

Washington State Center for Childhood Deafness & Hearing Loss
Washington School for the Deaf

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Board of Trustees Packet



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June 15, 2017

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**WASHINGTON STATE CENTER FOR
CHILDHOOD DEAFNESS & HEARING LOSS**
Board of Trustees Meeting Packet
June 15, 2017

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- 2016/2017 school calendar

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 - May 5, 2017
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 - Superintendent – Shauna Bilyeu
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- 2017/2018 calendar

**WASHINGTON STATE CENTER FOR
CHILDHOOD DEAFNESS & HEARING LOSS
Board of Trustees Meeting
June 15, 2017**

8:30 a.m. Board Finance Committee meeting

BUSINESS MEETING

9:45 a.m. **Call to order**

5 minutes **Approval of May 5, 2017, board meeting minutes**

45 minutes **Reports**

- Board Finance Committee
 - Tom Galey, Director of Business Operations & Technology
- Shauna Bilyeu, Superintendent
- Sarah Decker, Outreach Coordinator

One hour **Strategic Planning**

- April McArthur, Shannon Graham, Teresa Stotler-Martin, Ginger Speranza

One hour **Lunch**

- Video from British Columbia regarding their participation on Flying Hands competition

30 minutes Board elections

- Chair
- Vice Chair

45 minutes **Executive Session**

An Executive Session may be held for any allowable topic under the Open Public Meetings Act, including to review the performance of a public employee.

45 minutes **Review draft evaluation letter for Executive Director**

Adjournment

Time and order are approximate and subject to change

WASHINGTON STATE CENTER FOR CHILDHOOD DEAFNESS & HEARING LOSS

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WASHINGTON SCHOOL FOR THE DEAF

2016/2017 School Year

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Mark Your Calendars!

Deaf Awareness Week

September 19 - 24, 2016

Homecoming

September 28, 2016

Open House

September 28, 2016

Terrier Invitational (Volleyball)

September 30 - October 1, 2016

WSBC/WSBCC 2017

January 25 - 29, 2017

Oregon School for the Deaf

Statewide ASL Poetry Competition

March 9, 2017

All Star Day (Secondary only)

June 1, 2017

Graduation

June 14, 2017

Elementary Awards Picnic

June 16, 2017

Legend



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- First and last day of school
- Non-school days
- Early Release Dates
- Residential Travel days

EARLY RELEASE DATES

1:00 p.m. - Residential students will go to the cottages, day students will ride bus home

September 22, October 20, November 17, December 15, January 19, February 16, March 16, April 20, May 18

After School Program

Fall: September 12 - November 2, 2016

Winter: November 28, 2016 - January 25, 2017

Early Spring: February 13 - March 29, 2017

Spring: April 17 - May 24, 2017

Registration Day*	August 28, 2016	Presidents' Day**	February 20, 2017
First Day of School	August 29, 2016	Spring Break	April 3 - 7, 2017
Labor Day	September 5, 2016	Memorial Day**	May 29, 2017
Veterans' Day	November 11, 2016	Last Day of School	June 16, 2017
Thanksgiving Break	November 24-25, 2016		
Winter Break	December 19, 2016 - January 2, 2017		
Martin Luther King Jr. Day**	January 16, 2017		

*No transportation provided on Registration Day

**Holiday and travel day

Statewide and School Testing Window

MAP (Measure of Academic Progress) 2-12th grades

October 3 - 28, 2016

April 10 - May 5, 2017

SBAC (Smarter Balanced Assessment Consortium)

May 8 - June 2, 2017

Quarters end: 1st Quarter: November 4, 2016; 2nd Quarter: January 27, 2017;

3rd Quarter: March 31, 2017; 4th Quarter: June 16, 2017

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Agenda Items

**WASHINGTON STATE CENTER FOR
CHILDHOOD DEAFNESS & HEARING LOSS
Board of Trustees Meeting
May 5, 2017**

Board Members: Maria Christianson (District #1) (via Zoom)
Allie Joiner (District #2)
Char Parsley (District #5)
Rita Reandeau (District #6)
Nancy Fitta (District #9)
Larry Swift (District #10)

Absent: Nancy Sinkovitz (District #3)
Nita Kamphuis (District #4)
Ariele Belo (District #7)
Sidney Weldele-Wallace (District #8)

Executive Director: Rick Hauan
Superintendent: Shauna Bilyeu
Legal Counsel: Sarra Yamin
Recorder: Judy Smith
Interpreters: Catherine Thomas, Daniel Mroz

Guests: Tom Galey, Director of Business Operations
Jessica Sydnor, Director of Human Resources
Sarah Decker, Outreach Coordinator
Lorana Myers, Contract Specialist

The board meeting was called to order by Char Parsley, chair, at 9:45 a.m. It was determined a quorum was present.

