

Florida Association of Science Teacher's Meeting
05/06/2023
Minutes

The virtual meeting was called to order at 11:00 am EST by President, Sharon Cutler.

The minutes, from previous virtual meeting, were read by Stephanie Gamber. The minutes were accepted as read.

Nancy Besley sent in treasurer report.

Cutler did request if anyone had any desire for a different time for the meetings to let her know so there is better participation.

Areas 1, 3, 6, 7, 8, 10 gave reports. **AIAA sidetech form** will be in Orlando in January. Information will be sent out when more information is given.

Brad Tanner, informal science sent report.

Convention - Barbara Rapoza reiterated location, date, and time for our 2023 FAST Conference. It will be held in Tampa at Embassy Suites USF from October 19th-21st. The 2024 location will be at the same place. Discussion is still being held about 25-26 location.

Zoellen is continuing to work on/send out newsletter/journal.

Stephanee Long is still working on mini newsletter with FAST links and URLs. She asked if we would prefer to send out links at the beginning of the month rather than the end.

Amy Trujillo discussed grants and having a google form to fill out - super easy -, there are 10 classroom grants and 8 travel grants.

All reports are posted on the website, www.fastscience.org.

OLD BUSINESS (none)

NEW BUSINESS

Officers and directors discussed:

- a. Leadership training - learn how to do your job or a job you want to have. Will be held in person in Orlando July 22nd.
- b. NSTA will be a 2-hour virtual training and the link will be provided.
- c. Reach out to the past members that haven't been renewing and reinvite them to renew membership.

The next meeting will be in person in Orlando, Leadership Training, on July 22nd.

The meeting was adjourned at 12:05am EST.

Respectfully Submitted,
Stephanie Gamber, Secretary