Business Meeting – November 5, 2010

Becky Jackman, TASL President welcomed conference participants.

Becky recognized the following people:

Conference Committee Chairs and Members

Presenters and volunteers were also recognized

Becky reminded participants to:

Recycle all programs and bottles

Please fill out TEA forms for Donna Jerdan

The Conference Program Guide contained the minutes of the business meeting from 2009. Becky asked for corrections to the minutes. No corrections were needed. Becky asked for a motion to approve. Motion was approved and seconded. Minutes were approved by the membership.

Beth Frerking – Treasurer's Report was explained. The report was also in the Conference Program Guide. A motion was made to approve. The motion was seconded. Minutes were approved by the membership.

Becky presented the TASL Officers 2011 recommended by the TASL nominating committee

Pam Renfrow - President

Hannah Little – Vice President/President Elect

Alice Bryant – Secretary – (second year)

Treasurer – Beth Frerking (second year)

Becky asked for a motion to approve the nominations. A motion was made and seconded. Slate of officers was unanimously approved by the membership.

Other Business:

Donna Jerdan – TEA Matters and Read Across America

Congratulations for conference. Donna mentioned Legislative Day. Donna also promoted Read Across America.

Donna asked members of TEA to complete the Annual Meeting Forms.

Green macadoo.org – Donna gave Clinton 12 DVD's to conference attendees.

- AASL Nancy Dickinson, Affiliate Assembly spoke:
 Representatives from every organization come together to tell AASL their needs.
 In spring 2011 Pam Renfrow and Hannah Little will meet at AASL to discuss needs for Tennessee. A new Toolkit online available for working with parent associations.
 Nancy explained that Membership for TASL this year over 600 members, which is the first time ever for the organization.
- Introduction of Stephanie Vance Becky discussed Stephanie Vance's previous talk on Advocacy at AASL in Denver, CO.

Keynote Speaker Stephanie Vance presented her program.