

WDEA SITE REP MEETING MINUTES

Date 10.10.2024

WHS Library 4-5:15 pm

Attendance:

President: Susanna Pheffer Vice President: Diane Hardie

Secretary: Catherine Miroballi Treasurer: Corey Lewis

Site Reps: Alt Ed: Diana Rudesill **Mattie:** Callie Lombardi (absent), Sharon Pariani, Karen Winter **Brooks:** Stephanie Browning, Natalie Dye, Cherie Melchiori, **CCLA:** Maggie Coshnear, Joel Rosas, Anne Rasmussen(absent) **Absent:** Aida Herrera **WMS:** Katie Coursey, Janet Mulligan, Erica Metz **WHS:** Beth Colagrossi, Emma Donoho, Julie Forrest, Dana Grant, Hanan Jibarah (absent), Lorie Lucas (absent), Nadine McKoy, Anne Ryan

Agenda

The meeting was called to order at 4:04 p.m.

Changes to the Agenda- None. Approve the Agenda- Approved.

Approval of minutes- change "Mesothelioma" to "Asbestos".

President Report: Reminder: Open Enrollment for The Standard.

<https://sites.standard.com/cta/justforyou>

CTA Welcome New Members event:

<https://www.ctamemberbenefits.org/Life-Events/New-Member-Resource-Center>

NEA- Mike Thompson is our US House rep-NEA is lobbying the House to repeal WEP Finance Training Session from CTA- District Budget. (canceled due to lack of sign-ups)

Thomas R. Brown Athletics Grant- \$1,000.00 CalCasAthletics.com

Negotiations: PLT- Jeremy wants to focus work hours negotiations on PLCs, They want to discuss Benefits. WDEA would like to discuss Class Size, Teaching Conditions Conditions (Safety)

Budget for New Members: There are CTA grants for member engagement which can be used for events and prizes at the meetings - Information is available at cta.org.

Changes to the Agenda- None.

Old Business:

1. **Funding for conferences - Discussion: It's expensive. What budget should we have for members to send them to conferences? Orange County Conference Anaheim in July 2025. CTA Conference [Summer Institute](#)**
2. **Site Rep Training- [Slideshow Link](#) Make sure to BCC other members so they can't "reply all." Representation, Weingarten Rights, Site-Based Events,**
3. **Site Meetings- Fill in when your staff meeting is so the WDEA President can attend.**
4. **School Board Member Endorsement- Bill Adams is endorsed.**
5. **MWE Site Issues- Paper delivery, new SEL curriculum, Superintendent is aware.**

Treasurer's Report:

Treasurer's Report - Oct. 4, 2024			
Previous Balance	9/4/2024		\$26,605.59
Transactions		Deposit	\$0.00
		Charge	\$32.00
		Checks	\$13,072.08
Balance	10/4/24	TOTAL	\$13,501.51

Action Items:

- 1. Conferences and other CTA Events- Tabled.

Discussion Items:

- 1. Educators United For Student Success- Coalition from the East Bay to work on agreed-upon floors to negotiations. Coalition unions agree not to settle below the floors before going to an impasse. #wecantwait Statewide Coalition.
- 2. Post-school board election aspirations- Bill Adams - Susanna to reach out monthly to all school board members for monthly coffee and conversation.

Site Concerns:

Mattie Washburn: Things are looking up. We can work on organizing to support Mattie's Staff.

Brooks: Nothing.

Cali: None. We are trying to get a lunchtime meeting together.

WMS: Nothing.

WHS- Retirement Benefits. Healthcare Options- only a few options. **CBT- Retirees** are paying more.

WOA: Nothing.

WBPL: Nothing.

Motion to end the meeting: The meeting was adjourned at 5:21 p.m.

For the next meeting: Elementary Independent Study MOU for creating Independent Study work when students leave class?

November Meeting: Thursday 11/14/2024 at WHS Library 4:00 p.m.