Approval of meeting minutes

Nancy Fitta moved to approve the March 3, 2017, meeting minutes. Larry Swift seconded the motion. It was voted on and approved.

Agenda Change

- Executive Session will be next on the agenda and an additional Executive Session will be held later in the meeting, if needed

Executive Session

The Board went into Executive Session at 10:05 a.m. for 55 minutes pursuant to RCW 42.30.110(1)(g) "To evaluate the qualifications of an applicant for public employment or to review the performance of a public employee...." The meeting reopened at 11:00 a.m.

2017 Capitol Hill Advocacy Day – March 1, 2017 (Students: Dared Redford, Christian Martinez-White; Teacher: Piper Gallucci)

Four WSD students, along with their Social Studies teacher, Piper Gallucci, traveled to Washington, D.C. They had the opportunity to visit Gallaudet University and various Washington state legislators and take an evening tour of Washington, D.C.

The executive director said how impressed he was with the group of students that went on this trip and was proud of each and very proud of each and every one of them.

The 2018 Hill Day will be on February 28, 2018.

Class of 2017 Senior Trip Update (Seniors: Juan Gayton-Arroyo & Jessane Rogers along with Senior Sponsors: Carly Leannah & Stowe Beecher)

The seniors have changed their plans and are requesting an overnight senior trip to the Silverwood Theme Park, located in Athol, Idaho. Their presentation included a schedule, activities planned, staffing and funding information.

The Board of Trustees is concerned with the costs to WSD (staffing, use of state vehicles, and related travel costs). The liability for the school is quite high for an out of state/overnight trip which does not have an educational component. The Board has previously limited overnight non-school related travel as it relates to class trips.

A guest comment was given and the Board will take it and the new senior trip request under advisement. The senior advisors will be notified by the superintendent of their decision.

Due to the high liability for CDHL, the Board has decided that senior trips will be limited to one day only. The overnight trip to Silverwood Theme Park has been denied.

Larry Swift moved that the Executive Director work with the Superintendent to develop a policy and procedure regarding senior trips. They are to be limited to one day only. Nancy Fitta second the motion. It was voted on and approved.

Upcoming Board meeting dates & virtual attendance

- The Executive Director is unable to attend the June 15th and September 15th meetings
- Retreat – July 25/26, 2017 - Tacoma
 - Discussion topics at these special meetings will include:
 - Policies
 - Clear understanding of CDHL finances
 - Roles and activities that the Board members are responsible for
- Future topics
 - More information regarding CDHL's outreach work such as what are the weak areas and what can be done to address them.
- 2017/2018 school year
 - Meet in strategic locations around the state.

- Virtual meetings
 - Maria will be able to join the June meeting and summer retreat
 - Making an accommodation for infrequent absences is fine but it is not in the best interests of CDHL to have Board members attend virtually.

Process for Executive Director's evaluation letter and approval at next Board meeting.

- Rita Reandeau and Larry Swift will prepare a draft letter for the next meeting.

Additional Executive Session

The Board went into Executive Session at 1:00 p.m. for 15 minutes pursuant to RCW 42.30.110(1)(g) "To evaluate the qualifications of an applicant for public employment or to review the performance of a public employee...." The meeting reopened at 1:15 p.m.

Adjournment

One Board member had to leave early. Since there was no longer a quorum and hearing no objection, the meeting was adjourned at 1:15 p.m.

Char Parsley, Chair
CDHL Board of Trustees

Rick Hauan, Executive Director
CDHL

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**Washington State Center for Childhood
Deafness & Hearing Loss
Special Board of Trustees Meeting
June 15, 2017**

Report by: Rick Hauan, Executive Director

What activities/projects have you been doing since our last meeting?

