

Iowa ASCD Board of Directors Fall Meeting Minutes-Virtual Tuesday, October 27, 2021 4:30 - 6:30 P.M.

Directors Attending: Lou Howell, Michelle Krogulski, Sara Oswald, Randy Peters, Cindy Swanson, Kevin Vidergar, Kim Jones, Becky Martin, Diane Campbell, Katie Evenson, Tamela Johnson

Directors Not Attending: Allan Eckelman, Paul Hayes, Todd Abrahmson, Tricia Kurtt, Cheryl Langston, Brianna Maschman, Jane O'Leary, Kym Stein, Anna Upah Lora Rasey, Tesha Ruley,

- ١. Networking (4:15 P.M.)
- II. Welcome (4:30 P.M.) (Becky)
 - Welcome/Making Connections
 - o In Disguise-Costume
 - Review of Norms and Agenda
 - Listen for Understanding,
 - Speak to Be Truthfully Understood,
 - Confront the Tough Challenges,
 - Come Prepared, Have Fun,
 - Start on Time and End on Time,
 - Value Diversity, Honor Confidentiality
- III. Business Information and Approvals (Becky) (5:00 P.M.)
 - Approval of Summer Retreat Minutes (Tamela)
 - It was moved by Sara and seconded by Randy to accept the minutes, which were approved unanimously.
 - Approval of Finances (Sara)
 - Balance: \$45,725.98. \$3000 to be deposited
 - Outstanding invoices-Jimmy Casa (venue and books paid)
 - It was moved by Dianne Cambell and seconded by Cindy Swanson to accept the financial report, which was approved unanimously.
 - **Update on Meeting Dates for 2021-22 (Becky)**
 - Mark Your Calendars
 - Fall Meeting October 27, 2021
 - Winter Meeting February 1. 2022 (Face to Face 1:00 5:00)
 - Follow Advocacy
 - Spring Meeting-???



- Update on Nominations Plan/Election for 2022
 - Members at Large Katie and Cindy-ask them to run again
 - Every AEA now has a representative
 - President Elect (All board members are eligible except David Keane. 1-year position, 3 year commitment)
 - February ballots approval
 - Election in April

IV. **Updates from Strategic Plan Team (5:20 P.M.)**

Strategic Action 1: Overview of Professional Development (Becky Martin)

- <u>Update on Fall Academy</u> (Paul Hayes and Becky Martin)
 - 2021 Canceled with Danielle Theis canceled due to: low enrollment
 - What next for fall?
 - stay with SEB focus?
 - Go back to Literacy focus?
 - February-decide on Fall Topic (Beginning teachers focused on literacy; Grantwood---Elementary Dyslexia Conference continues to be full)
- **Update on Early Childhood Conference (Cindy Swanson)**
 - November 19, 2021 "Importance of Play In PK-3"-25 Registered DE hasn't responded yet to help with Marketing.
 - Flier that was sent to the members---Help to Market this.
 - Michelle will share with Teacher Prep Program-no cost to attend
 - ISEA Early Childhood Task force is steer-heading this conference. Advocacy plans how to have a conversation with stakeholders.
 - IOWA ASCD members connect for free.
- **Update on NIET Partnerships** (Becky & Lou)
 - o NIET Board: Susan Posnanski---ask her to join the board
 - Danielson Group-Cindy Swason would want to partner-match price points
 - o Kim Jones studying new models for Framework: Bettendorf looking at NEIT/Danielson/Marzano
 - October 5, 6, and 7, 2021 Instructional Framework:
 - Good feedback. Attended by Superin./Principals/Inst. leaders/Curriculum Leaders/Teachers/Teams/Aea reps-267-Central Rivers & Dianne; at least 17 districts represented. (no DE support)
 - November 8, 2021 Deep Dive: (FFA Center) Instructional Framework indicators, with a focus on Presenting Instructional Content, Thinking, and Problem Solving.
 - Meeting with Bobby Cox the contact to discuss.
 - Need 50 registrations. May reschedule for Jan (Standards/Instu Content)
 - Move to later to advertise.
 - January 25 and 27: Standards and Objectives for instruction
 - This is presently being considered for two virtual opportunities.



