

Education Advisory
SECONDARY SUBCOMMITTEE MINUTES
 New Orleans, LA
 November 30-December 6, 2016

Arne Nielsen, Chair; Betty Bayer, Larry Blackmer, Mike Furr, Debra Fryson, Jerrell Gilkeson, Ruth Horton, Jim Ingersoll, John Kriegelstein, Teryl Loeffler, John McCoy, Jacqueline Messenger, Dennis Plubell, Donovan Ross, Berit von Pohle, Keith Waters

MEMBERS PRESENT

Presenters:

ShareHim – Rick Anderson, Joe Ottinger, Jeremiah Weeks

The following new members were welcomed to the committee:

NEW MEMBERS

Betty Bayer – Director of Education, SDACC
 Jerrell Gilkeson – Director of Education, AUC
 Jacqueline Messenger – Associate Secondary Director, CUC

VOTED to accept the secondary sub-committee minutes for May 16-18, 2016 as presented.

**16:18
 MINUTES**

VOTED to accept the secondary sub-committee minutes for June 14-15, 2016 as presented.

**16:19
 MINUTES**

Rick Anderson, Principal MPA, Joe Ottinger, Chaplain MPA, and Jeremiah Weeks, Director ShareHim, provided an overview of the ShareHim evangelistic program that has been used across the globe by academy students. The ShareHim program has proven to a successful transformational witnessing tool for those on the giving and receiving end. A ShareHim overview document, video, and contact information was provided.

SHAREHIM

The secondary sub-committee will meet in Orlando, FL from March 23-24, 2017.

**SECONDARY SUB-COMMITTEE
 ORLANDO**

VOTED to request that LaRonda Forsey provide a report to the NAD Secondary Sub-committee in May of 2017 outlining Griggs International Academy (APLE) program current minimum engagement with NAD 11th and 12th grade schools supervision of instruction.

**16:20
 APLE**

Arne Nielsen reported that Griggs International Academy, Lake Nelson Adventist Academy, Prairie Adventist Christian electronic School, and

**NEWLY RECOGNIZED SENIOR
 ACADEMIES**

West Coast Distance Learning School have been added to the sisterhood of NAD Senior Academies. The NAD now has 111 recognized senior academies. NAD provides oversight, including school evaluation visits to an additional 8 secondary schools in Guam Micronesia Mission.

Arne Nielsen provided a rubric outlining recognized satellite schools, distance education programs, and APLE schools across the NAD that impact Adventist education.

Ruth Horton provided information on the National Chemistry Convention to be held on the campus of Notre Dame in South Bend, IN from July 29-August 2, 2018. A Seventh-day Adventist Chemistry chapter will hold a special meeting at this time.

Secondary schools currently accept students who come from a standards based grading system. Only a couple of secondary schools were identified that provide some type of standards or proficiency based program or grading. Secondary sub-committee is concerned about how standards based grading will interface with higher education and their scholarship programs. More dialogue is needed.

The 2016-2017 Secondary School Evaluation Schedule was reviewed and updated. It was noted that Union Education Directors and Union Secondary Associate Directors need to be trained in chairing school visits and should become available to co-chair visits.

Tabled until March 29-30, 2017 meeting.

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VOTED to acknowledge receipt and review of the Physical Education, Health, and Wellness 2016 NAD Summer Committee report.

VOTED to acknowledge receipt and review of the *Encounter Bible Series* 2016 NAD Summer Committee report.

VOTED to acknowledge receipt and review of the Language Arts 2016 NAD Summer Committee report.

VOTED to recommend adoption of the English Language Arts textbooks as presented.

VOTED to recommend the following summer committees, chairs, dates,

PROGRAMS IMPACTING SECONDARY SCHOOLS

CHEMISTRY CONVENTION

STANDARDS BASED GRADING

SECONDARY SCHOOL EVALUATION SCHEDULE

2018 NAD CONVENTION SECONDARY BREAKOUTS

UNION REPORTS

16:21 PE/HEALTH/WELLNESS SUMMER COMMITTEE REPORT

16:22 ENCOUNTER BIBLE SERIES SUMMER COMMITTEE REPORT

16:23 ENGLISH LANGUAGE ARTS SUMMER COMMITTEE REPORT

16:24 LANGUAGE ARTS TEXTBOOK ADOPTION

16:25

and participants for June 12-28, 2017 to:

