Riverside About Students Regional Consortium
Meetings Minutes
IEBW Union Hall – July 24, 2017

Welcome

JoDee asked all in attendance to check the sign-in sheet and ensure that the correct representatives for each member are listed, and all contact information for those representatives is correct.

Introductions: JoDee asked each attendee to share how he/she is enjoying the “summer slowdown”
Karen: Moreno Unified School District
Thoibi: CNAS (AP) Didn’t have to work as much
Aaron (DSS) Observe and participate, I am happy about taking a trip to CANADA (east)
Rachel: (Riverside) Vacation we are happy about the summer
Joan: Memorial Day brought a 6th grandchild!!
Jim Rush: (four day weekends small trips)
Ashley (NORCO college): Long weekends
Jurupa: new administration

Moreno Valley: Tammy Guzetta announced a new administrator for MVAS; Registration online. 4 CTE classes...

RCCD: Thea and Richard: Community college welcoming new director

JoDee: Interesting and busy summer

JoDee welcomed the new RCCD representative

JoDee reviewed the end of year data submission requirements for 2016-2017

  a. TOPS Enterprise report due August 1, electronically transmitted

  b. Annual Plan is due August 15th, JoDee will upload the report after final approval by the members

JoDee indicated that the 2017-18 funding will be released to schools August 30

Review of the TAP opportunities; if you are new and need assistance with “catchin up”, the TAP webinars are a great start. If you are in need of something specific, contact TAP; contact information is found on the AEBG website

The State AEBG office has announced Regional Trainings that will cover the 2017-18 requirements for Policy and Data Collection. San Bernardino Valley College will host one of the meetings on November 15-
16. Register for the training on the State AEBG website. There are other trainings available if you are unable to attend on the November dates.

JoDee shared that there will be a new format this year for reporting budgets and expenditures. The data will be compiled by agency rather than by the consortium as a whole.

With the due date approaching for the TOPS Enterprise data submission, JoDee encouraged everyone to be proactive in reviewing your site’s data prior to submitting it. It is critical that the data accurately reflects what we are doing as a consortium. This is the data that legislators will use to determine how we are doing in terms of student success. State is focusing on higher level outcomes. In response to a question/clarification, JoDee explained that RCCD must report student support data through TOPS.

The date for expending all 2015-16 funding is December 15. It will be here quickly once the school year begins. If you still have funding to spend, develop a plan and get that funding expended. Otherwise, the state will likely redistribute it.

The upcoming Consortium Professional Development Day was discussed. JoDee needs to know how many vegetarian meals are required by each site’s attendees. The goal of this activity is to share what we do best so that the entire consortium can improve its services to students.

Digital Badging project is ready to continue. All sites should identify what is left to do so that everyone can be connected.

Consortium Meetings will continue to be held on the second Monday of each month during 2017-18 and will continue to be hosted by the IEBW. Thanks Jim!

Curriculum alignment within the ESL programs is our next goal. More on this to come.

Next meeting will be Monday, August 14.