

Meeting called to order by John Wargacki

Present: John W., Mary, Susanna, Burt, David, Rachael, Karen, and Crystal

Sec/Treasurer report filed

Fall Round Tables - David

October 24, 10:30 - 12:30

UCC

Flyers: include membership form - email to listserv

Ken can post information at the website

David -ordering food (finding out about costs of hot vs. cold breakfast)

Gita: labels to David and Nira for roundtable and conference announcements

\$200 check to David made out to "Corporate Chefs"

Topics: Assessment in comp and lit. - whether course assessment or grading of actual papers

Charge \$5 - put toward NJCEA registration if they do so ahead of time.

Charge \$5 for walk-in registration alone (not toward NJCEA membership)

Gita will track this

Including students in the Roundtable? Discussion of this

The decision was to do a brief survey of students instead:

1. Do you revise your papers; why or why not?
2. On what do you base your revisions of your papers? (i.e. professor's comments, peer comments, tutoring/Writing Lab, conference with instructor, opportunity to get a better grade, etc.)
3. What motivates you to read an instructor's comments?
4. Do you think your writing is improved by revision?
5. What do you think has the most impact on the improvement of your writing? (i.e. professor's comments, peer comments, tutoring/Writing Lab, conference with instructor, etc.)

Will send these to the membership and ask people to distribute to students and send the results or bring them to the roundtable.

Special event for undergrads? - Discuss this at the Roundtable as well.

Conference:

March 27, 2010

Need a different speaker - one Susannah suggested could not make it.

Burt: Elizabeth Nunez - lit and creative at CUNY - <http://aalbc.com/authors/elizabet.htm>

John contacting Nira about Elizabeth Nunez

We cover board, car service, dinner, train pickup and delivery, etc. as needed for the speaker (costs will be above and beyond the stipend) - all agreed

Alternative speaker if needed: Carolyn Hopper (Susannah's suggestion)

Nira:

Ask Nira if she wants some time prior to the roundtable to discuss conference matters

Call for papers/panels must go out by 9/11 to the membership - send draft to Exec Comm. for approval prior to that date.

Deadline for proposals:

Panels - Nov 2 (so call for papers can go out)

Papers - Dec. 7

Next meeting - January 18, 10:00, location TBA

Ken:

Roundtable date, topics, and survey on website

Conference CFP and dates on the website

CEN updates:

Last issue out

Next issue should be appearing soon

Need separate meeting to discuss CEN - post conference meeting

Meeting adjourned at 11:08.