- Encounter (co-chairpersons – Teryl Loeffler and Arne Nielsen)
-June 26-28
-Committee is set
-Terms: review of scope/sequence, content and resource development, review of standards
- Mathematics (co-chairpersons - Jacqueline Messenger and Mike Furr)
-June 19-23
-Participants from AUC, CUC, NPUC, PUC, SDACC
-Terms: textbook adoption and review of standards
- Physical Education/Health/Wellness (chairperson - Keith Waters)
-June 19-23
-Committee is set
-Terms: review of Physical Genesis data and development of CREATION Health resources, review CREATION Health Pilot Program
- Technology (co-chairpersons: Donovan Ross and Ruth Horton)
-June 12-16
-Participants from TDEC, Griggs, AUC, LUC, MAUC, SUC
- Terms: development of standards

VOTED to ask SDACC to provide a list of math textbooks that would be acceptable in the provinces of Canada to be reviewed at the 2017 NAD Summer Committee for math textbook adoption.

NAD SUMMER COMMITTEES 2017

**16:26
CANADIAN MATH TEXTBOOK
LIST**

VOTED to ask TDEC to provide a Technology Master Plan that would be used as a resource document for schools and to include an acceptable use policy.

**16:27
TECHNOLOGY MASTER PLAN**

VOTED to remove the General Conference Higher Education Spiritual Master Plan from the NAD Education Website evaluation documents section.

**16:28
HIGHER EDUCATION SPIRITUAL
MASTER PLAN**

VOTED to have NAD provide a Spiritual Master Plan framework as a resource document for schools.

**16:29
NAD SPIRITUAL MASTER PLAN**

VOTED to form a small adhoc committee to be determined by NADOE for the purpose of developing a Spiritual Master Plan framework as a resource document for schools.

**16:30
SPIRITUAL MASTER PLAN
COMMITTEE**

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CAPE LETTER TO TRUMP

The NAD Education Website <http://adventisteducation.org/> has received several edits that may be of use during school evaluation visits. An *Alternate Textbook* notice has been added to the textbook section. Also, the revised *Term of Accreditation* can be found under Evaluation Documents and then Other Evaluation Forms. Additional edits to the form will be coming.

ADVENTIST EDUCATION WEBSITE EDITS

Jon Crumpacker via a phone conference provided an update on the school evaluation visiting committee page to be embedded in Accreditrac. His team hopes to have this completed by the end of December 2016. Also addressed was the option of having surveys to students, parents, stakeholders, embedded in Accreditrac via Survey Monkey. He will also explore the possibility of linking evidences from one storage site in Accreditrac to standards and indicators throughout the document.

ACCREDITRAC

Tabled until March 29-30, 2017 meeting.

CHANGE IN PROGRAM VISIT

Tabled until March 29-30, 2017 meeting.

PRINCIPALSHIP

Tim Standish is the lead editor for the new secondary biology textbook. NAD and Kendall-Hunt have a target completion date for the fall of 2018. Writers from across the higher education spectrum are contributing in the process.

SECONDARY BIOLOGY TEXTBOOK UPDATE

On behalf of the NADOE and OGC, PARL continues to pursue a variance to the 14 and 15 year old student Federal Labor Laws. NAD maintains that there is a religious liberty discrimination concern that needs to be remedied.

SECONDARY WORK PROGRAM UPDATE

Below is a current list of proposed *Encounter* training dates for the 2017 school year:

ENCOUNTER TRAINING DATES 2017

- Southwestern Union: April 17-19
- Guam Micronesia Mission: July
- Southern Union: July 24-26
- NAD/Andrews training (led by me at Griggs campus): August 2-3
- Atlantic Union: October

An ALC Education Report from Pegi Flynt was presented and is available in google docs. There was discussion about the role of ALC in providing online training for accreditation, online core education classes, and a resource point for educators.

ALC EDUCATION REPORT

The Mid-American Union Conference Education Advisory Voted in light of the new Department of Labor ruling (effective December 1, 2016) we

MID-AMERICA UNION EDUCATION REQUEST

are urgently requesting the NAD to give us clear, specific, and legal guidance regarding employment practices so that we, the conferences of the Mid-America Union, can be in consistent compliance with federal law.

This request on General Guidance for the U.S. Department of Labor Regulation Changes for Exempt (Salary) Employees and its affect for Employees and Locally Funded Employees in the U.S. was not acted on due to the US District Court ordered injunction halting the implementation and enforcement of that Regulation pending a decision of the Court on the merits of a number of legal challenges against it.

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CHANGE IN PROGRAM POLICY

ADJOURNMENT