

PDTA Representative Assembly Meeting Agenda

Monday, February 13, 2017, promptly at 3:30 p.m.

LOCATION: SHS LGI

Present: T. Anderson, ~~C. Bader~~, ~~S. Bielec~~, ~~G. Bischooping~~, M. Brown, B. Burrows, D. Cerbone, K. Chesko, T. Cole, J. DiBrango, C. Doggett, K. Dolan, ~~J. Drake~~, L. Drake, S. Ebert, ~~L. Ehrlich~~, ~~P. Fink~~, C. Foti, K. Grace, M. Hamblin, M. Hellems, ~~K. Jordan~~, S. Kaier-Tuttle, G. Kemp, T. Kennell, B. Kramer, D. Larson, ~~P. LeVan~~, M. Maland, A. Marshall, R. Matthews, L. Mauger, P. Mayer, ~~V. McCutchen~~, D. Nichols, D. Pellegrino, R. Ramesh, B. Regan, K. Roser, H. Schindeler, B. Shafer, J. Shaw, K. Shea, K. Socker, L. Spring, C. Teel, S. Tontarski, S. Warchol, D. Zobel

1. Additions to the Agenda—see president's report
2. Approval of the Minutes
 - a. Representative Assembly – January 2017
 - b. Executive Committee – February 2017
3. Treasurer's Report
4. Old Business
 - a. Seniority lists are out in the buildings. All members must check their seniority and inform building representatives of any discrepancies by **Friday, March 3rd**. A PDTA leadership meeting with HR will be scheduled in the month of March or April.
 - b. Overpayment Recapture: PDTA and the District has finalized a MOA for recapturing funds for potential overpayment. The Association will respond to the district within 10 days if it agrees with the deduction plan or seeks to negotiate an alternative plan. Failure to respond within 10 business days will be deemed agreement of deduction plan.
5. New Business
 - a. Dave Larson to speak about KEEP and asking for a PDTA representative for next year. If anyone is interested in being our representative for KEEP, please contact Dave Larson.
 - b. Monroe County School Calendar: RA voted that the 31st of August be the first day of school for teachers. This recommendation will go forward to the superintendent.
6. Committee Reports – Committee chairs please share any updates.

Public Relations: Please encourage students to apply for the PDTA scholarships. We prefer that the students go into the field of education, but it is not necessary. The scholarship is \$1500 and is awarded to two students (one from MHS and one from SHS)

Legislative Breakfast will be on February 25th at 8am at Burgundy Basin Inn. If you are able to attend, please do. It is free to PDTA members.

7. Special Reports

President:

- BOE: Please keep in mind anyone that could potentially run for the Board of Education. PDTA is always looking for people who are advocates for education to run. President for the Hilton teachers association is also looking for people to run for their Board of Education as well.
- PDTA meetings: Concern from members that PDTA meetings have been very negative. PDTA would like to look at highlighting the positive things that may not be union endorsed, but are things that union members are doing.
 - People's March for Education: Saturday, March 4th at 2pm, Liberty Pole, Rochester.
 - Pro-Public school media campaign: I love public schools because...
- Recommit campaign: Continuing on until June of this year.
 - PDTA wants to know what we are looking at if the fair share fees are no longer required.
 - PDTA also wants to look at creating a pipe-line for filling leadership positions.

- Transition and PDTA Social Media Accounts – Looking for a VOLUNTEER social media coordinator for remainder of the year.
- Election time line was reviewed with the Executive committee. All elections will be completed by the May Representative Assembly.
- Speak Out – LI and Negotiations Articles – early April edition. Kim, as the transitional President will be writing the article for that edition.
- Full Day K Endorsement
- Other

Vice President-Administration:

Board of Education: First budget workshop was February 6, 2017. It began with a Full Day K meeting, with a budget workshop to follow, and a board meeting a 7:00pm. During this meeting it was decided that the Full Day K proposal be part of the entire budget, not a separate item. The BOE has asked that PDTA endorse the Full Day K proposal. RA discussed this endorsement, and brought this to a vote: PDTA voted to have PDTA endorse Full Day K, which passed unanimously.

DPT

PTSA – Encourage all PDTA members to join! Membership is \$8 but any amount is appreciated.

Student Benefit Fund - Forms are electronic and found exclusively on www.pdta.org

Vice President-Negotiations: Nothing new to report

Resolution Specialist: Our resolutions specialist sits on two committees:

- IST: Trying to bring the district together on what IST and RTI mean to the district. Also, this committee is looking at an old MOA about IST and working to developing this to our current practices.
- On-line learning

If anyone is interested in knowing more information about these committees, please let Dwayne know.

Please check with people in your building who have overages / overloads to verify that contracts have been sent out. Members should also verify that the contracts are correct.

Delegates—There will be a 5 minute meeting after the RA to discuss the NYSUT RA

Retirees: No report

8. Adjournment