

NWATA
Agenda - Annual Business Meeting
Saturday March 18th, 2017
11:45 am – 1:00 pm
Tacoma, WA



1. Meeting Called to Order at 11:52am – In attendance: 223
2. Introduction of guests (Tim Weston, Amy Callender, Carolyn Peters, Michael Goldenberg, Kathy Dieringer)
3. Approval of Minutes from 6/23/2016 (posted on website) Tony Fitzpatrick motion, Dale Blair second, all approved
4. Secretary Report by Ben Henry

Membership as of 3/13/17	2017	2016	2015	2014	2013	2012
Certified	1157	1136	1097	972	983	979
Associate	7	15	13	23	12	18
Retired	74	74	58	53	48	46
Honorary	5	5	5	5	5	5
Students Undergrad	218	193	204	222	209	222
Student Grad	52	56	50	24	12	14
Student Certified	39	49	50	45	45	45
Career Starter	73	83	70	58	64	63
Totals	1625	1611	1547	1402	1378	1392

5. Treasurer Report by Jennifer Stueckle

a. Debi Richardson Recognition - NWATA Accountant

March 23, 2016		June 16, 2016		March 13, 2017	
Checking Account	\$106,546.00	Checking Account	\$56,048.43	Checking Account	\$105,280.79
Savings Account	\$52,970.50	Savings Account	\$52,981.19	Savings Account	\$53,009.00
Investments	<u>\$34,234.75</u>	Investments	<u>\$34,205.63</u>	Investments	<u>\$36,280.95</u>
NET WORTH	\$193,751.25	NET WORTH	\$143,235.25	NET WORTH	\$194,570.74

My last district meeting, 4 years, what a ride
 Been blessed to serve with great peeps by my side

It's amazing to think back, how time has flown
 And to recall all the ways that we've grown

Thanks to the members who once provided the gift
 The dues increase (4 years ago) sure did give us a lift

Upping support for members and students galore
 Coming up with new programs, new grants and more

Right now if you look at the numbers presented
 You'll see all our areas are well represented

Our last item of BIG news and listen real close . . .
 'Cause this is the thing that we're proud of the most

Some funds from our savings and some from a bond
 We will move to invest . . . of this we're quite fond

A newly created and soon-ly endowed
SCHOLARSHIP! Of this we are very proud

With that I will say my final adieu
It's been my honor and pleasure to get to serve you

6. Convention Committee Report and announcements by Suzette Nynas, District Meeting Planner – Largest year ever - 618

- a. Local committee– Caroline Durocher, Jason Durocher, Craig Bennett, Chandra Lovejoy, Todd Yamaguchi
- b. Exhibits Chairperson – Jen Krug
- c. Registration Coordinator – Greg Hill
- d. Next year is in Portland – look forward to emails at the end of the year.

7. NWATA-District 10 News

- a. Athletic Training Students report **Katy Pietz, Meggie Stafne**
 - 2017 Student Symposium – 170 in attendance. “Considering the whole health of your patients – mental health”.
 - EDAC volunteer event – Mother Earth Farm – 30 volunteers
 - incoming student exec:
President- Erin Boggs UM
VP - McKenzie Lanier WSU
Secretary - Paige Dahlberg Pacific
- b. Committee Reports **NWATA Committee Chairs**
Complete reports are available on the website at nwata.org
 - PRC – First meeting at JCM in February. Focusing on legal, ethical and regulatory issues. Will be sending out the PRC infographic with more information.
 - Secondary Schools – ATLAS: focused on making progress on the map to track ATs in high schools. Oregon and Montana have all “black dots” removed, two of 13 states so far.
 - PR – “Find Cari” contest, NATMonth – gave better guidelines this year including weekly activities. Send info to Josh Holliday for NATA News submissions.
 - Governmental Affairs – Goal is to get people involved. Please contact Lynne Young if you are interested in getting involved or learn more about the NWATA governmental affairs. Two new awards.
 - Student Leadership – Nick Cromidas is rolling off committee. Looking for Sophomores, Juniors or 1st year master’s students to fill committee position.
 - Young Professionals - Removing >35yo as criteria for “YP”. New criteria is being in the first 12 years of their career.
 - Alaska: Alyssa Babcock, Orthopedics Physicians Alaska
 - Idaho: Paul Smith, Boise State University
 - Montana: Kaleb Birney, University of Montana-Western
 - Oregon: Anne Pollard, Oregon State University
 - Washington: Josh Holliday, Yakima Valley Tech/ Eisenhower HS
 - D-10 YPC Rep: Andrew Hamstra, Washington State University

8. State President’s Reports

- a. Alaska: Christopher Dean, President First ever virtual state meeting to get more in attendance. Working on concussion legislation approved.
- b. Idaho: Nikki Clark, President - Summer meeting in Lewiston in July.
- c. Montana: Valerie Moody, fundraising – selling pins and pint glasses. State meeting is June 2nd-3rd in Helena.

