



West Genesee Teachers' Association

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Cabinet Meeting Minutes

March 13, 2019 4pm

I. Roll Call: 4:05

<u>Executive Officers</u> John Mannion Dawn Personte Jeanine Stables Mary Gotham	<u>East Hill</u> Janet McDonald Heather Thome	<u>Split Rock</u> Melanie Callahan Kim Grome	<u>WGMS</u> Mary Beth Smith Mary Weaver Matt Bolha Dee Fitzpatrick
	<u>Onondaga Road</u> Kathy Gauthier Kristen Hudson	<u>Stonehedge</u> Stephanie Skardinski	
<u>CMS</u> Dale Keida Sharon Bush Jamie Abdo	<u>High School</u> Chris Paoli Craig Dowler Rob Manipole		Molly Devaney Theresa Mosey

II. Secretary's Report (Jeanine Stables)

- a. Minutes from February were reviewed for accuracy. Motion to accept minutes as written by Molly Devaney. Seconded by Stephanie Skardinski. Minutes accepted.

III. President's Report (John Mannion)

- a. Committee of 100- John went. Some of discussions with legislators were:
 Issue: unsure of funding, so unsure if we have money to support our budget
 Issue: legislation to protect our privacy by protecting our personal information from people trying to discourage union membership, encourage members to leave their unions.
 Issue- no more news on APPR clarification
- b. OCTA- John attended monthly meeting.
- c. Elections- we will be holding our elections, including executive officers' two-year terms. Elections will be late May/early June. If people are interest in running, let us know
- d. Board Elections: We have interviewed two candidates. Paperwork is now available and must be handed in by April 21. Our plan is to endorse these people. And assist them in their campaign, including soliciting NYSUT member that live in the district. Also possible use of volunteers, for phone banking to NYSUT members.
- e. Sick Leave Bank- applications go through a committee for approval. We will be looking to clarify use of sick bank time for maternity leave under our next contract.

IV. Treasurer's Report (Mary Gotham)

- a. Financials- under insurance- 1500 credit comes after repeated attempts to correct inaccurate billing on workers comp. Well done Mary,

V. Vice President's Report (Mike Perkins)

- a. At the last SLC
 - clarification of process for how we approve subs for the district.
After discussion, our new approach to SLC for when we feel we are not getting anywhere, we will bring the issue up at open forum at the board of ed.
 - ST and lack of space- Mr. Sheido clearly acknowledged we have a big problem and the idea of redistricting needs to be brought up again

VI. Vice President for Negotiations (Dawn Personte)

- a. Health and Safety Conference excellent conference gave lots of information on improving the health and safe of our members. We will be looking to facilitate the formation of building level committees.
- b. Jeans Day collection- A huge thank you for all the donations!

VII. Membership Chair (Matt Bolha)-

- a. We are working in communication with the district to track new employees.

VIII. Building Level Reports

OR- none

EH- gray boxes on report cards??? spelling errors and other problems with report cards that were supposed to be fixed and were not.

ST grade level moves for next year- questions about how many years can they be move

CMS no subs!!!!

WGMS questions about data going from 5th to 6th grade at the end of the year

HS people complaining about referrals being ignored

Wet hall ways are extremely dangerous. People are getting hurt.

Navigate prepared issues- continued questions- plus how much are we paying for this is it effective when not everyone is using it.

Motion to adjourn by Dawn Personte and seconded by Chris Paoli

Meeting adjourned at 5:25pm

