

March 26, 2009 OIEA Minutes Rough Draft

Lewis and Clark College

6:00

Welcome: Alison Ball

Invocation: David West

Alison stated that next board meeting should talk about

-Minutes, seahdom moved, delphine seconded. As corrected. Approved. By all present

-Urbana Treasure report will given at elections

-Seahdom, Ruth-OIEA Conference update- Agendas passed out. Acknowledge and thank all of the conference committee. Met every week since January or February. Late decision led to late presentations being turned in. They added a twist, Saturday will be a round table discussion by various members of planning committee and report back to larger group to enhance larger discussions throughout the year. Major change made was the Arts and Ideas Fund, of Lewis and Clark offered to pay for one of the meals. One meal will be no host due to lack of funding. Another addition, March Point, film, produced by Longhouse Media rights were bought to show to OIEA conference attendees. Facilitation guide was given to OIEA conference as a means to bring current events and to facilitate conversations in class room in a way in which to honor everyone's views. Dave auctioneer. Evaluation form developed by Cornel. It uses qualitative and quantitative. It is purple.

-Nomination update: Report by Delphine, 8 nominations for different catagories. 7 catagories. Missing student, 2 for higher education, 1 for elder, 1 teacher, parent. Juliana said the old form. Delphine suggested using a generic form that would meet the deadline. Indian educator, administrator, Indian parent, Indian elder, teacher, counselor, outstanding student, outstanding volunteer. Discussion held in regard to who will be nominated for missing catagories.

Cheyenne Olsen nominated for outstanding student, Saulk and Fox

Ruth agreed to put names on forms by noon tomorrow.

Nominated Counselor of the year Christine Murphy –Juliana will fill out form

Outstanding volunteer-Evonne Wickhander-attends every meeting for family literacy. Very active.ruth will Se-ah-dom was also nominated.

Administrator, Pat Burke and Emelio and Tom Ball

Elder-Delphine

-Jim Thornton-7 nominations. Tabled until general assembly.

-Youth conference update- Teddy-Klamath will do it next year. Dean Azule and Tbita will do it at PSU. Flyer and registration handed out. Tentative agenda. May 1-2, 2009.

-Elections and Tribal appointments for odd year.

President, secretary, student rep, Jackson county, Portland north, ask Judy if she still wants to do it, Conf tribe of Siletz, Eugene, Cow creek, Coquille, Klamath, Burns P, Klamath county, Coos currie, Florence-Lynn Anderson, At large-pat Darcey (who is ill), At large-Trinity.

Open general assembly to elect 12 new people.

-OIEA reports and updates-

Mascot-Letter sent out by Pres. Ball to Susan Castillo. Reviewed by General Board. Discussion held.

-Ambassador training –presentations for conference, six attended the Executive board meeting for the training. Great for an orientation training.

-Committee Reports

1. Special Ed Committee is now official by Alison Ball, Christine Bruno is rep-Special ed law will be presented at the conference. Parent leadership. Panel style John Edmo is doing a student panel and her two boys. Conference June 15-16th. Brochures at conference. OIEA has 6K to spend before end of year. Can use these for scholarships. Albuquerque, NM and EPIC is native run organization who works with youth and family with special needs. Oregon or Washington may be next year. Regional meetings might take place.

2. Delphine- Several OIEA members were involved at the Gathering. Raised 272.00 from raffle.

3. Youth conference will use OIEA banner-Urbana will bring it or make more.

4. Program check-in

Roseburg-Maintenance Director is klinkit and helps out with spitir. New counselor is also native. Parent night was opened with school band and a Native drum. Plus jingle dance.

Warm Springs Program-Getting ready for graduation and boarding school kids. Credit recovery class going. GED class is filled up every day. Consistent attendance by students. 4 Graduated through credit recovery class. Higher ed kids are doing good. Tom Ball will be nominated as Indian administrator.

OsU- Working with students who are struggling with clarifying the plans for a new Longhouse. All last year the architect came in and the plans were changed, money amounts changed, back to working with administrators to where they are with the longhouse. Renee RomanNose got a job at Northwest Indian College-OSU grad.

Ruth-Rosemarie VanDyk wanted to have her daughter teach hip hop. The second class will be on March 31st. In January they had the dance class with Financial Aid night.

Haley Dumar, An Indian Honors student volunteered time and so the student started a student volunteer group. 12 people came to first meeting. Second meeting will be April 1st. Native youth flute ensemble. Two parents wrote grant and bought 10 flutes. Now Cheyenne is teaching the flute to other students. Volunteers are working really hard

Reynolds-Title VII numbers going up. Out of tutoring money already. One of their students was on TV. Her son was involved with the Confluence Project. There was a school component and their school was selected. Art projects are all installed and planting is being done. The tv station came out and interviewed her son speaking about his Native American culture. As a little guy he didn't speak and now he speaks on tv. She cried. Channel KOIN 6.com on line. Generation Green.

Calendar Connections by Julianna is on line.

Ev-

Springfield-Not much

Allison-Sapsikwala 9 accepted students and four on waiting list. 14 cohort on list with three remaining. Native language component is a struggle but they are working on it. Seahdom has a great idea and they may partner. COE tenure line position is open at UO. Three applicants have been interviewed. Willard Gilbert, Hopi; Hanes Ryder at NAU Critical Race Theory, Critical Tribal Theory, Marko Pavel, Skokomish from Washington. Very prestigious panel of applicants. Bring on board in the fall.

Ruth brought up scheduling two years ahead of time the conference. Some suggestions were: Umatilla, Seahdom will create a spread sheet to show how the money comes in and then make decision about how to pay for the following year. The decision to raise the cost of membership to cover the cost of food may be needed. Fund raisers may need to take place

Announcements-

Quarterly meetings-Exec board at 9 and gen board at 10-3:30 July 10, Eugene

October 2, 2209 in Salem at State Office

January 15, 2010 Portland, L&C

Next meeting Conference in March

