



**Arkansas SOPHE Executive Committee Meeting
July 19, 2013**

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Participants:

Carrie Poston, President
Sara Daniel, Secretary
Kim Miller, Member at Large Conference
Brandi Roberts, MAL Professional Prep
Jacquie Rainey, National Delegate
Barbie Brunner, Historian

Old Business:

Kim Miller reported that the AR SOPHE conference was very successful. We made a profit of approximately \$2100. Approximately 100 attended. The evaluations were positive. Kim has sent those out previously, but she can send them out if anyone would like to see them. We need a conference chair for the next term but Kim is willing to help. LaTonya is not able to chair the conference committee at this time. Carrie will look into some possible candidates for this position.

New Business:

Brandi Roberts attended the conference at Disney World in mid-April: The Magic of Health Education. It covered the latest research and best practices. One highlight was that Florida recently added a state SOPHE chapter. They promoted states recruiting members from surrounding states that do not have a state chapter. The national SOPHE dues increased slightly. We did receive a Certificate of Appreciation for last year's conference.

Announcements:

AR SOPHE submitted an article for the National SOPHE News & Views this month. Dana & Kim wrote the article describing our 2013 conference successes. It was listed as an attachment in the e-mail Carrie sent out prior to the meeting.

AR SOPHE made a \$50 donation to the National SOPHE Reach for the Starts Campaign, and received a nice thank you letter from Elaine Auld (National SOPHE CEO).

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Officer Reports:

Jacque Rainey:

The AAHE/SOPHE merger did not go through. She will have more information to present after her next call on Wednesday.

Barbie Brunner:

No report.

Sara Daniel:

Is not able to access SOPHE e-mail at this time. Dana is currently checking the e-mail account.

Carrie Poston:

Carrie will work with the Past President on completing a slate of officers for the next year. This is required to be sent out for vote to membership 30 days before the October meeting.

Carrie will be looking into the student scholarship. The notifications usually go out in the fall so the money can be awarded for the spring semester.

Carrie will send out Dana's information/treasurer's report by e-mail. She will also send out the minutes of the last meeting to the Executive Committee for a vote since we don't have a quorum on today's call.
Update: Dana Smith reported that the AR SOPHE bank balance is currently \$5,898.

Next Meeting:

The next meeting will be held in October (date to be determined); this will be for both General Membership and the Executive Committee.