

CNTA Representative Council Meeting AGENDA
October 18, 2016
4:00 p.m.

I. MEETING CALLED TO ORDER 4:00PM

II. AGENDA APPROVAL and APPROVAL OF MINUTES from 9/20/2016

Kristi Johnson moved to approve agenda, Kristen Porter seconded the agenda. Motion carries. Martha Santos moved to approve the minutes with corrections and Kristen Porter seconded the motion. Motion passed.

III. REPORTS

a. President's Report

Rep Training, feedback for when elicited, email Julie with your preference.

Discussed article for the CTA newsletters' article on Cite Reps.

Contracts are at the print shop, hard copies will be ponied to the sites

Open enrollment: October 10th-Nov 4th

Catastrophic leave enrollment aligns with open enrollment; we need new members we are at 40% down from 90% in the past.

Reviewed helpful reminders of who to access if you have questions, the chart will be emailed to the reps

b. Vice President's Report

ELD/ELA adoption, 1st set for elementary is completed.

Benchmark roll out meeting occurred.

ESSA training/LCAP training has occurred.

School Site visits occurred.

c. Treasurer's Report

Balance sheet: Unrestricted funds are at 181,336.40

New dues for July or August

Building expenses: 30.76%

Personnel Expenses: 28.87%

Bills are being paid on time and overall we are under budget.

Audit will be occurring in November 16-18th, reports will be coming based on that audit in the future.

Question: Colby Earnest asked the treasurer for the amount of money it costs for the conference, in San Francisco, for people who attended?

Answer: We do not have specifics. There is an accounting for the budget for conferences & trainings in the treasurer report, but Omar will get the specifics for her.

Question: Why is our conference expenses over budget?

Answer: The budget is not reflected due to grants, because the money has not come back to us as of yet.

Question: Why is our Uniserve amount is not accurate in the budget?

Answer: Our new budget is not reflective of our new Uniserve member Elisa, she costs less than our old Uniserve representative, since she is a less experienced.

d. Directors' Reports will be given at the end of breakout session

Angela Thomas (Support Service Director)

Nurses are concerned about their caseload, they were promised 2 new nurses and this did not occur

Councilors concerned about using Q for scheduling

HS teachers were not able to have IEP meetings because they couldn't get Admin SDC/RSP possibly do some of the psych testing

APE teachers concerns about clinic meetings

Speech is under staffed, no bilingual assessors, only assessments are English only

Concerns about communication in SPED

Pre-school is concerned about changes in placements

Listening Session on November 1st 3:30-5:00 for the SPED task force, at CNTA

SPL meeting with the cabinet and Dr. Lynn will occur in the next few weeks

Tonya Spencer (Elementary K-3 Director)

Login issues with the computers, 3rd grade especially

VID labs are having issues

Reader by 9 was discussed

Teachers are stressed about assessment, district is aware of the situation

District is not helping getting class size reduced

Teachers are frustrated.

Jennifer DeVries (Elementary 4-6 Director)

Teachers are being pulled out a lot for numerous things

Would like to open up the sub window
AVID concerns will be addressed at specific schools
CEC, smaller break outs would & like vertical articulation
Discussed the possibility of pushing back conferences back on the calendar
Discussed putting the elementary schools on the same calendar (semesters/Trimesters)
as high schools

Jerry Goar (Intermediate Director)

Discussed who's in charge of scheduling?
Rainey problems with class size and changing from 6-7 periods
Issues with computers, licensing
ACP asking for additional help
Question: Is there a limit to the number of days you can be removed from class?
Answer: You can refuse to attend scheduled meetings during the work day.
Answer: Can asked to get paid, that you are not scheduled to work.

Chris Rodriguez (Secondary Director)

Concerns about PSTA, informed not given on a timely manor
Extra duties & equitability
PLC Centennial: The first Wednesday is a collaborative decision, the rest are team
decision
IEP, problems with no admin
Push out Progress Reports after the 4th week
Please share directors email address for question, concerns and information
LCAP committee: They are using the super intendants advisory committee to get
insight to how the money is being spent. Start talking to your committee person and
share your opinions.

IV. NEW BUSINESS

a. *PAC Update/Candidate visits/Phone banking*

Chad Willardson spoke.
Dr. Jose Lalas spoke.

Please sign up for the last 3 days for phone banking: October 25, 26, Nov.1
from 4-7PM

Halloween postcards are going out

b. *Food drive/Toy drive/ Holiday events*

Food Drive is occurring now.

Holiday event either in lieu of the meeting or after the meeting.

c. *CNTA Committees/Sign-up sheets*

Please sign up, you have one more month to sign up.

d. *CEC, DLT, CALTURN, Rutgers Survey*

Julie wanted feedback for the CEC night and your thoughts on the night & if you'd like to do it again.

CALTURN event occurred, the largest that has ever occurred.

DLT didn't meet this month.

CEC October 10th and 11th evening with reps and admin.

Rutgers survey, please complete the survey if you haven't already

Betsy Jara wants to differentiate with DIS providers and teachers in the survey.

e. *Report cards, Avid, Reader by 9, CELDT Update*

District and Union has been in communication.

CELDT testing is changing to January next year.

Possible changing conference week from week 12 to week 13, to look at in the contract

Meg E'amato, TSA at the district, spoke about the AVID program, TSA for all levels of AVID.

Amber Dodds, TSA at the district, spoke about Reader by 9 initiative, it is for grades 1&2, will be implemented in K&3 in the future.

f. *Textbook adoption/Supplemental Materials Update*

Talked about during VP report.

As a teacher you can use any supplemental material you want without permission.

You need C&I approval if you want to district to provide 10 or more books.

g. *LCAP Update*

We had 13-14 more teachers included in LCAP, will be meeting again later this month

Motion to Extend the time: Motion Passed

h. *Site Rep. Award Nominations*

Nominate your reps please.

i. *San G & State Council*

State council is meeting Saturday/Sunday. Everyone is invited, but RSVP

951 890.4520 (San G office)

Ethnic Minority leadership development & training at the Mission Inn for February 17th
and 18th.

V. ADJOURNMENT

Motion to adjourn, Motion passed.