

District 5 Meeting  
October 1, 2020  
Zoom  
10:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.

**Present:** Cheryl Coyle (**Central Piedmont**), Joel Ferdon (**Stanly**), Dana Glauner (**South Piedmont**), Retha Hall (**Central Piedmont**), Emily Leachman (**Central Piedmont**), Leslie Queen (**Cleveland**), Beverly Rufty (**Mitchell**), Sarah Sowa (**Mitchell**), Jennifer Stevens (**Isothermal**), Libby Stone (**Gaston**), Charles Wiggins (**Isothermal**), Lisa Trexler (**Cleveland**), Kimberly Balcos (**Central Piedmont**), Zach Kirchberg (**Central Piedmont**), Gloria Kelley (**Central Piedmont**), Garrison Libby (**Central Piedmont**), Cindy Kuntzelman (**Central Piedmont**), Angela Whitehurst (**Mitchell**), Andrew Schenck (**Central Piedmont**), Donna Cain (**Isothermal**), Cathy Webb (**Isothermal**), Gena Craig (**Central Piedmont**), Mariko Dailey (**Central Piedmont**), Amanda Winfrey (**South Piedmont**), Vanessa Corrigan (**Mitchell**), Valerie Johnson (**Central Piedmont**), Harry Cooke (**Gaston**)

**Others Present:** Alan Unsworth (**Surry**)

- Joel Ferdon welcomed everyone to Zoom. The group was encouraged to share uplifting stories with one another as people arrived.
- Cheryl Coyle reported from the Conference Committee. Highlights included:
  - The 2021 NCCCLA conference will be 100% online.
  - Hope to keep the conference interactive.
  - SWAG kits will hopefully be sent out
  - Hope to update Zoom account to take advantage of Break Out rooms
  - Send in conference themes quickly! Theme will be chosen soon
  - Emails calling for session proposals will be coming soon
  - Registration fee will be reduced this year
  - Dates for the conference have not yet been set.
- Cheryl Coyle also reported on the NCCCLA equity statement and demonstrated that it is housed on the NCCCLA website.
- Cheryl Coyle also described the Treasurer in Training position that will be voted on by the NCCCLA membership in the coming weeks. This shadowing year gives future treasurers the chance to learn the ropes before being thrust into their new role.
- A reminder was given to the group to join NCCCLA if they had not already.
- Joel Ferdon reviewed the new eBook Consortium initiated by NCCCLA. He described the pricing and the levels of accounts available: Basic, Advantage, Advantage Plus. Colleges have until Oct. 30 to complete the application to join.

- Joel Ferdon talked about the Blue Cloud Mobile app. The app is being used by a trial group that will hopefully be expanded. He will receive an update from Colleen later this month.
- The group talked about Blue Cloud Analytics and its uses. Ways to acquire training for this was also discussed.
- SACSCOC was also discussed. Several folks shared their experiences with recent accreditations.
- The group was also reminded to submit CCCLA nominations for officers.

Submitted by:  
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