

BWEA Representative Council Agenda for Tuesday, April 14, 2015

The meeting was called to order at 4:05 pm, in the library of Rockwell School. A quorum was established

2. Roll Call (Attendance) M. DaSilva, R. Mello, A. Rezendes, TJ DelSanto, B. Chidester, D. Achilli, B. Leger, G. Arruda, J. Farnsworth, P. Oliveira, K. Barry, T. Talbot, S. Coute.

3. New Business

- Weingarten Cards- your building reps will be distributing new cards after vacation
- Building Meetings- a discussion was had over any questions members have about Rep Council Meetings or those members who have questions to be brought forward at the next council meeting. Building reps will schedule these monthly to clarify and/or answer questions about the previous Rep Council Meeting.
- The election procedure was discussed and the building reps (who are not running for office) will conduct the elections in each building.

4. Old Business

- PARCC Feedback – a list of issues with the testing were talked about and the data will be presented to the superintendent.
- Displacements - Transfers- we have no hard information on the number of layoffs yet.
- February Vacation - gone
- Contract – is being printed as you read this we will all have a hard copy soon.
- Other

5. Building Issues: (Caveat: As the first line of defense, issues should be discussed at Faculty Meetings or at Principal's Advisory before being presented to Rep Council.)

- Colt Andrews- none
- Guiteras- none
- Hugh Cole- none
- Rockwell- none
- Kickemuit- none
- Mount Hope- none

6. Reports:

- Co-Presidents- There will be a public forum on testing held by NEARI at CCRI in Newport on 4/28 at 6 pm. All members are urged to attend and voice their opinion
- Vice President- we have both local and state elections going on in May.
- Treasurer- BWEA scholarship deadline has been extended until after vacation
- Secretary
- HS Grievance Co-Chair- there is a level II grievance currently
- MS Grievance Co-Chair- we have both a level I and level II being acted on presently
- ELEM. Grievance Co-Chair- no grievance in the system at the present

