIVE COUNCIL 2025-2026

<i>Name</i>	<i>WZ Board Position</i>	<i>District</i>	<i>E-Mail</i>
Brandi Schupp	President	Hamburg	bschupp@hcsdk12.org
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