

General Meeting Minutes
10/28/17
Informal Gathering (no voting)

Board members present:

Sarah Cannon
Lauren Dearman
Kat Daviton-Burland

Not enough board members present to approve the minutes from the last GM

President's Report:

RID LEAD Conference (Chris Kelly Reports)

- 420 participants in total
- Local/Regional Reps: meeting with AC's
- Feeling was: Apathy, consensus with similar issues

Lola Johnston:

- Brainstorming group discussion was on fostering growth of active members
- Meetings/committees??

PD Report:

- Announced workshop on 12/2 (Pediatric interpreting)
- Mini-conference 2/9, 2/10, 2/11
- 40th anniversary

Membership Report:

- 139 members total
- Marsha Wetzel: "more social activities"
 - 3 or 4 times a year
 - networking and socializing opportunities??
- FB posting is important
 - MCDHUB and DPHH

Student Rep:

Social events are posted in FB and GVERRID.org calendar
Chris Kelley:

- Need social media committee/group
- Michael volunteered to lead social media for GVR

Marsha:

“HEART”: idea for recruiting for mini-conference

Tristan:

FB ads and sponsorships?

Other ideas for advertising:

- Use texting for sending out quick messages about workshops, events, etc.

Andi:

- Should we partner with Deaf organization in Rochester?? (RRCD, others?)

Nancy Berlove:

Involve agencies and other interpreting companies (Sorenson, SLC, interpretek)

- Have a committee to lead this??