- d. Oregon: Shelly Jones for Sam Johnson, President – State meeting in Portland.
- e. Washington: Craig Bennett, President. Erin Rutledge is new Secretary, Jen Carrol is new President. Concussion symposium on May 6th at VMAC. Tentative meeting date is July 15th.

9. NATA Foundation Report

Scott Richter

- Raffle winners from NWATA booth announced – Montana had the most entries in the basket raffle
- Houston – Fun Run, Casino Night, silent auction
- State Donor Challenge winner for 2016 is Montana

1. NATA PAC Report

Dana Gunter (Marty Matney gave report)

- NATAPAC glasses were sold out at the NWATA meeting – made \$1500
- Capitol Hill Day - May 16th, NATAPAC fundraiser May 15th
- Please register for NATAPC Breakfast – Tuesday June 27th, 7am-9am - \$50

2. Old Business

- a. Election results: NWATA President/Director: Tony Fitzpatrick
NWATA Treasurer: Craig Bennett
- b. Thank you Jenn Stueckle for your service and poetry!
- c. Advocacy Grant, Family Scholarship, Research Grant – see website for details.

3. New Business

- a. Bylaw Change vote – Posted on the website for review. Ken Kladnik moved, Barrie Steele second, motion passes.

Motion to table the amendment until next spring meeting to reevaluate amendment - Adam Cadec moved, Janelle Handlos second – motion passed

14. NATA Business

- a. Amy Callender, NATA Director of Governmental Affairs - Emails to be sent out for info to contact representatives and senators.
- b. CMS rule on DME – Task force led by Kathy Derringer
- c. Capitol Hill Day - May 16
- d. Joint Committee Meeting
- e. Foundation Faculty Mentor Program
- f. Safe Sports School Award
- g. Transition to Practice work group
- h. NFL Public Service Announcements
- i. 10 Free CEUs from NATA
- j. Secondary Schools Grant Program – Oregon
- k. Leadership Academy
- l. NATA Convention – Houston June 26-29, 2018

15. District 10 Recognitions:

- a. Scholarship Recipients

Dale Blair

The following are the NWATA Scholarship Winners for 2017:

Bobby Gunn Award -	Thomas Henrie, ISU
Naseby Rhinehart Scholarship -	Nick Cromidas, WSU
Richard Irvin Scholarship -	Brianna Hall, Whitworth
Bob Peterson Scholarship	Kathryn Olsen, Univ.of Montana
Bill Robertson Scholarship -	James Yancy, Univ.of Montana
NWATA Leadership Scholarship -	Kelly McCracken, WSU
NWATA Family Scholarship -	Bradi Wood, Redmond HS

- b. **NWATA outgoing committee chairs. Thank you for your service!**
 - a. Committee on Professional Ethics - Charles Liggett
- c. **NWATA Honors and Award Winners:**
 - a. New Horizon's Award – Paul Smith, Boise State University
 - b. Service Awards- Greg Hill, Kasee Hildenbrand
 - c. Director's Award – Suzette Nynas
 - d. Honorary Membership - The Espalin Family
- d. **NWATA Research Grant recipient:** Emily Kosderka: “The effect of a sub-symptom threshold aerobic exercise program on recovery in concussed athletes”
- e. **NWATA Advocate for AT Grant recipient:** Dani Moffit, Idaho State University

16. NATA Honors and Awards Recognition:

- a. Gatorade Secondary Schools Award – Laura Baker, Sheldon HS/Oregon
- b. AT Service Award – Larry Howe, Pam Arriola, Dani Moffit
- c. Most Distinguished AT - Valerie Moody

17. Other Business/Announcements – Invitation to NWATA in 2018!

18. Adjournment at 1:14 pm