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School Business Partnership Meeting

Date and time: 09/19/19 08:00 am to 09:03 am

Present: Jennifer Miller, Donna Fortier, Tony Stafford, Bob Bisson, Chris Croll, Susan Crosby, Geoff Lawson, Julie Leidig, Michael LoPresti, Melanie Scoggins, Stacey Metcalfe, Tina Howle, Janet Clarke, Samantha Courtney, Neil Slevin, Lhe Smith, Amber Davison, Christine Good, Lhe Smith, Marjory VonEhren, Ryan Hitchman, Kim Yeager, Denise Rowell

Guests: None

Location: Room 102 A/B – LCPS Administration Bldg.

Discussion

1. Call to Order

   • Meeting called to order at 8:00 a.m. by Donna Fortier

2. Approval Minutes from Previous Meeting

Decision - Motion to approve minutes from August 15, 2019 Meeting by Geoff Lawson, seconded by Tony Stafford - Motion carried

3. Old Business

   A thank you presentation was given by Neil Slevin to Marjory (Peggy) VonEhren to recognize her work with the School Business Partnership over the years. Suzanne (Suzy) Bache was introduced to the committee and will be taking meeting minutes moving forward.

   3.1 Business Partner Spotlight: Geoff Lawson, Vice President and General Manager: National Conference Center

   Geoff gave a presentation about the history of the National Conference Center and a quick overview of all it has to offer.

   3.2 Reminder

   Job for a Day is November 13, 2019 and November 18, 2019 for INOVA. Committee members are needed to sign up to visit the career centers in the high schools. Looking for more trade positions as well a greater job diversity.
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There are extra Job for A Day postcards for committee members to distribute.

4. New Business

4.1 Vote for Officers

Motion to approve officers: Stacey Metcalfe, seconded by Julie Leidig, Approved with no opposition

NEW Council Officers:

Tony Stafford-Chair
Bob Bisson-Vice Chair
Therease Baker-Secretary

NEW Committee Assignments:

Awards/Recognition: Sue Crosby
Job for A Day: Stacey Metcalfe
SBP Breakfast: Julie Leidig
Membership: Donna Fortier

4.2 Recognition

Tony Stafford recognized outgoing Chairperson Donna Fortier, and Neil Slevin read a letter from Dr. Eric Williams, and presented Donna with a plaque for her service to the SBP Committee

5. UPDATES

- Job for a Day is November 13, 2019
- A sign up sheet was passed to sign up for Career Center Visits
- So far there are 17 businesses signed up offering 65 jobs
- Loudoun County Chamber of Commerce will send an email blast to members in an effort to get more businesses involved in Job for A Day
- Community Connections PBL event will be November 14, 2019
- There will be 6 teams, more info will be given at the October meeting
- There will be a Hire Loudoun Job Fair at the NOVA campus on September 21, 2019
- NOVA has a part time Internship Coordinator position available
- NOVA campus is hosting Excellent Options--a 10 week course for African American students K-12 to get extra help with their schoolwork. It kicks off September 21, 2019

6. Guest Speaker, Dr. Lhe Smith, Supervisor, CTE

- Work Based Learning (WBL) presentation. Work Based Learning is a school supervised authentic workplace experience
- CTE is working to pair WBL experiences with CTE classes. A handout was provided
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- The plan is to roll this out in SY 2021, as it will be part of the school’s report card beginning in SY 2022
- Capstone will continue, but may roll into the new WBL program
- INOVA and Project Hope will share the names of their volunteers and connect with Kim Yeager at the Academies. The Academies already have done this with 130 students over the summer. Mantech is a big supporter of this.
- A suggestion was made to have a presentation surrounding CTE and WBL at the School Partnership Breakfast
- A suggestion was made to reach out to SkillsUSA in Leesburg

6. Adjournment
   Tony Stafford adjourned the meeting at 9:03am
   Next Meeting is October 17, 2019