# **NEPA SHRM Meeting Minutes**

#### Call to order

A meeting of NEPA SHRM BOD was held at 32 Union Street WB PA on June 5, 2018 at 5:30 PM.

#### **Attendees**

Melissa Bowditch Christine Jensen Brooke Lipperini Joe Sileo Marc Marchese Doug Hertel Kellie Knesis Christina O'Reilly

## Members not in attendance

Heather Clark Janine Hennigan Tracey McMillian-Booker Tara Petroski

## **Old Business**

- May meeting minutes were reviewed and approved. A motioned was made by Marc and seconded by Christina to approve the last meeting minutes.
- Kellie is registered for the July 27, 2018 event. Other event registration is not open yet.
- Doug explained what the volunteer activities consist of; Melissa to research Hazleton venues for seminars; Doug stressed that Committee Chairs need to work over the summer on the initiatives within their committees.
- Committee Updates
  - Communications Committee
    - Website
      - Old website is no longer able to be accessed; Brooke is working out the kinks
        with the new website; training will be scheduled for all BOD members who need
        to know admin functions for new website; meeting will also be scheduled to
        discuss the termination of our contract with Cyber Source.
  - Finance Committee
    - Christine presented the May 2018 expenses. Kellie made a motion to approve the financial report and Melissa seconded; Christine to investigate why there are two charges to QuickBooks



- Legislation Committee
  - Joe explained that there is a procedure set up for him to send McNees blog posts to Brooke to post on our website.

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- o Membership Committee
  - Kellie now has admin access to pull reports; She is working with National on those members needing renewal of national membership; a quarterly update will be performed of members; a suggestion was made to resume the practice of recognizing newly certified members at the December event.
- Professional Development Committee
  - 23 registered for June 14, 2018 seminar at Radisson; FNCB is sponsoring and will hold a business card raffle for an Echo; Christine to confirm with Christina that the \$250 sponsorship check was received; Christina provided folders from FNCB for event; Christine to prepare folders with PPP and flyers about upcoming events.
  - Doug is working on the September 12, 2018 event; we need a Wilkes-Barre venue for it.
  - October 18, 2018 is Legal Update; Christine to contact Karen at McNees to start working on agenda so credits may be applied for.
  - Holiday and Annual meeting; Café 315 booked.
  - A new scholarship application was received last week; need confirmation a press release went out to the papers with the picture of the check presentation.
  - Marc reviewed the results of his research regarding a paid partnership program; some chapters give a discount (Garden State); some charge a flat rate (NYC \$300 for 12 months); Brooke to determine if we can have sponsorships like this on our National website all examples Marc had were on non-National websites.
- o Governance Committee
  - No update.

## **New business**

- Board accepted the resignations of Tom and Kerrie.
- BOD members need to solicit interested members for board seats; Christine to contact George Rable to see if he or someone else from Benco is interested.
- Discussion of Student conference game competition; consensus that we don't have enough time to put this together this year.

Adjournment: Motion by Kellie; second by Marc.

#### **Next Meeting**

Careerlink 32 Union Street WB Pa on September 4, 2018 @ 5:30 pm.

Heather Clark
President

Date