

Lewis & Clark Conference Meeting
February 25, 2015 – 4:30 pm
Educational Service Unit #1
211 Tenth Street
Wakefield, NE

The Lewis & Clark Conference Administrator's Meeting was held February 25, 2015 at 4:30 p.m. at the ESU in Wakefield. President Snyder called the meeting to order at 4:30 p.m. The following schools represented were: Allen, Bloomfield, Creighton, Emerson-Hubbard, Hartington-Newcastle, Homer, Osmond, Plainview, Ponca, Randolph, Walthill, Wausa, Winnebago, and Wynot. Wakefield and Wynot joined us late. Absent: Laurel-Concord-Coleridge, and Winside.

The agenda was approved on a motion by Wausa and a second by Walthill to approve the agenda for the February 25, 2015 meeting. Voting Aye: Motion Carried: 13-0.

Minutes from the November, 12, 2014 meeting were approved with a motion by and seconded by Osmond. Roll call taken: Voting Aye: Motion Carried: 13-0.

Financial report submitted by Dan Fehringer was approved with a motion by Bloomfield and seconded by Plainview. The Treasurer's report shows a balance of \$50,537.43. Voting Aye: Motion Carried: 13-0.

Walthill moved to accept the Art teacher's written proposal to change the format of the Conference Art Show and the Conference Art Show Awards (see Exhibit: A). Creighton, seconded the motion. Roll Call Vote was taken. Motion carried 14/0 for constitutional change.

Ponca made the motion to accept the volleyball proposals to pay line judges \$10.00 per game, quarter final games go three out of five sets and start at 1:00 p.m. The site that hosts five games will start at 12:00 p.m. Winnebago seconded the motion. Roll call vote was taken. Motion carried 14/0 for constitutional change.

President Snyder, lead a discussion on athletic and activity director pay for the 2015-2016 school year. There will be a final proposal in April to pay \$75.00 per line item and not to exceed \$150.00.

The coop agreement between Emerson-Hubbard and Pender was discussed as it created a conflict of the two conferences holding their track meets on the same day. Ken Swanson reported that they will break up their team so that they have athletes representing E-H at both Conference Meets.

Future coop agreements were discussed at length.

Director and Host School Reports

- A. Conference Academic (Osmond, Bloomfield, Winside & Plainview)
Osmond reported they have the equipment and materials.
- B. Conference Play Production (Emerson-Hubbard and Hartington-Newcastle)
Emerson-Hubbard that everything went well.
- C. Conference Art show (Wausa)
Everything was underway and going well.
- D. Conference Wrestling Report (Creighton)
Randy Kliment reported that everything went well. They started at 1:00 and were finished by 7:00 p.m. (No JV wrestlers)

- E. Conference Instrumental Music Clinic (Winnebago and Wynot)
Winnebago and Wynot reported everything went well and noted they had a great turnout.
- F. Conference Basketball Tournament (Director)
Ponca reported that everything went well even though we had to use the snow date. Hayes congratulated the Winnebago boys and the Emerson-Hubbard girls for winning the tournament titles. In the future each host school will pay the referees and then the financial form will be turned into Treasurer, Dan Fehringer for reimbursement.
- G. Conference Speech (Wausa)
Everything was ready to go for the speech contest that would be held Saturday, February 28th!
- H. Conference Track (Plainview)
Director and host school reported they are ready.
- I. Conference Golf (Bloomfield-Wausa)
The meet will be held on May 4, 2015 and everything is ready to go.

President Snyder reminded everyone that the All conference selection meeting would be held March 9th at Allen at 7:00 p.m. and West division would meet the same time at Osmond.

The next regular meeting will be held April 15, 2015 at 4:30 p.m. at the ESU in Wakefield.

IX. Meeting Adjourned

Exhibits:

Exhibit A: Art Proposal.