Ongoing meetings

- Governor's Goal Council
- Small Agency Cabinet
- Weekly OFM contingency planning conference calls

May 2017

- *Iowa Task Force conference calls*
- *Meeting with OSPI regarding Memorandum No. 003-16M*
- *Teacher of the Deaf support meeting at the NW School for Deaf & Hard of Hearing (Shoreline)*
- *Statewide Outreach reception and meeting (Issaquah)*
- *Early Intervention discussion for Spokane county (Spokane)*
- *7th Family Fun Fair (Spokane)*
- *Met with Trisha Craig (Director of Special Education) and Justin Carvitto (TOD) of the Wenatchee School District along with Michelle Gwin (Coordinator, Special Education) – Spokane School District and Buz Hollingsworth (Principal) Franklin Elementary in Spokane to discuss setting up a DHH program in Wenatchee.*
- *Met with Executive Director of the Hearing, Speech & Deafness Center (HSDC)*
- *Attended IEP meeting in the Tacoma School District at the request of the parent*
- *Attended the 2017 Collective Impact Convening (Boston). Excellent training in "collective impact". This training will prove invaluable as CDHL works with partners throughout the country. The five elements of collective impact are:*
 - *Common Agenda*
 - *Shared Measurement*
 - *Mutually Reinforcing Activities*
 - *Continuous Communication*
 - *Backbone Support*
- *Second meeting with OSPI and the superintendent of WSSB regarding Memorandum No. 003-16M*

June 2017

- *K-12 Outreach Director interviews*
- *Staffing for 2017/2018 school year*
- *Iowa Task Force all day conference call*
- *June 6-16: Vacation*

On the Horizon

Common Ground – OPTION Schools and CEASD will identify areas for collaboration to help all infants, children and youth who are DHH succeed.

- July 17--19: Common Ground meeting (Minneapolis)

Georgia Pathway to Literacy – Working with educational professionals in Georgia to strengthen our respective preschool programs to make sure DHH children are ready for kindergarten.

- June 26-29: Georgia Pathway meeting (Atlanta)

Washington State Center for Childhood Deafness & Hearing Loss Special Board of Trustees Meeting June 15, 2017

Report by: Shauna Bilyeu, Superintendent

Events

Optimist Club Competition: On May 5th, we sent two students to participate in the Optimist Club Competition in British Columbia: Annie Kvamme and Kyle Culmer. Tyler DeShaw was unable to go due to an injury, so Michelle Clark and Teresa Stotler-Martin volunteered to drive the students up for the weekend. Both students represented WSD well and had a great time. We are fortunate to have staff that support our students in all of their endeavors!

All Star Day: Elementary and Secondary departments pulled off another successful annual event. Elementary held their rewards on May 31st, and secondary on June 1st. Both days were filled with special parent visits and celebrations and yummy food! It was especially inspiring to see all of the students rewarded in some way for their hard work in both academics and sports. The secondary department had a focus on transition with 8 deaf professionals from the community coming to share their stories on how they came to be in the profession that they are in. It was a highly successful event.

Sports Highlights: For the second year in a row, WSD sent athletes to Cheney, Washington for the 1B/2B/1A State Track and Field Championships at Eastern Washington University over Memorial Day weekend. We sent 8 athletes, the biggest WSD contingent in recent history. The WSD track program continues to expand, and this year for the first time in recent WSD history, we had a middle school and elementary track program! Middle school and elementary teams also sent qualifying students to local regional meets. Impressive! Kudos to Ron Spratlen, high school track coaches Tyler DeShaw, Matthew Schindel, and elementary/middle school track coach Nathan Boyes for putting together such a stellar track program at WSD. We also sent our WSD Special Olympics Soccer Team to the state tournament Pacific Lutheran University the weekend of June 2-4, 2017. Our students rocked it! Each of the three games they played went into overtime, and the players walked away with a second place medal for their division. We are super proud of our students. Coaches Candace Davis, Ron Spratlen and Chris Newell are to be commended for the time and effort they have put in supporting our students and allowing for them to shine.

Deaf Field Day: Nathan Boyes led a special event that drew students from OSD, local DHH students from Evergreen school district and students from the Portland, Oregon area on June 5th. Students in grades 5-8 participated in 5 different field events and ate lunch in our cafeteria. It was a fun day that included events such as a mile run, a

medicine ball throw, softball toss and other events. It was a huge project to coordinate and ran very smoothly. Staff and students had a good time.

