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**AATF - WI Summer Leadership Meeting**  
**August 6, 2019 - [Google Hangout](#)**  
**11:00 - 12:00 Social & Lunch / 12:00 - 4:00 Meeting**

A. 19-20 Budget

- a. Current state of the budget: 2018-2019 budget
  - i. Membership: **112**
  - ii. Checking: \$788.05
    - 1. **(can not go below \$500)**
  - iii. Concours Oral: \$3,131.96
    - 1. **Maintain reserve of \$1600**
    - 2. **\$500 Grant Check + \$500 for promotional video (to be completed by Nov)**
  - iv. Grand Concours: \$529.23
    - 1. **Create plaques again this year**
    - 2. **Send an e-mail to recipients, pick up at WAFLT, mail to those who don't pick up**
  - v. CD: \$10,161.71
    - 1. **\$161.71 put towards conference costs**
- b. Proposal for 2019-2020 budget
  - i. Increase membership dues by \$2.00
    - 1. **This will be put towards conference costs**

B. Concours Oral

- a. **State 2020: Lake Mills HS, Saturday, May 9, 2020**
- b. Plaques - [Winners Spread Sheet](#) - **Brian will order**
- c. feedback (see below)
- d. Regional Re-Alignment: More like contest centers - **Brian will plot out participants & membership to see if realignment is necessary - use 3rd quarter - in February 2020**
- e. Students provided scripts - **Continue to provide judges scripts**
- f. CO Coordinator - **Ask Lorraine P. - someone that isn't hosting state**
- g. Proficiency Based vs Leveled Scripts - 2020 and beyond scripts (tbd)
  - i. **EL, MS, HS LVL 1 (Novice-L/M)**
  - ii. **EL, MS, HS LVL 2 (Novice-H)**
  - iii. **EL, MS, HS LVL 3 (Int-L)**
  - iv. **LVL 4/5 (Int-M)**
  - v. **SP (Adv-L)**
- h. 2 people to enter scores
  - i. medals are done with two tables and by level
  - j. purchase real staplers - **Brian will purchase**
  - k. remind judges to NOT collect cards (how did cards work) - **Print on front "DO NOT COLLECT"**
  - l. include rules on back of judging form - **YES**





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- b. Brag Page - Media - Will use the Facebook group - Solicit members to post activities/achievements on the facebook group. - **Table until Ellen is past president - wait to see what happens on national level with facebook pages.**
- c. School Page w/school program info - steal from AATG-WI website - Brian will put page together
  - i. include generic info, NBCT, personalized, photo, program levels, willing to mentor -**Do Google Form: Collect at WAFLT, and then send in newsletter. Brian will transfer info onto website. Members will need to update yearly. Photo Banner.**
- d. National French Week
  - i. The leadership team will put together a Kahoot that is state specific  
Would like to discuss omitting Kahoot since National is doing one now - **OUI**
  - ii. Poster contest to promote French in the state - sell them as MERCH - **WAFLT postcard guidelines: <https://www.waflt.org/public-relations/postcard-contest/> WAFLT video guidelines: <https://www.waflt.org/public-relations/video-contest/> - TABLE**
  - iii. Meme/GIF Contest - **Continue and promote**
  - iv. Spelling Bee - **Kara will try again.**
- e. Workshop with Donna Clementi in the fall? - **Table**
- f. AATF-WI Immersion weekend. Suggestion from Maggie to model a weekend after AATF-NH - **Have another immersion session at WAFLT - TABLE immersion weekend**
- g. Create poll for membership around priorities. - **TABLE**
- h. Create and send holiday cards to AATF members (like CHI/NIL)? - **Ellen will bring to WAFLT meeting and we'll figure out a way to order for the holidays.**
- i. Add AATF-WI gathering at AATF National convention (suggestion from Ritt D.) - **Only impromptu gathering - Not a requirement, but can offer as a social gathering**
- j. Start a group of retirees to help chapter (Judith Michaels was contacted in February)  
Come up with role/duties and leader would become an honorary member of exec board - **Kara will use IL social guidelines and contact Judith to reconnect.**

**Feedback from CO 2019**

Outstanding! Many thanks! Your students were wonderful, as well.  
Can't wait to see the video!

Thanks for all you did for this! The contest was very well organized (everything from judges' copies, office supplies, room organization and signage, room monitors, results processing, to collaboration



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between the judging teams towards the end of the contest). The banners looked great, and the video promotion to increase visibility is a great idea as well!

Saturday was very well done. Thank you for all the work that went into that.

Sandy had mentioned one thing - clean scripts for Reader's theater. I remember one year, I had students ask if they could use their marked up copies for the competition. I looked at the handbook and didn't see anything about it. I may have even asked someone, I'm not sure. But we came up with that no, it was not necessary. However, Sandy mentioned it after seeing several groups with them marked up - mine included. And I just checked the judges handbook and it does say they are supposed to have clean scripts. So that is something we should probably clarify for the future - one way or the other.

I thought the day went very well. Nice morning!

Merci mille fois!

Thank you for your extreme organization. This was a model that all should use for years to come. Especially NOT assigning performance times - this has bugged me for years. :) So, I hope others will continue to just have a performance order, not assigned times - this keeps things moving much more logically and smoothly. I have NO complaints, all positive feedback! The kids had a great experience. Merci encore

Merci beaucoup pour avoir envoyé les résultats aussi rapidement. C'était une très bonne idée de varier les catégories corrigées par les profs. Le concours était très bien organisé et tous les élèves qui y sont allés en sont très contents. La seule chose chose que les élèves n'ont pas trop aimé était le style du t-shirt.

Merci encore une fois,

Wow! Saturday was great! Your leadership and partnership in the organization and running of the day's events was so smooth and quick. Milwaukee French Immersion vous remercie énormément pour tes efforts! C'était un vrai succès!