Exhibit B: Proposed Lewis and Clark Activity Directors 2015-2016

Respectfully Submitted

Kristie Hayes – Lewis and Clark Conference Secretary

Exhibit A:

Lewis & Clark Conference Art Show

Location: Wayne State College Student Center Atrium

Date: Monday, February 23rd through Friday, February 27th (We would like to look at moving this date back to late March in 2016)

Agenda for the Week:

- Monday (Feb. 23rd): Host School sets up display boards and tables in Atrium of WSC Student Center
-**Hanging Time Frame:** 12:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. - All Conference Art Teachers must arrive during this time frame and will be responsible for hanging all of their own artwork (Host School Teacher will be present during this period to assist or answer any questions).
- **Judging:** This will be arranged and set up by the host art teacher (MUST be judged by Tuesday evening)
- Tuesday, February 24th to Friday February 27th: Show open to Public Viewing
-Viewing hours will correspond with Student Center Hours
- Friday February 27th: Artist Reception & Award Ceremony: 12:30 to 2:00 p.m.
-12:30: Artist who have artwork on display will arrive on campus with art teachers to view Conference Art Show
-1:30: Award Ceremony (Award Best of Category – Best of Show Jr. High 2D & 3D – Best of Show H.S. 2D & 3D)
-2:00: Take down Art Show (All schools will be responsible for taking down own artwork)

Host Directors/Committee

- Wakefield (Mike Hassler), Homer (Casey Conner), and Randolph (Lindsey Miller) will form the 3 school committee that will be in charge of setting up and hosting the Lewis and Clark Art Show every year at WSC.
- Should one of these teachers either leave the conference or choose not to be on the committee any longer, this will be discussed at the August Conference Meetings and a replacement will be found at this time.
- Committee members shall be paid the current conference rate of \$75.00 for hosting the art show.

Judge(s):

- Judge will be hired by host school and will be paid the conference rate plus mileage (we need to look at increasing this over the next 3 years)
- Judging will be done by grade level (Elementary/Jr. High/High School)
- Volunteer WSC Art Education Student will judge the Elementary Division
- Artwork will be judged by category with unlimited ribbons (as judge sees fit)
- Best of Category Gold Medal will be awarded in each category (as judge sees fit)

Framing and Matting (All artwork k-12 must be matted/Frames and acetate are not mandatory)

1. Stretched canvases displayed as is.
2. Canvas boards should be matted (frame optional)
3. Mattes should be neutral colors
4. Frames should be simple, not ornate. May be in a neutral color or wooden.
5. Doesn't have to be matted in frame
6. If you have a piece in a heavy frame/would be difficult to hang, you must bring your own easel.

Number of Entries

- **High School:** 25 total entries (white tags attached to artwork)
- **Junior High:** 10 total entries (green tags attached to artwork)
- **Elementary:** 7 total entries (yellow tags attached to artwork)

Categories (18 Total)

Pottery (Wheel & Hand Built); Jewelry H.S; Photography H.S; Pen/Ink/Marker; Scratchboard; Oil; Acrylic; Tempera; Watercolor; Pencil; Colored Pencil; Pastel/Chalk; Charcoal; Mixed-Media; Printmaking; Graphic Design (Computer Arts); Fibers (Textile/Papermaking/Fiber); Sculpture (Relief/Altered)

Conference Art Show Awards

Elementary Level:

- Laminated Paper Ribbons that look like the real ribbons with “Lewis & Clark Conference Art Show” written on them (made by Mike Hassler @ Wakefield Community Schools; will be no cost to the Conference)

Junior High Level:

- Unlimited Ribbons with “Lewis & Clark Conference Art Show” on them (No DATE on Ribbons).
 - 1st – Blue 2nd – Red 3rd – White
- Purple Rosette Ribbons with Lewis & Clark Conference Seal in the Middle of Rosette and Best of Show down ribbon for Best of Show (No DATE on Rosette).
 - Best of Show 2D Best of Show 3D

High School Level:

- Unlimited Ribbons with “Lewis & Clark Conference Art Show” on them (No DATE on Ribbons).
 - 1st – Blue 2nd – Red 3rd – White
- Purple Rosette Ribbons with Lewis & Clark Conference Seal in the Middle of Rosette and Best of Show down ribbon for Best of Show (No DATE on Rosette).
 - Best of Show 2D Best of Show 3D
- Best of Category Gold Conference Medals; One for each of the 18 categories.
 - Un-engraved so that they can be reused if no category warrants a medal to be awarded.

