SNAE Business Meeting

Saturday April 29, 2014

San Diego California

San Diego Convention Center, Meeting Room 22 Upper Level

The SNAE meeting was called to order by SNAE President Lynne Horoschak at 2:00 PM

Attendance sheets were passed for completion.

Attendees: Daniel Humphrey, Dillon Sedar, Linda H. Poling, Christine Gorbach, Cynthia Hersch, Kathryn Kubofcik, Nelson R. Morris, Michelle Kraft, Donalyn Heise, Katie Murphy, Rande Blank, Barbara Suplee, Peter Geisser, Sharon Malley, Meg R. Hoffecker, Beverly Gerber, Susan Loesl, Adrienne Hunter, Lynda A. Braff, Justine (Tina) Menghetti, Jennifer Kowitt, Kathryn R. Barels, Viera Bakova, Lisa Kay, Lynne Horoschak, Juli Dorff, Jo Viviani, Joe Parsons

President Lynne recognized President Elect Juli Dorff, Secretary Joe Parsons and newly appointed Treasure Lynda

Announcements were made:

SNAE Awards Ceremony Sunday 1PM Room 28 D and a following dinner at La Fiesta’s just up the street from the Convention Center at 7PM.

The second Business Meeting will be on Monday at 4PM Room 21 Upper Level.

Secretary’s Report. Joe presented the minutes from the SNAE 2013 meetings held in Ft Worth Texas. Members viewed the power-point presentation and noted corrections (primarily name spellings).

A motion made to accept section 1 of the minutes, with corrections, was made by Barb and seconded by Lynda. Motion Approved

A motion by Lynne to accept part 2 of the minutes, with corrections, was made, seconded, and approved.

Lynne made a request for a volunteer to take the minutes during the Monday SNAE meeting as Joe would not be available. Adrienne accepted the responsibility.

The agenda was posted for view

Old Business:

CEC: Beverly Gerber. Beverly identified CEC for the members noting it’s 90 year existence and the inclusion of all exceptionalities, newly adding an ‘Arts in Special Education” topic area. Recently there were 30 submissions in that topic area. With 15-20 being accepted as ½ hour poster sessions (looking for full hour slots). Beverly noted that one does not have to be a member to submit proposals. The proposal due date for 2015 is May 7th 2014, and the convention will be in San Diego in 2015. This year CEC is in Philadelphia is having a full day pre- convention recognition of Beverly’s et. al. book on Autism. This is only the 2nd time in CEC history that they have devoted a whole day to Art Education. Beverly also spoke about CEC’s “wwwSmart Brief” on line and access to the information available to all. Also there is “CEC Community” with various topics. (copies to Secretary). Beverly also noted that next year there will be a division of Visual and performing Arts in CEC.

President Lynne then requested a review of the SNAE Bi-Laws as they are 10 years old. Lynne sited two areas, consistency in language and some content (to be discussed on Monday). A technical glitch caused the tabling of this review until Monday’s meeting.

VSA: Sharon Malley Arts Special Education Consultant for the JFK Center for the Performing Arts In Washington D.C.. Sharon discussed the availability of lesson plans, volume 2 coming over the title of arts and intersection. Beverly noted a NAEA Supersession on Monday on the first Intersections Book.

AATA - Adaptive Arts Therapy Association: Sue Loesl. Sue first spoke about the American Art Therapy Association with its national convention in San Antonio TX July 9-15 2014. Here there is a melding of art therapists and art teachers. The website is arttherapy.org.

Sue also spoke about The Expressive Media Summit. IN this venue an attendee will mix and collaborate with all arts components, i.e. music, dance, visual etc. (8 countries/200 presenters). This fall in NY-NY Nov. 6-9. The workshops are all over the area not in 1 building. Autism will be discussed. Website - expressivetherapy2004.org.

Delegates Assembly: Donalyn Heise. Donalyn spoke about the benefits of being a delegate. Positions are reviewed every three years. She listed the position statements currently being reviewed in the assembly and available on-line: Mascot based, STEAM Based Education, Visual Literacy-Common Core, Physical Safety, Class Size 20-25 students, Ethical Use of Copywrite Material, Diversity & Visual Arts Education and revisited position statements including Graduation Requirements, Community Collaborations, Freedom of Speech, Pre-K Teacher Evaluation, Scheduling Time, Funding for resources for the Visual Arts. Visual Arts as a Core Academic Subject, Pre-service Education and Higher Education and Professional Development. Donalyn expressed the importance of these position statements related to our employment issues.

President Lynne discussed the new issue of dues for SNAE. There is now a publication that explains SNAE and it dues structure. Lynne also explained how the dues are accounted for.

President Lynne referenced Nancy Lambert as the past membership coordinator and identified Ryan Patton as her replacement. Ryan will assist us with our membership announcements.

President Lynne recognized Dan Humphrey who has updated our SNAE website. Lynne made a request that if our members have anything of interest to submit them to her for our website. Juli continued to recognize Dan as the New Professional Art Educator of the Year award recipient from NAEA.

President Lynne adjourned the meeting at 2:58 PM

Respectfully submitted,

Joseph A. Parsons

Secretary SNAE