

AASCD General Membership Meeting- Orange Beach, Alabama
Minutes November 7, 2017

The AASCD November General Membership meeting was called to order by Ashley Catrett, President during the Fall Instructional Leadership Conference at Orange Beach, Alabama. There were 40 members present at the luncheon. Ashley welcomed all to the luncheon. The invocation was presented by Donald Turner. All enjoyed the meal.

A motion to approve the meeting agenda was made by Khristie Goodwin, seconded by Jodie Jacobs, and approved by all.

A motion to approve the previous meeting minutes as presented was made by Brenda Rickett, seconded by Donna Ash, and approved by all.

Kelley Ann Person of Curriculum Associates, luncheon sponsor, greeted the group.

Jane Cobia gave the Financial Report on behalf of Lisa Beckham:

Checking - \$8,800.02
CD and Checking Total - \$114, 267.05

A motion to approve was made by Khristie Goodwin and seconded by Jodie Jacobs. All approved the motion.

Vicki Ozment presented the Membership report. She indicated there are 534 AASCD members currently with more to be renewed. The total from the previous year was 609. She hoped that all would reach out and encourage members to renew and new possibilities to consider joining.

Jane Cobia, Executive Director, share several items including:

AASCD experienced a really good year.

Several new partnerships have been created.

AASCD won the ASCD Affiliate Honors Award.

AASCD is financially stable.

She encouraged memberships.

She reported conversations pertaining to new professional learning options and new revenue streams.

AASCD received a clean and clear audit.

Leadership Chats began in January and continue.

AASCD will conduct its own conference beginning in 2009.

Samford has an approved Student Chapter.

The next Standards Summit will be on April 20th with Jennifer Abrams as the speaker.

Curriculum Leadership Awards were presented by Brenda Rickett and Nancy Cotter. The Emerging Curriculum Leader was Dr. Bonnie Sullivan, Wetumpka Elementary Principal. The Outstanding Curriculum Leader Award was presented to Dr. Khristie Goodwin, Coordinator of Special Education Services of Oxford City. Both award winners shared remarks with the group.

Jane Cobia announced the longest continuous service of members in ASCD and AASCD is Dr. Millie Cowles, former Dean of UAB. She shared that she will be honored in Spring 2018 in *Educational Leadership*. Her nephew was present to accept the award presented in her honor by AASCD. A donation in her honor to one of her favorite charities was made.

Donald Turner presented the Nominating Committee Report:

Past President - Ashley Catrett

President - Brenda Rickett

President-elect - Carlos Nelson

Vice President of Membership - Vicki Ozment

Secretary - Natalia Dooley (to be elected in this election)

Treasurer - Lisa Beckham

Technology - Amy Murphree

Assistant Technology - Wendy Storey

CLAS Board Representatives:

Donald Turner
Patrick Chappell
Brenda Rickett
Jan Tribble
Carlos Nelson
Lisa Beckham

Ashley called for nominations from the floor. Hearing none she called for a vote to approved the committee report. All approved the report. These officers will be installed in June 2018 at the General Membership Meeting held in conjunction with the CLAS Conference.

Ashley expressed thank you to all in attendance for the work they do for education.

Donald Turner moved and Patrick Chappell seconded a motion to adjourn. The motion was approved.

The meeting adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

MITCHIE NEEL
Secretary