

GMU NAEA Student Chapter
First Meeting: September 2, 2008
FAB B100
7:20-8 PM

Agenda/Minutes

I. Welcome and Introductions

In attendance: Renee Sandell
Maria Burke
Abby Eisenberg
Courtney Kincaid
Denise Corcoran
Gina Lofaro glofaro@gmu.edu
Leah Dick ldick1@gmu.edu
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Danielle Sutter dsutter@gmu.edu
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Carey Fruth cfruth@gmu.edu

Undergraduates were encouraged to talk to Mary DelPopolo for course guidance in preparation for the MAT program.

II. NAEA Student Chapter

a. History

Renee covered a brief history of the GMU student chapter and pointed out some benefits to becoming involved. It is a good way to learn leadership skills, and how to become an advocate for art education. Members have the opportunity to trade ideas and network with the art teaching community.

b. Membership Benefits and Procedures

Courtney has forms for joining the student chapter which are also available outside College Hall room 211. Members must join NAEA too as a student on the NAEA website. Benefits of membership include making connections with art educators, invitation to attend state and national conventions, receive great publications, and an awards program.

III. Upcoming Events

a. Arts by George –CVPA’s Showcase for Graduate Art Education on Saturday, September 27, 2008

• Volunteers signed up:

Gina Lofaro	Maria Burke
Leah Dick	Courtney Kincaid
Abby Eisenberg	Denise Corcoran

Maria circulated a draft of the setup of our exhibit, “Where Teaching Becomes an Art, from Art student to Artist/Teacher” with a list of items

needed for the event. This is a great opportunity to showcase our program and earn money for scholarships and travel expenses.

b. Conventions

- *VAEA in Chantilly, VA, Nov. 13-15, 2008*

We should try to host an event as a local student chapter. Several members will be presenting on the Thursday at the conference from this spring's Teaching Critical Response class.

- *NAEA in Minneapolis, MN, April 17-21, 2009*

A proposal for the same presentation at the national convention has been submitted. The students that attended last year were fully reimbursed for their expenses.

IV. Upcoming Activities: Fundraising

a. *Visual Voices bake sales- coordinator*

Our request was submitted to have a bake sale at all four of the visual voice lectures this fall at the Harris Theatre. It was quickly approved by Harold Linton. Although no one volunteered for coordinator, many members volunteered to bring food on Thursday 9/18/08 to college hall room 211:

Denise	Olivia	possibly Courtney
Gina	Renee	
Leah	Abby	
Danielle	Maria	

Maria made a sample of stickers with our logos to put on the individually wrapped food for promotion of our program.

b. *Other Ideas*

V. Lynell Burmark

a. *Visual Voices November 20, 2008*

b. *Host event*

Renee Sandell has sent a letter to Lynell Burmark inviting her to come to speak with us. It was suggested that we host an event similar to last year's desert for welcoming Deborah Reeves.

VI. Next Meeting Dates

The Tuesday at 7:20 time seemed to work well for most of us. As members register for the student chapter we will look at their schedules for a convenient time for future meetings.