

NCTE STANDING COMMITTEE 'C' MINUTES

Standing Committee: Committee 'C'

Date: May 31, 2019

Location: Hawthorne Room

The meeting was called to order at _12_ by _ _.

Secretary: Please take attendance and indicate any absences, alternates, or guests.

District	Name	Present/Absent	Designated Alternate Member Present	Guest
6	Bird, Dan	Present		
5	Brown, Sarah	Present		
4	Cook, Tim	Present		
6	Dumas, Chad	Absent		
6	Feinstein, Sheryl	Present		
	Frison, Deborah	Present		
7	Hanson, Rachel	Present		
	Illich, Paul	Absent		
8	Jankovich, Doreen	Present		
5	Kunkel, Ellie	Absent	Stephanie Holmes	
3	Lenihan, Mark	Present		
5	Moss, Donna	Present		
8	Peal, Paula	Present		
6	Rempp, Kass	Absent		
4	Tebbe, Michelle	Present		
8	Truemper, Edward	Absent		

Officers: Chair – Mark Lenihan
 Vice Chair – Paula Peal
 Secretary – Chad Dumas

Business Conducted:

1. Introductions

2. Approval of Standing Committee 'C' Minutes from March 8, 2019 meeting

Jankovich motioned, Cook seconded for approval of minutes. No discussion. Lenihan reported that the Executive Committee will be studying the dyslexia issue at their August meeting.

3. Sign-Up Sheets: Chadron State Folio Review nominations AND Elementary Education Ad Hoc committee nominations - passed around to group

4. **Election of Secretary for 2019-2020, due to resignation. (Should be from the Teachers constituency group to have all groups represented.) NCTE Organizational Policies states: *“The term shall begin August 1 of the same year. In the event of a resignation or vacancy, the Standing Committee shall elect a successor at the next regularly scheduled meeting. The Secretary shall provide a copy of the minutes to NDE within 14 days of the meeting for inclusion in the published minutes of the Council.”***
- Nomination by Jankovich, for Michelle Tebbe to be the secretary; seconded by Brown All in favor- approved.
5. **Discussion: Proposed Orientation and Mobility Special Services endorsement**
- There is a high demand for this endorsement with 800 students in need of services.
 - There are 14 specialists that are mobility and orientation certified. Donna reported most of the students are coming from the metro area.
 - It is 36 credit hours to get the certification. UNL is the only institution that offers the endorsement. Twelve of the hours are online.
 - Discussion about just offering it at UNL can be problematic. Are there agreements with other institutions to accept their courses? Will there be any classes face-to-face? We are advocating for face-to-face classes but concerned about students in western Nebraska.
 - There will be partnerships with Hearing Impaired.
 - To get the “hands on” experience, they need to look at a practicum.
 - T. Coontz came at the end to help us with some of the questions. She said they will be using Zoom to support students. UNL is committed to do as much online as possible. She said they will work with people from other institutions and will work with them on the courses.
6. **Committee Work: What needs to be included for NCTE New Member Orientation? What needs to be included for veteran members? (The Executive Committee has proposed having a Zoom meeting for all new members 1 week – 10 days prior to the October Full Council meeting. Current members may be asked to serve as mentors for new members, as has been done.)**
- Follow up in the spring with new members.
 - Assigning a mentor would be a good idea
 - Over the lunch hour, perhaps an orientation can be done in October.
 - Set up a video of the terms and what to expect.
 - Understanding of who is around the table and how we represent our areas.
 - We need to get to know people--one of us said there should be a retreat for us to get to know each other and learn the rules.
 - Retreat on what CAEP is all about.
 - State Board of Education could be invited to a retreat. Discussion was NCSA and NACTE might be willing to put in funds.

7. Discussion: Professional Practices presentation at first General Session.

- Positive feedback and some of the colleges have used the videos.

8. Discussion: Chadron State College Year-Long Clinical Practice Experience

- Positive feedback, it sounds like it was a very successful year.
- Liked the idea that they could sub 8 days a month.
- Putting theory into practice, real time.
- Using the word “intern” was a wonderful idea.
- Don mentioned that he had a video that he would send it out to whoever was interested.

9. Adjourn

Standing Committee Recommendations for presentation to Full Council:

Minutes submitted by: