

Refugee Educators' Network
March 6, 2009
9:00-11:00 a.m.

10836 Gadsten Way
Rancho Cordova, CA. 95670

Attending: Carol Dunstan, Anita Freitas, Judy Lewis, Lue Vang, Nadia Kalinyuk, Jon Wallace, Danna Domashuk, Gudelia Castillo, Nguyet Tham, Svetlana Ponomarov

Reviewed and accepted notes from April 18, 2008

I. Introductions/News

II. Membership

- A. Adopt the roster for the 2009-10 Board

III. Elections and Finances

- A. Accepted voting members for 09-10: Lue first, Anita seconded, unanimous vote

- B. Accept 07-08 EOY Report: Anita moved first, Lue seconded, unanimous vote

1. INCOME \$ 52,430
(parent donations \$51,070 book sales \$1,357, Interest \$ 3.00)
2. EXPENDITURES \$54,420
(Saturday School \$53,594, website labor \$0, web site hosting \$ 443, tax prep \$140
postage and supplies \$115, miscellaneous REN \$103, miscellaneous Saturday School
3. BALANCE FORWARD \$19,710
(Sat School \$ 7,184, REN \$ 12,526)

- C. Accept 09-10 proposed budget: Carol moved first, Lue seconded, unanimous vote

1. Continue for 2009-2010
2. INCOME: Accept parent donations for Community Heritage Language Programs, provide subgrant to Folsom Cordova to offset community instructor costs. Estimate \$30,000.
3. PROPOSED EXPENDITURES:
 - a. Website labor \$ 1,000
 - b. Website hosting \$ 500
 - c. Income tax preparation \$ 500
 - d. Postage & supplies \$ 200
 - e. Miscellaneous REN \$ 200
 - f. Miscellaneous Sat Sch \$ 500
 - g. Undesignated REN \$10,107
 - h. Undesignated Sat Sch \$ 6,880

4. Motion to approve proposed budget for 09-10
Nguyet moved first
Carol seconded, unanimous vote
5. **Next meeting: October 30, 2009,**
Second meeting for year 2009-2010: March 26, 2010
6. Other:
 - a. Assign taxes preparation fee to Saturday School funds for 09-10 year.
 - b. Nadia will get information regarding printing options to reprint book

Updates about Saturday School 08-09

IV. Saturday School

- A. 220 Ukrainian School – recognized for having a strong curriculum, most former teachers from Ukraine teaching native language, some H.S. students working on their senior project.
 1. 110 Russian School
 2. 175 Spanish School - 6 classes (grades K-8th), working on vocabulary development and literacy in Spanish, Previewing Houghton & Mifflin (Reading Program used in M-F school)

V. Refugee Grant

- A. 3 year grant
- B. GSL High Frequency Words
- C. AWL Academic Word List
- D. Refugee Program at CHS and Rosemont High School