DLR visit: June 5th was also the day that Division of Licensing and Review came to do a triennial evaluation that includes a comprehensive review of our residential and safety systems. We do not have results back yet, but initial reports are positive. One reviewer said the fact that she was looking for things to improve that included cutting bushes lower to the ground for clear visibility meant that we have a very safe campus!

On the Horizon

- School year staff head out for the summer June 19th. There will be a staff potluck that day from 12:00 to 2:00 pm. All are welcome!
- Piper Gallucci is attending the 2nd National Education for the Deaf conference in July. There is a special Social Studies workshop offered this year.
- Possible western regional superintendent's meeting in Riverside, CA at the end of July. Details are not out yet, but I hope to attend.
- AEBPD training for Montana, Canada and Oregon August 7-11th.
- All staff return the week of August 22nd.

Washington State Center for Childhood Deafness & Hearing Loss Board of Trustees Meeting June 15, 2017

Report by: Kris Ching, Outreach Director, birth-5

What activities/projects have you been doing since our last meeting?

- May 2 Attended ESIT Stakeholder meeting in Olympia related to changes in birth-3 services
- May 3-5 Infant & Early Childhood Conference (IECC), Tacoma – Kris was involved with 3 presentations
 - Early Intervention and Early Childhood Services for Children with Vision and/or Hearing Issues: Statewide Connections
 - Co-presented with DeEtte Snyder, WSSB and Nancy Hatfield, WSDS
 - How to Support Infants & Toddlers who are Deaf or Hard of Hearing and Their Families in WA State
 - Co-presented with Jill Bargones, Family Conversations; Kim Hamren, Listen and Talk; Karen Philo, HSDC Parent Infant Program
 - Making Room for Family Leaders
 - Co-presented with Christine Griffin & Kristina Wendorf – Hands & Voices Guide By Your Side Program
- May 5-7 Deaf Family Camp – Birth-3 Strand Co-coordinated with Kerianne Christie
 - 14 children ages birth-2 were paired 1:1 with one of 14 skilled volunteers
 - 8 families with young children stayed in Skyline Lodge, including a host family
- May 9 Family Academy Night (FAN) at WSD – Picnic and games outside
- May 10-11 Issaquah
 - ASL Specialist position discussion meeting
 - Statewide Outreach Reception
 - Outreach Team meeting
- May 12 Meeting with Amy Hardie and Gabriela Holzman of Spokane HOPE School, outreach planning for next school year and birth-3 services (Rick)
- May 12 Birth-3 Professional Development on Educational Audiology for EI - Sedro Woolley School District and regional EI providers
 - Presenter: Lindsey Engeset
 - Coordinator: Kerianne Christie
- May 15 Respect meeting
- May 17 Early childhood education and preschool services for D/HH, B/VI and DB meeting in Olympia – organized by Lindsay Klarman, Executive Director, HSDC
 - Included individuals from DEL, ESIT, HSDC, CDHL, WSSB, WSDS
- May 18 Outreach Director, K-12 interviews

- May 19 Birth-3 initial consultation for Aberdeen School District
- May 22 CDHL website planning meeting with ESD 112
- May 24 Outreach Director interviews debrief meeting with interview panel
- May 25 Preschool consultation follow-up visit in Pasco for Kennewick student
 - Gabriela Holzman observed the child at preschool and attended the follow up meeting with Kris and district teams to discuss placement with Pasco's D/HH Program
- May 26 Preschool consultation initial observation for Naches School District – Kris and Cathy Corrado
- May 30 Language Coach planning meeting – April, Guthrie, Sarah, Carol, Kris, Cathy

What is on your horizon (include dates)?

