

December 7, 2016

Minutes

Attending: David Anton, Sara Axelson, Brad Barker, Adam Kaiser, Audrey Kleinsasser, Joe McCann, Patrice Noel, Shawn Powell, Jim Rose, Danielle Saulsberry, and Claudia Stewart.

- 1. The November 16, 2016, CCW minutes were approved.
- 2. Danielle Saulsberry was welcomed as a new member.
- 3. WSBA trade fair update—Kathy Dolan and Shawn Powell staffed the booth at WSBA and had approximately 50 superintendents and school board members stop by to visit with them. They recommend that we do it again next year.
- 4. Secondary Schools Principals Meeting is on January 23rd in Gillette. Jackie has been in contact with Ken Griffith and we have a table that should be staffed for 2 hours over the lunch hour. Jackie will send out an invitation for people to volunteer to staff it.
- 5. Wyoming Excels session with the Commission in Feb. Jim Rose suggests that Dave Traverso attend the WY Business Alliance with Becca Stienhoff. Jim is not sure about the current planning for the event. There appears to be interest in early childhood and K-12. Jim contacted them last week but has not heard back.
- 6. Marketing. Chris was not available to provide an update. However, he is making arrangements to get the PostUp displays to everyone. It will be critical to get one to Gillette for the January 23rd Secondary School Principal Meeting.
- 7. Regular Updates by Team Members. Everyone thought that adding this as a regular item to the agenda was a positive idea.
 - Joe McCann- He sent everyone the notes from the CCW Partnership Meeting.

 Sara Axelson- She wondered if we were doing enough to build the pipeline from high school to college/university. She's concerned that we might be missing something. Hathaway's focus is on 6th, 7th, and 8th grades to get the conversations started and to keep them going. We have some exciting things going with parents secondary and post-secondary. UW has been doing monthly student calls with admission and financial aid folks and received a favorable response.

 Audrey Kleinsasser- There will be a WY School-Partnership Meeting on Thursday, January 26, from 10-2 pm in Casper at the UWC building. The Partnership will be hosting Spring Transition Meetings every Friday in Casper: 2/3 Writing, 2/10 Life Science, 2/17 World Languages, 2/24

- Social Science, and 4/6-7 Math. The purpose will be to revise the curriculum charts with students being the primary audience.
- 8. Spring meeting—Possible dates are Feb. 7 or 10 in Cheyenne or Laramie. The group thought that the 7th in Cheyenne would probably work the best. We can confirm the date/time and location at the next CCW meeting.

Dates to remember

Legislative Reception, Feb. 8