- <u>Update on Summer Academy</u> (Lou/Becky)
 - Exploring possibility of having Hamish Brewer
 - Geared Toward Principals-SAI Partnership:
 - o Book Relentless: Changing Lives by Disrupting the Educational Norm
 - As a keynote speaker with breakouts around topics important to principals (e.g., instructional frameworks, SAI principals of the year, principals as coaches, principals as leaders of learning)
- <u>Update on Higher Education</u> (Randy Peters and Michelle Krogulski)
 - Randy will leave the board at the end of the year. (recommended replacement MattTownsley or Denise Schares)
 - The Iowa Association of Colleges for Teacher Education's (IACTE) Fall conference October
 - IACTE holds virtual sessions to support teacher education in Iowa. Share ideas for collaboration
 - Recent collab: joint advisory team-AEA Mentoring Team and IACTE representatives-beganlast winter.
- Update on Plan for Curriculum Leads:
 - Summer 2021 Academy-based on three areas that are foundational to serving as a curriculum lead.
 - Sept 7 planning meeting-ways to improve-have new and veteran sessions;
 - Change the structure-Strand 1-overview/introduction; 2nd strand for veterans-extensions of Strand 1.
 - Maintain contact with participation: Sent-Oct/Next-Jan
 - The Source—every month do a simple survey to help ID topics of interest under the KSAB-8 functions to generate topics for July, 2022.
 - July 20-21, 2022 at FFA Center.
 - Three strands: Survey or Overview sessions, Going Deeper Sessions, and Special Topics. Sessions will occur in all 8 functions.
 - Planning team starts in November-let Kevin know if you want to stay on.
- Update on Iowa Department of Education (Lora Rasey) No update DE has postponed all state-wide planning meetings of TLC.
- Update on Partnerships (Lou Howell and Todd Abrahmson)
 - NIET (Lou Howell)
 - ISEA Early Childhood Conference (Cindy Swanson)



• Consensogram Hot Topics 07/12/21

- Think about hot topics that ASCD could write an article/Facebook/workshop. How the topic could be addressed.
- Read through the list---add other topics.
 - (Breakout Room 1) <u>Acceleration</u>---Belin Institute; #4---Post covid---accleated learning to address the learning loss; #8 Data Interpretation-Buckton—how it relates to advocacy and influence; #11 Stand alone or additional resources—not necessarily learning around it.
 - (Breakout Room 2) Added a note on #3 on assessment design---could link to the academy; employee well being needs to be addressed. Future topic—School Board Elections.
 - (Breakout Room 3) Pressing for current times; mental health and self care; Standards based grading---lots of people at the conference; Assessment Data #8 Buckton—examining if we are using the right data in the right context; What we learned from COVID.
 - Rated the top Priorities: Assessment Design/ Data Interpretation with Margaret Buckton/ PLC Refresher Venables' Work/ Standards-Based Grading-Grading Practices/ Restorative Practices/Behavioral Health- Mental Health. (Future Ready Iowa presentation by Brad Neibling—need more info.
 - Life Space Crisis Intervention (LSCI) Training with Danielle Ties---Guidance Counselors-Paul-UEN Counselor board to help market. Work through Paul to see about getting this training set us/Cindy/Becky schedule a meeting with Danielle

• Strategic Action 2: Membership and Communication

- Update on Membership (Tesha Ruley)
 - 548 Members
 - Social Media
 - Twitter (Lou Howell) 3,454 followers
 - Facebook (Becky Martin) 350 followers
 - Website (Becky Martin) updated with The Source resources
 - <u>The Source</u> (Diane Campbell and Lou Howell) Board commits to writing or providing 4 articles. Event Chairperson will write a summary of events. All Board members submit 4. <u>Sign Up</u> Now. One Year membership free.
- Strategic Action 3: Advocacy and Influence (Briana Maschman/Anna Uppa-Lou reported)
 - January Advocacy Leadership and Feb 2nd Advocacy on the Hill (Anna) College Community Room reserved

V. Adjournment (Becky) 7:00 pm

• It was moved by ? and seconded by ? that our meeting adjourn at_____ It was passed unanimously.

Next Meeting: February 1, 2022 - 1:00 - 5:00 P.M.