

- Liaisons are very slowly adapting to the opportunity to communicate with their region through posting information and news on the web site. The turn around time is immediate if the information is edited and ready to posted.
- Many liaisons are sending their reports to Cyndi Koppelman instead the VP. It is confusing to have them going to two different people. Either Cyndi should forward them to the VP or they should all go to the Secretary. The draw back of having them sent to the Sec. is that if they are web-site relevant they will not be posted.
- Region 7 has potential new liaisons.
- Region 9 needs someone to replace Donna Vander Plas, who wishes to step down.
- Region 4 needs additional liaisons.
- Kim Herrala is no longer a liaison for Region 14.
- Chris Hesch, Region 8, is no longer teaching art and will be stepping away from being a liaison for the time being.
- Region 4 needs a liaison to replace Debra Pares who has moved out of the country.

- Treasurer: Joni Siler

Proposed budget for 2009 will be presented at the January meeting.

Currently \$227,273 operating and conference monies

- MYAF: Michael Heinz, & Amy VanderPol

Amy and Michael sent out a mailing to all liaisons with general information regarding MYAF, entry requirements and changes to the notification process. Liaisons please share this important information with your regional membership. All secondary art teachers should have also received a mailing with MYAF posters in late September. Please urge all high school art teachers in your region to post them and to inform students of the opportunity to enter the Festival show. We need liaisons to help educate members about sending students who are invited to this incredible event. Amy has the GTS route scheduled and will speak to it at the Saturday meeting. Please direct questions or comments to: Michael (mheinz@fruitportschools.net or Amy (avandp@grcs.org)

- Elementary: Carolyn Steenland

Put together a handout for preparing and submitting art work at the state level for the elementary and middle.

- Middle: September Buys

Asking regional liaisons to double check current membership status before sending work onto the state level.

- 2008 Conference Committee

Bills are still coming in. Not many workshop reimbursement requests.

- 2009 Conference Committee

Moving forward on funding and securing Daniel Pink.

- 2010 Conference Committee

Three co-chairs are meeting regularly. At the 08 conference many approached to say they would help.

Will have a meeting the first Tuesday in December at 5pm-6:30pm. An email will be sent out shortly.

Old Business

Will be looking at on –line ballot system more information coming at January.

Kim Cairy moves to adjourn meeting at 10:30 am. Cyndi Koppelman seconds.

10:30 – 12:00 pm	Creative Activity at Creative Spirit Center
12:00 – 12:45 pm	Lunch—sandwiches from Jimmy John’s <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Liaison network time with Suzanne Butler-Lich VP
12:45 – 3:00 pm	Strategic Plan breakout session
3:00 – 3:45 pm	Large group Strategic Plan debriefing

