Spring 2016

Meeting Minutes

DECTFL Board Meeting

Present:
Andrea Lacombe, Gina Travalini Rubini, Patty Busby, Julie Finley O'Connor, Kate Dougherty, Tracey Kackley, Yaz Waters, Holly Schnittger

Topics covered:

$100 award with 2 yeAr free membership, honorary member for two years

Andes volunteered to fill the position for the Advocacy committee: discussed Diana's letter to ACTFL and to whom NDE needs to send said letter

The next meeting will be at Party's on June 16th whereupon Andea will share thoughts regarding ACTFL letter

Patty-Social committee: New prices, committees will present budget to Chris in June.
T-shirt contest...students create a t- shirt with a saying, logo, colors. Yaz will look into t- shirt prices
Patty and Gina discussed PD budget. $200 per session. Discussed networking events and locations
A motion was passed to allocate $1,100 for networking and giveaways for the year ( Patty)
Gina- PD budget for immersion weekend. Co-chairs, Yaz and Andea

Spring PD...May 6/13? Budget $400. $20 for non members. Topics: infographics part 2, best practices for 90% TL

EIN (merchant number) has been updated

$5 membership increase next year

Kate is willing to work on email contacts, including private schools

NEWSLETTER ITEMS:

May networking wine event, Painted Stave May 7, $5 for membership ears, $10 non members

Watch out for TOY/AOY applications due mid September. Looking for teachers for the 2015-2016 school year. The winner will be asked to speak at the following awards ceremony at the annual banquet (Thursday, October 6th)

Julie- NYC TRIP (Modern Museum of Art), November 12th for DECTFL members and guests. Pricing busses-DE express. Tentative meet at the mall

Jennifer- scholarship winners as per votes: Teacher Ryan Allen. Student Taylor Lee. Gina will contact the winners as to where/ how to get award money

The next annual banquet will be Thursday, October 6th, from 5-8pm-Holly
Vista higher learning will be sponsoring...Will they pay for open bar/cocktail hour?

The DECTFL conference on March 18th was a huge success! A big THANK YOU to Gina Travalini, Jenn Short, Patty Busby and all other DECTFL members who held to make this a success