

2018 Summer Inservice
Committee Minutes



Professional Improvement

Chair: Alan Willmore

Committee Members Present: **Bolded attended multiple committee meetings*

Alan Willmore

Stacie Reid

Renee Peugh

Casey Sanders

Logan Kotar

Joe Brown

Kya Vines

Tom Clifton

Kirt Martin

Kattlyn Wolf

Andrew Nelson

Non-Voting Members Present:

Cameron Flaming

Anna Pratt

RyAnna Meacham

Secretary: Kya Vines

Business:

Note: Be sure to include who from your committee will be responsible for motions/activities and committee business.

1. Approval of Minutes: Kya moved to approve seconded by Stacie Reid
2. Review of Action Items:
 - a. Teacher Tool Kit - IQPS items were not added. It was put on the website instead.
 - b. Editable Version of the Tool Kit has not been provided.
3. 2018 October Inservice-Topic Ideas/Trainings/Locations:
 - a. Trent Vanluven will host a one day aquaculture workshop
 - b. Alan Heikkila will host a 3 day weekend workshop for small gas engines
 - c. Troy Bird hopefully will do a meat science workshop again- Alan Willmore will talk with him.
 - d. How to incorporate virtual tours in the classroom - Google expeditions
4. 2019 Summer Inservice-Location Proposals:
 - a. Jerome is offering to host next year. Chobani, glanbia, commercial creamery, dairies, dairy equipment manufacturing, clear springs food (nutrition and aquaculture), clif bar, Moss Greenhouse, Norco, and other various industry tours. Jerome High School would be the meeting location.

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CSI offered to do a workshop for a weld bender. Best Western is large enough to host everyone in Jerome.

- b. Casey Sanders moved that Jerome be recommended to host the 2019 summer inservice. Renee Peugh second.
5. 2019 REACH Conference Workshop Ideas:
- a. This year there is only one workshop for agriculture and it is over AET.
 - b. Next year we suggest we have the following workshops: Clay Wilkey welding from CSI for the welding class for dual credit, Thomas Elpeo from Montana could put on a plant identification workshop. Renee Peugh is getting his contact information to Alan and Casey. In depth training on CDE's that are unpopular in Idaho (poultry). Alan would like to send out a survey for CDE topics. Case workshops? Agl². Metal work from Lewiston summer inservice
6. Audit and Budget:
- a. Create a professional development grant using 50% of the profit from previous years summer IATA conference, with recommendation that it be used for Travel money opportunities. (\$1428.19)
 - b. Ideas unlimited would get \$500 for travel, 50\$ for second place, 3rd is gift.
 - c. Casey Sanders suggested we use money to buy gift cards for workshop presenters. 20 (15\$) gift cards. Seconded.
 - d. Kya Vines suggested that travel funds be given to IATA award winners that do not receive travel money for the award be given money (Outstanding Teacher and Outstanding Young Member). \$500 each to help with attendance to Region I. Seconded.
 - e. Recommended we provide a \$100 gift card to the Website Coordinator. Seconded.
7. CASE State Leader - CASE Advisory Board:
- a. There is an opening for a CASE State Leader from Idaho to be on the CASE Advisory Board. Meetings are held quarterly via a web conference call. A teacher with some experience with the CASE program or a post secondary representative or state division representative is needed to fill this spot. Individuals on the advisory board have influence over how the CASE program is run as well as how CASE can be implemented in their home state. This is a great opportunity for leadership/committee experience and looks great on award applications and resumes! Outgoing case State Leader, Jaysa Fillmore, will let CASE staff know who will be taking over this position. **Alan will bring this up during the committee report.** Recommended people to ask- Cody Porath, Jana Volkens, Marc Beitia, Billy Jo Blackson, Cody Sanders, Katie Cooper.

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8. Ag Teacher database of local supporters committee:
 - a. Anna Pratt moved to create a consulting committee of ag teachers to help create a program or database that makes working with local alumni and supporters easier and more straightforward.
 - b. Kyle Stapleton suggest one teacher from each alumni region serve on a committee to meet with FFA alumni and supporters to figure out how to go about doing this.
 - c. Suggested names: Tom Clifton, Tyler Johnson, Larin Crossley, Steve Wilder, Pat Dixon, Katie Cooper, Marc Beitia, Alan will bring this up during the committee report.
9. Ag Ed Graduate Credentials and Endorsement: Addressing concerns in communication regarding credentials in Ag Education. Students graduating Ag Ed over the next several years will not carry a science endorsement. Dr. Wolf discussed a second option that would include a list of science classes ag teachers can teach and what they cannot example (AP chemistry).

Wording has changed from four credits to six credits in 2017 with out U of Ag Ed Department knowing. A single science teacher from Moscow High School had this changed with without consulting UI. It now reads: Option II -- Must hold an existing endorsement in Agriculture Science and Technology; and complete twenty-four (24) semester credit hours with at least six (6) semester credit hours in each of the following areas: Biology, Chemistry, Earth Science or Geology, and Physics.

Students graduating May 2018 got a verbal confirmation that UI will grandfather these students under the old 4 credit rule to get the Natural Science endorsement.

Dr. Wolf sent a list of classes that should be on this additional certification.

10. IATA Website suggestions:
 - a. We recommend to add a search bar.
 - b. Teacher directory was taken down due to personal info out to the public. We are now going to have a password protected document.
 - c. Chapter results from the past three years (chapter results only no student names)
 - i. Link to judging card
11. Effective planning and communication of committee meetings:
 - a. Keep submitting the items online to the IATA website.
 - b. Stacie Reid suggested that we post the agenda items before inservice so teachers know what the meeting is about.

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- c. Casey moved to create a committee coordinator, chosen by the IATA officer team, to collect and handle all committee items and agendas. Seconded by Stacie. Passed.
- 12. Alan recommend in future we have two universities at inservice for credit. Professional Development Coordinator needs to contact the universities in a timely manner.
- 13. Josette Nebeker would like us to compile a list of ideas of how to work well if the 4-H in your county.
 - a. Utilize or establish MOU for 4-H and FFA for positive working relationship.
 - b. If it needs to be have an extension agent be a mediator with the 4-H.
- 14. Nominations:
 - a. Alan Willmore

2018-2019 Chair: Alan Willmore