1. June 13-16 Western Regional Early Intervention Conference (WREIC) in Scottsdale, AZ
 - a. CDHL Birth-5 team attending: Kris, Kerianne, Kristi, and Susan Bakke
 - b. WSSB TVIs for B-3 also attending
 - c. WSDS, Nancy Hatfield attending
2. June 24-25 Guide By Your Side Parent Guide training for WA, OR, ID, and AZ held on WSD campus
 - a. Event coordination by CDHL/WSD staff for the event
 - b. Kris & Kerianne are presenting and supporting the training
3. June 26-29 Georgia Pathways to Language & Literacy state planning meeting
 - a. Co-facilitated by Rick, and supported by Kris & Kerianne

WSDS-CDHL-WSSB Combined Efforts/Activities:

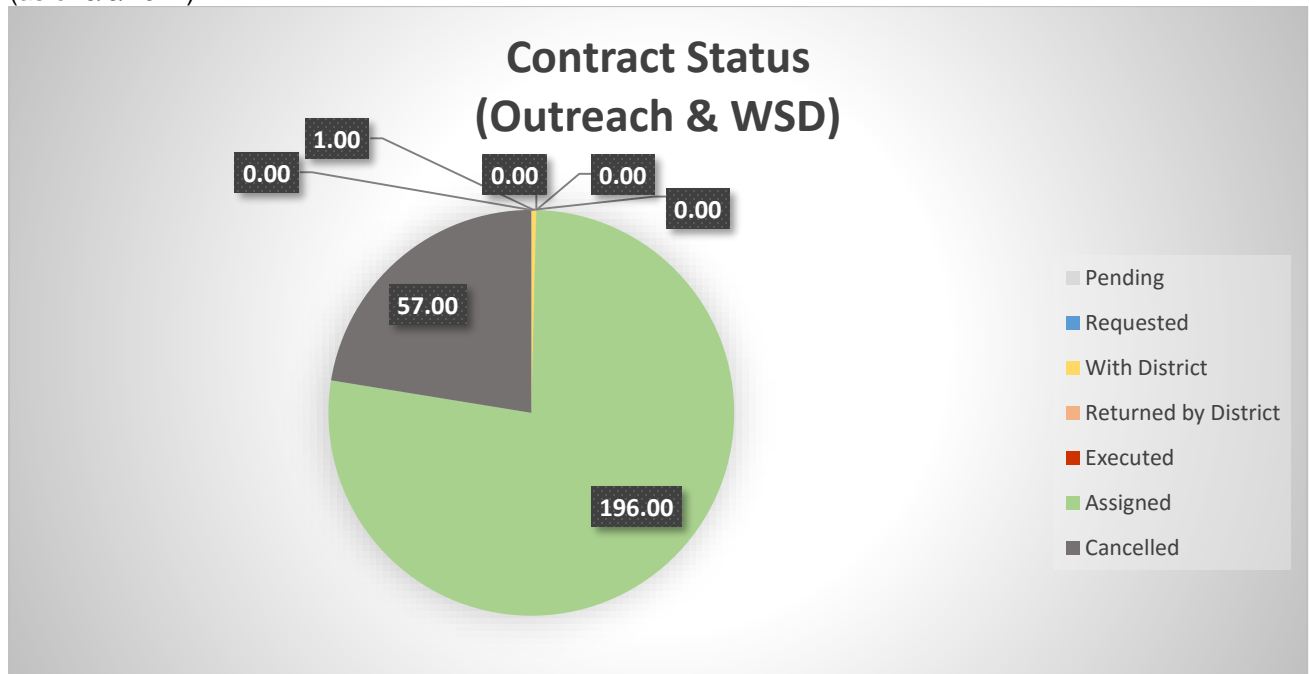
- Results WA – focus on EI and sensory disabilities: Rick, Scott, Kris, DeEtte

