


General Membership Meeting
June 27, 2013 noon-1:30pm (Alaska Time)

AKEN Agenda

Location: UAA Center for Human Development, 2702 Gambell St #103, Anchorage, AK 99503 [map](#)

Attendees: Alda Norris, Rhonda Johnson, Silvan Robb, Lexi Hill, Ed McLane, Corrie Whitmore (President), Vanessa Hiratsuka (secretary), Karen Heath, Karen Ward, Tina Hudsmith, Lynn Tew, Roxy Lemar, Susan Bales, Danielle Reed, Curtis Smith, Virginia Miller, Diane Hirschberg

Topic	Discussion/Activities	Follow-up/Action Items
Call to order		Call to order: 12:07pm
Review of Agenda		No changes/ no additions to the general membership meeting agenda
Approval of Minutes		Approval of Minutes
AKEN blog	Recruitment of blog posts for AKEN blog/blog schedule	<p>AKEN blog on alaskaeval.org; website includes a blog that is currently only posted to by Corrie Whitmore. AKEN blog is in need of content by the AKEN membership. AKEN members are welcomed to put together content via a AKEN content guide which will be based on the AEA 365 blog post guide. Ideally the AKEN blog will have one blog post a year.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Susan Bales possible poster for September 2012. - Request to put up 3 AKEN blog posts by August 15. - Lexi volunteer for post by July 15. - Roxy for post on the UAA Center for Human Development by August 15. - Rhonda volunteer for later in the year.
Membership Sign-up Process	Discuss the logistics of how to sign up to become an AKEN member	<p>Membership Sign-up process: Bank account set-up to collect dues however the account isn't available just yet. Bank account will be linked to a PayPal account to collect dues. Dues for the 1st year of membership will be \$10. Membership committee is looking at the</p>

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		Hawaii AEA affiliate membership form with additions on evaluation background of potential member. The AKEN website will be modified to include the AKEN membership form after the membership form is reviewed by the membership committee and the AKEN Board of Managers. The goal is to get the membership form and PayPal payment available by August 2013. AKEN will then look at the characteristics of the membership to determine the topics interested for the Program Committee.
Committee Updates		
Membership Committee	Membership committee update	no additional updates
Program Committee	Program committee update	no additional updates
Nominating Committee	Nominating committee update	Nominating committee to solicit nominations in September 2013
Program Presentation	Center for Human Development at the University of Alaska Anchorage	Program Presentation- Karen Heath & Danielle Reed "Employment Projects"
ANNOUNCEMENTS, EMERGING ISSUES, OPPORTUNITIES		
Announcements		
Next Meeting	Next meeting: Board of Managers meeting Thursday July 25, 2013 noon-1:30pm General Membership meeting Thursday August 29, 2013 noon-1:30pm.	
Adjournment		Adjournment: 1:08PM