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3 Year Plan for Artist Reception and Award/Closing Ceremony

In the hope of making the Lewis & Clark Art Show an educational experience for our students the Lewis & Clark Art Teachers have developed a 3 year plan that would incorporate the WSC Visual Arts & Art Education Departments in years two and three. By year three the Artist Reception and Award Ceremony will become a full day event filled with

educational events and opportunities geared towards the visual arts student. Students with artwork displayed in the Conference Art Show will have the opportunity to take part in this day.

Year 1 (2015):

- 12:30: Artist who have artwork on display will arrive on campus with art teachers to view Conference Art Show
- 1:30: Award Ceremony (Award Best of Category – Best of Show Jr. High 2D & 3D – Best of Show H.S. 2D & 3D)
- 2:00: Take down Art Show (All schools will be responsible for taking down own artwork)

Year 2 (2016):

- 11:00 a.m.: Arrive @ WSC for Campus Tour/Art Tour (WSC has an excellent collection of fine artwork located throughout their campus; This would be an opportunity to expose our students to excellent examples of fine artwork.)
- 12:30: Artist will view Conference Art Show.
- 1:30: Award Ceremony (Award Best of Category – Best of Show Jr. High 2D & 3D – Best of Show H.S. 2D & 3D)
- 2:00: Take down Art Show (All schools will be responsible for taking down own artwork)

Year 3 (2017):

- 9:00 a.m.: (Arrival & Greeting)
- 9:15 to 10:15: Student Workshops & Campus Tour/Art Tour Session 1 (The workshops would be put on by the WSC Visual Arts/Art Education Department) Conference Schools will be divided into groups and students will sign up for workshops prior to arriving on campus.
- 10:30 to 11:30: Student Workshops & Campus Tour/Art Tour Session 2 (Rotate Groups)
- 11:30 to 12:30: Break for Lunch (discretion of each school)
- 12:30: will view Conference Art Show.
- 1:30: Award Ceremony (Award Best of Category – Best of Show Jr. High 2D & 3D – Best of Show H.S. 2D & 3D)
- 2:00: Take down Art Show (All schools will be responsible for taking down own artwork)

Exhibit B:

Proposed Lewis and Clark Activity Directors 2015-16

Athletics

Basketball	1. Bob Hayes, Ponca	2. Scott Petersen, L.C.C	
Cross Country	1. Dwayne Wilkin, Bloomfield	2. Kirk Hamm Bloomfield	
Golf	1. Not Needed	2. Not Needed	
Track	1. Joe Ortmeier, Osmond	2. Blair Kalin, Hartington	3. Greg Conn, Wausa
Volleyball	1. Bob Hayes, Ponca	2. Scott Peterson, L.C.C.	
Wrestling	1. Randy Kliment, Creighton	2. ?	

Activities

Art	1. Mike Hassler, Wakefield	2 Casey Conner, Homer	3. Lindsey Miller, Randolph
Academic	1. Paula Larson, Ponca	2. Anne Stratman, Wausa	
Instrumental	1. Doyle Anderson, Hart.	2. Noelle Petersen, Homer	3. Courtney Claussen, Wausa
Vocal	1. Doyle Anderson, Hart.	2. Noelle Petersen, Homer	3. Courtney Claussen, Wausa
Play Production	1. A.J. Johnson, Hartington	2. Brad Hoelsing Wausa	
Speech	1. A.J. Johnson, Hartington	2. Brad Hoelsing Wausa	

	Needed ?
	Volunteered
	Inherited (not paid)
	Not Needed