CDHL Outreach Report

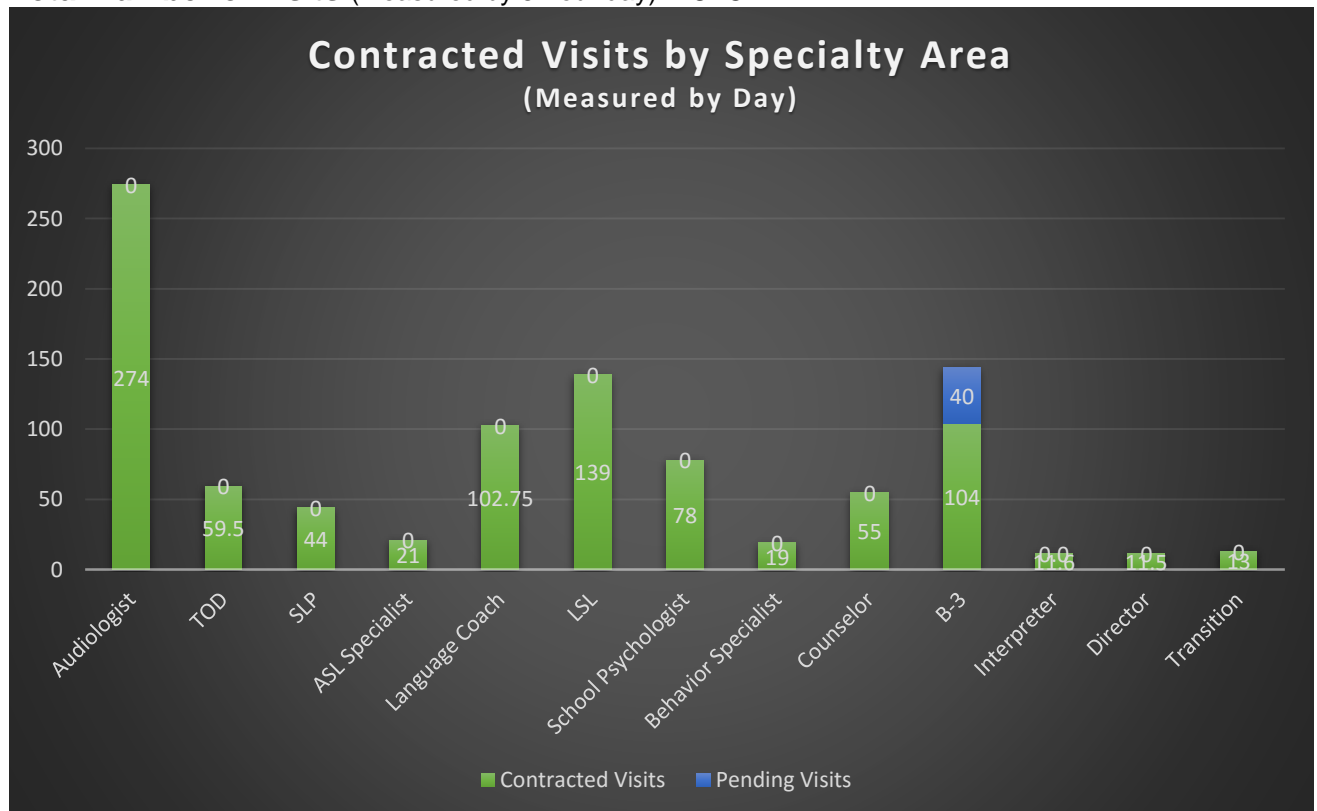
Data as of June 6th, 2017
Sarah Decker Outreach Coordinator

Number of contracts executed since last report - 8
(from 4/28/2017 thru 6/6/2017)

Total contracts 2016-2017 – 254
(as of 6/6/2017)



Total number of visits (measured by 8-hour day) – 973.7



Average time from contract request until contract is sent to vendor – 10.18 days

(2017 contracts only – note this average includes summer lag of nearly 1 month)

Average time for contract to be returned by vendor – 19 days

(2017 contracts only)

Average time for consultant(s) to be assigned when contract is executed – 4.6 days

(2017 contracts only)

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Report by: Carol Carrothers (Outreach K-12)

What activities/projects have you been doing since our last meeting?

May 2017

- *May 5/6: Family Camp: 60 parents, 73 children, 53 volunteers. Highlights: Dr. Shannon Graham and Dr. Jill Ghormely presentations were loved by everyone. Dr. Ghormely is a doctor of Naturopathic Medicine (the only one in the nation). Both were fascinating talks.*
- *May 10/11: CDHL Outreach meetings, Outreach Reception and Outreach meeting in Issaquah.*
- *May 24: Meeting with Pasco DHH program about plans for next year's program. Who will teach what age, where and how students will be grouped.*
- *May 30: Meeting at WSD with April, Guthrie, Jane, Cathy, Kris, Sarah and myself to discuss next steps with language coach project. We decided to approach ODHH to see if they would be interested in collaboration efforts to provide a more comprehensive Deaf Mentor program.*
- *May 31: Met with Sarah and Kris to work on the Outreach Handbook.*

June 2017

- *June 1: Interviews for Director of Outreach K-12*

What is on your horizon (include dates)?

