



Northern Interscholastic Press Association

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ADVISER MEETING AGENDA FALL CONVENTION OCTOBER 5, 2009

There are several items to discuss and they are briefly listed below. For clarification, please contact Jeremy Murphy at jpmurphy@west-fargo.k12.nd.us.

ATTENDANCE:

Amy Walker – Mandan
Sue Skalicky – Bismarck Century/JEA State Director
Angela Cassidy – West Fargo
Jeremy Murphy - West Fargo

1. C STAND CO-OP

- Supplemental fees – reevaluate later, after we increase NIPA awareness and increase NIPA involvement
- Sue thinks focusing more on NIPA and having time for advisers to just come together and share resources is first priority. Beef up the fall and spring NIPA conventions and target the advisers.
- The more JEA and NIPA can do hand-in-hand would help get people involved in scholastic journalism on a broader scale.

2. MAIL-IN CATEGORIES

- a. Photo caption and headline writing will be removed as spring categories due to a low number of submissions.

3. GETTING EXPOSURE

- a. Members of the advisory board will go on the road. They will hit schools and talk to advisers/journalism classes around the state.
- b. We want to have advisers join together.
- c. Sue said we may be ND, but we have a national presence. We have great journalism programs in this state.

4. SUMMER CAMP

- a. July 15-16 at BSC for adviser convention – credit through UND
 - i. Session ideas through listserv

5. BSC HOSTING OPPORTUNITY

- a. Start in fall of 2010 – rotate from then on, with convention at each location

6. SPRING 2010 DATE

- a. March 21st – pending UND approval

7. MAIL-IN DEADLINE DATES

- a. March 3rd – postmark date
- b. Feb. 15th – overall category postmark date