

WEST GENESEE TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION



MONTHLY MEETING OF THE WGTA CABINET Wednesday, September 22, 2010

MINUTES of the monthly meeting of the WGTA Cabinet held on Wednesday, September 22, 2010, at the WGTA Office, Camillus, N.Y. 13031.

I. The meeting was *called to order* by John Christian at 3:44 P.M.

II. Cabinet Members Present:

Executive Officers:

John Christian
Sue Giannini
Andrea Moore
Danielle Tuttle
Bonnie Young
Michelle Lepak

Camillus Middle School:

Dave Crawford
Lisa Tamiso

East Hill:

Janet McDonald
Heather Thome

Onondaga Road:

Ginny Madden
Allyson Winters

Split Rock:

Melanie Callahan
Janet Campbell

Stonehedge:

Terry Lindsey
Courtney Lyons
Christine Rust

West Genesee
Middle School:
Mary Weaver
Jennifer Dee
Susan Gibbons

West Genesee
High School:
Pat Andino
Mary Gotham
Theresa Mosey
Patti Sullivan
Margie Thiele

Past President:

Mike Cost

III. Secretary's Report — Michelle Lepak reported:

- A. The minutes were adjusted and accepted as read.

IV. Treasurer's Report — Bonnie Young reported:

- A. Balance on hand is estimated at \$24,570.99.
- B. The Treasurer's Report was filed as submitted.

V. President's Report — John Christian reported:

- A. The Fall Fling will be on Thursday, October 14, 2010 at McNamaras.
- B. Michelle will send the cabinet members an email regarding future meeting dates.
- C. Elementary buildings will be looking at the possible future use of agendas/planners.

- D. Summer workshops are always optional. Some elementary teachers that did not attend summer workshops have been asked to take the workshops in the fall. John will look into payment options for those who attend.
- E. John reminded everyone to make sure they make a tangible copy of any emails or notes you sent to the Special Education department as well as emails you send with requests.
- F. Open portal for Mygradebook began in both middle schools on September 17, 2010.

VI. Committee Reports

A. Teaching Center – Sue Giannini reported:

- 1. The Teaching Center is operating on approximately \$37,500. They have secured money from local funds, courses, and student teachers from S.U.
- 2. The Teaching Center is hoping for funding for Pet Projects and Action Research Projects.
- 3. All forms are now on the Teaching Center website and are paperless.
- 4. There are Energy workshops available. Sign up for them through “go sign me up.”
- 5. No summer workshops ran. If funding becomes available they will be held this school year.

VII. Building Leader Reports

- 1. Items discussed included VOTE/COPE inquiries of what people contribute, pay day and jean day for a cause, principals and teachers met at Stonehedge, AIS services have not started at a couple elementary schools, computer based report cards for elementary buildings, PLC forms, John has been visiting all buildings, Deep Freeze during Open House at CMS, security camera questions, AIS class size inquiries, Summer School substitutes, Novanet, PLC dates .

VIII. New Business

- A.** John suggested in the future throwing a “Congrats on Tenure” pizza party and an end of semester gathering instead of a Christmas party.

- B.** MOTION: Ginny Madden.

MOVED that Christa Procopio be appointed to the Building Shared Decision Making Committee at Onondaga Road.

The motion was SECONDED by: Allyson Winters.

The motion was PASSED by: Unanimous voice vote.

MOTION: Jen Dee.

MOVED that Brian Ramsden be appointed to the Building Shared Decision Making Committee at West Genesee Middle School.

The motion was SECONDED by: Mary Weaver.

The motion was PASSED by: Unanimous voice vote.

MOTION: Terry Lindsey.
MOVED that Colleen Foley Emmons be appointed to the Building Shared Decision Making Committee at Stonehedge.

The motion was SECONDED by: Christine Rust.
The motion was PASSED by: Unanimous voice vote.

MOTION: Janet McDonald.
MOVED that Jen Wrobleski, Gretchen Waters, and Azadeh Schueler be appointed to the Building Shared Decision Making Committee at East Hill.

The motion was SECONDED by: Danielle Tuttle.
The motion was PASSED by: Unanimous voice vote.

IX. The meeting was adjourned at 5:12 P.M.

Submitted by:
Michelle Lepak, WGTA Secretary