- *Development of a Director of Professional Development position. We will need to brainstorm how this will work, and what is included.*
- *WASA (Washington Association of School Administrators) conference August. WSDS, CDHL, WSSB, D-B Project combined presentation.*

Informational Items

CDHL Data As of May 31, 2017

WSD

- Elementary School: 34
- Middle School: 12
- High School: 46
- Total students 92

WaCAD

- WaCAD: 10

Statewide Outreach

Birth to 5 program

- Southwest Washington: 7
 - Central Washington:
 - Birth to 3: 9
 - 3 to 5: 5

Districts served through statewide outreach (2016/2017 school year):

ESD 101	ESD 105	ESD 112	ESD 113	ESD 114	ESD 121	ESD 123	ESD 171	ESD 189
Boost Collaborative	Cle Elum-Roslyn	ESD 112	Aberdeen	Bremerton	Auburn	ESD 123	Bridgeport	Anacortes
Cheney	Granger	Battle Ground	Centralia	Central Kitsap	Bainbridge	Asotin-Anatone	Eastmont	Arlington
Deer Park	Naches	Evergreen	Chehalis	Sequim	Bethel	Columbia	Ephrata	Bellingham
East Valley	Sunnyside	Hockinson	Elma	Port Townsend	Clover Park	Kennewick	Moses Lake	Burlington-Edison
Freeman		Innovative Services NW	Olympia		Highline	Pasco	NCESD 171	Everett
Inchelium		Kelso	Pioneer		Issaquah		Omak	La Conner
Mead		LaCenter	Rochester		Puyallup		Soap Lake	Lake Stevens
Medical Lake		Longview	Tumwater		Renton		Wenatchee	Lynden
Pullman			Yelm		Riverview			Marysville
Reardan-Edwall		Washougal			Seattle			Mukilteo
Spokane		WSSB			Snoqualmie			Mt Vernon
					Sumner			Sedro-Woolley
					Tacoma			Snohomish
					Tahoma			
					Vashon Island			

Tribal School:

Muckleshoot Tribal School No. 903 (King County)

Private School:

Epiphany School (Seattle)

Island School (Bainbridge Island)

Lake Washington Girls Middle School (Seattle)

Overlake School (Redmond)

St. John Vianney Catholic Church (Spokane Valley)

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Mark Your Calendars!

Deaf Awareness Week

September 18-22, 2017

Homecoming

October 12, 2017

Open House

October 12, 2017

WSBC/WSBCC 2017

January 24 - 28, 2018
Phoenix School for the Deaf

Flying Hands ASL Literacy Competition

March 7 - 8, 2018

All Star Day (Secondary only)

TBA

Graduation

June 13, 2018

Elementary Awards Day

TBA

Legend



- First/last day of school
- Non-school days
- Early Release Dates
- Residential Travel days

EARLY RELEASE DATES

1:00 p.m. - Residential students will go to the cottages, day students will ride bus home

September 21, October 19, November 16, December 14,
January 18, March 15, April 19, May 17

After School Program

Fall: September 11 - November 1
Winter: December 4 - January 31
Early Spring: February 12 - March 28
Spring: April 16 - May 23

Registration Day*	August 27, 2017	Mid-Winter Break	February 16 - 20, 2018
First Day of School	August 28, 2017	Spring Break	April 2 - 6, 2018
Labor Day	September 4, 2017	Memorial Day**	May 28, 2018
Veterans' Day	November 10, 2017	Last Day of School	June 20, 2018
Thanksgiving Break	November 23-24, 2017		
Winter Break	December 18, 2017 - January 2, 2018		
Martin Luther King Jr. Day**	January 15, 2018		

*No transportation provided on Registration Day
**Holiday and travel day

Statewide and School Testing Window

MAP (Measure of Academic Progress) 2-12th grades

October 2-27, 2017
April 16-May 11, 2018

SBAC (Smarter Balanced Assessment Consortium)

March 19-23, 2018

Quarters end: 1st Quarter: November 3, 2017; 2nd Quarter: January 26, 2018;
3rd Quarter: April 13, 2018; 4th Quarter: June 20, 2018