

New Haven Teachers Association/CTA/NEA

Representative Council Meeting

Wednesday, November 3rd, 2010

I. Call to Order Pace Lash, Vice-President

4:01 pm

II. Additions to the Agenda

- A. *Motion:* Adopt the Agenda. Moved: Vince Rosato, seconded: Penny Johnson, all in favor.

III. Approval of the Minutes Jennifer Carini

- A. *Motion:* Approve the Minutes of October 6th, 2010. Moved: Vince Rosato, seconded: Gerri Bodine, all in favor.

IV. NHTA Executive Director Nicole Love

Nothing today

V. Information/Action Items (30 minutes) Pace Lash

- A. Election 2010 Results - Linda Canlas and Sarabjit Cheema are our new board members; prop 25 passed, thank you to everyone who helped and especially the organizing and PAC teams
- B. Upcoming outreach activities - Sat Dec. 4th - Toys for Tots drive

VI. School Reports

AE: getting ready for the ILT walk, there is stress about it...

EAS: had first SBDM meeting with leaders today

EM: nothing

HVC: faculty meeting falls on the same week as conferences...these dates are set by the district, not by sites

KIT: not here

PIO: wish their principal didn't have to be away so much; 1st grade has been told they have to do NWEA testing when they had been previously told that they wouldn't have to do it because of the late start; is there any news on the ILT monies for elementary schools?

SEA: trying to acquire green bins for organic waste; yard signs for Abanico and Cheema can be returned here

AMS: nothing

CCMS: nothing

CCHS: had a member with leukemia that, now that we have qualified for open enrollment for The Standard,

LOG: had an ILT walk and it was very positive; the calendar is a big topic

CAB: not here

VII. Officer Reports

A. President Charmaine Kawaguchi

1. Grievance and arbitrations - level 1 at Logan - scheduling problem with one teacher
2. CTA Human Rights Award - Please Apply

B. Vice-President Pace Lash

Bargaining survey - please complete it as it will be very helpful to the bargaining team.

C. Treasurer Jeff Ustick

Motion: approve the Treasurer's report. Moved: Paul Stickland, seconded: Jennifer Carini, all in favor.

VIII. Committee Reports

A. Human Rights Patsy Lockhart

There are CTA scholarships ranging from \$3000 - \$5000; there are Cesar Chavez and Martin Luther King awards; there is an ethnic minority

reception on 11/30 in Oakland at the Marriott - if you have not received an electronic invitation we will get one to you

B. Contract Tidbit Rodana Breen

The bargaining team has been meeting as a group; will be meeting a few times in November; will talk about calendar survey results; collaboration team will be meeting to tighten up language for the contract; please take the survey!

IX. CTA - Unconscious Bias Training (75 minutes) Gail Watts

<http://implicit.harvard.edu>

X. Announcements

XIII. Adjournment

Moved and seconded at 5:45 pm.

Respectfully,

Jennifer Carini

NHTA Secretary