

Minutes

Professional Development Faculty Taskforce Meeting
Tuesday, April 26th, 2007
1:15 pm - 2:15 pm

Members Present

Jay Coomes, Co Chair

Hilda Moore

Phillip Fischer

Terry McEntire

Cathy Alexander

Amber Thompson

Present in spirit:

Melissa Johnson

Cindy Hightower

Scott Bradey

Jamey Spratt

Cindy Martin

Jay Coomes shared what he had learned at the "Learning Conversations" Conference at Valencia Community College in sunny Orlando, Florida. He spoke at length on the beneficial information he obtained there. Valencia is tentatively planning another conference in Fall, 2008; and Jay highly recommended that we should send several representatives from Isothermal to that event.

Terry McEntire added to his previous report on ERCBEC with support/contact information on speakers and additional topics of interest.

The Taskforce discussed the tentative agenda for Fall Convocation and Professional Development. It was determined that a faculty survey would assist in the final planning and that survey will be sent out before the end of the semester.

The Taskforce discussed upcoming professional seminars or workshops available to us and are sending some folks to the NC-NET Sponsored Train-the-Trainer Workshop at Southwestern Community College in June.

After discussing our annual budget requests and planned activities for the upcoming year, the meeting adjourned at 2:15 pm.

Respectfully Submitted,

Jay Coomes, Co Chair

Cathy Alexander, Co Chair