Minnesota Academy of Reading

October 21, 2020 Agenda

3PM Zoom

MAR Mission:

*The purpose of this council shall be to (1) provide an opportunity for members to actively engage in the process of sharing and testing professional ideas; (2) engage in service functions of instruction, consultation, and evaluation.*

**Attendees:** Lisa Krall, Wendy Richards, Jennifer Lake, Deb Peterson, Kate Kelly

Secretary: Jennifer Lake has volunteered for a one year appointment

Treasurer: Bobbi has resigned. Kate Kelly has volunteered to step in for a one year appointment

* Lisa will send communication to members regarding election for these positions

Business**:**

1. January Symposium Ideas
	* 30-minute recordings with presenters (possible compensation for presenters- Lisa Krall can assist in storing videos in Google Drive to be sent out to registrants)
		+ MDE Updates
		+ Anti-racism Literature/Book Talk- Huninghake
			- Two 15 minute videos- one for elementary and one for secondary
		+ Motivating and Engaging Readers (multiple levels- elementary and secondary)
			- Possibly incorporate ideas for hybrid and distance learning
			- Wendy has a couple of student teachers working in distance learning model- could ask them to share one or two ideas (via Flipgrid?)
			- Nell Duke video clip?
			- Zoom panel recorded or live with teachers sharing ideas
				* All of us think of people to consider inviting to be panel members
		+ Science of Reading (follow up from ILA?)
			- Deb will suggest articles and discussion questions form RQ
	* Follow up discussion sessions via Zoom with discussion questions and breakout rooms (register on MRA website and send link)
	* **Tasks to Do**
		+ Set topics and dates for webinars and discussion groups
			- Release videos and articles at one time in advance
			- Send out two-three weeks in advance of discussion times
			- Send reminders between releasing content and discussion time
			- Timing: Sunday afternoon 4:00-5:00, February 21st
			- Set up Padlet as a way for people to interact outside of the live meeting
		+ Deb will reach out to MDE about MDE updates presentation
		+ Wendy will coordinate book talk plans
		+ Set up registration and info on MAR/MRA website (Lisa K.)
		+ Contact Jennifer Lake about schedule for upcoming meeting in October
		+ Write up an article for MRA Highlights- Lisa and Wendy will connect on Sunday- completed
2. MRA Updates
3. Next Meeting:
	* November 19, 3:00
	* December 10, 3:00
	* January

Upcoming Events from MRA Email Blast

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| * Recorded sessions will be available to registrants to view asynchronously. **Leaders in Reading Network (LiRN)**"Using Understanding by Design in the Culturally and Linguistically Diverse Classroom" Keynote Speaker Dr. Jay McTighe.  Registration is $150.00 for all 3 sessions, a copy of the e-book, and a one-year membership to MRA.  Register at: [mra.onefireplace.org](https://outlook.office.com/mail/search/id/AAQkAGRmOTM4OWI5LTcxNzEtNDZiYy04MjRlLTM5YTVjMjZiMDIwMQAQAAn0oDUiyFJEqBoQlt1szGs%3D#Minnesota%20Reading%20Association)
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