

**NDLA Convention Chair Report to Executive Board
 July 5, 2007 Valley City, ND
 Donna James, President-Elect
 Report #3**

Planning for 2007 NDLA 2007 Conference--September 26-28 @ Jamestown, ND

1) I would like to request that if anyone sees an error/conflict/mis-information in the following draft program, please contact me as soon as possible!!

2) I would like to ask the membership to sell raffle tickets. I have already obtained a city permit & arranged for the prizes. The Local Committee suggested that we could send out 12 tickets to each person who registers for the Conference—and collect the stubs, unsold tickets and money at the Registration Desk. I am thinking that between myself, Kathy Thomas and Cathy Langemo we could get this done. Are there any objections to going ahead with this?

3) I would also like to request attendees to volunteer (on the Registration form) to be a Conference Program Host. Would that be okay? Kathy Thomas could give me the names of those who indicate they would do so.....

4) Any other questions of me?

Activities To date:

- Met with Local arrangements committee several times
- The Civic Center manager has resigned—but Local Committee assures us that everything will proceed smoothly
- Jamestown hotel blocks have been confirmed by local committee
- Speakers and presenter scheduled have been confirmed—will be sent to Marlene on Monday
- Raffle permit obtained from the City of Jamestown
- Sent several vendor inquiries on to Jeannie Narum
- The draft program follows—question marks indicate some work left ☺ to be done
- Conference Participant packets (with final information for speakers & presenters, request for handout masters, meal tickets, hotel arrangements, etc. as well as blank expense forms) will be mailed out to Speakers on the 1st of September

101st Annual NDLA Conference
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 September 26-28, 2007
 Jamestown, ND

Wednesday, September 26

8:00 am – 8:00 pm	Arena	Exhibitor Setup
9:00 am – noon	Club Room	NDLA Executive Board Meeting
?????? 10:00 am – 5:00 pm	????	??Preconference III: <i>MOTSE: Cataloging Audio Materials??</i>
Noon – 8:00 pm	Upper Arena	Registration/Hospitality Open
Noon – 3:30 pm	TBA	Crafting Jamestown Tour
1:00 pm – 5:00 pm	Exchequer I	Preconference I: <i>The Ironic Library: Seeing the Humor on the Road to the Twenty-First Century Library</i>

1:00 pm – 5:00 pm	Exchequer III	Preconference II: <i>Stress: It doesn't have to be a way of life!</i>
5:00 pm – 7:00 pm	Various	Dine-Around Jamestown!
7:00 pm – 9:00 pm	Buffalo Museum	Opening Reception Spiritwood Creek Band

Thursday, September 27

7:00 am – 4:00 pm	Upper Arena	Registration/Hospitality Open
7:30 am – 8:15 am	Arena	Breakfast
8:00 am – 5:00 pm	Arena	Exhibits Open
Time??? 8:00 to 8:15	Arena/Breakfast	Welcome and Ribbon Cutting

Business Meetings		
8:30 am – 9:00 am	Hansen I	Public Library Section
8:30 am – 9:00 am	Nierling	Academic & Special Library Section
8:30 am – 9:00 am	White Drug	Health Science Information Section

Session I

9:15 am – 10:30 am	Exchequer I	Laughter Yoga and the Joyful Journey
9:15 am – 10:30 am	Nierling	Library 2.0: Getting There from Here
9:15 am – 10:30 am	Hansen I	Aleph Reports for Beginners
9:15 am – 10:30 am	Exchequer III	100 Children's/YA Books with Laughter Guarantee

10:30 am – 10:45 am	Arena	Vendor Host Break
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Session II

10:45 am – noon	Hansen I	Smile When You Say "Meeting"
10:45 am – noon	Hansen II	Lighten Up (HSIS?)
10:45 am – noon	Nierling	Library 2.0: Getting There from Here
10:45 am – noon	Exchequer III	Humor That Stress

12:15 – 2:00 pm	Arena	Lunch First General Session
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Session III

2:15 pm – 3:30 pm	Hansen II	Overview of U.S. Geological Survey and Northern Prairie Wildlife Research Center Libraries and Publishing
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2:15 pm – 3:30 pm	Exchequer I	Laughter Yoga and the Joyful Journey
2:15 pm – 3:30 pm	Hansen I	Aleph Reports for Beginners
2:15 pm – 3:30 pm	Arena	Janet Stevens—Need More?
2:15 pm – 3:30 pm	Exchequer III	100 Children's/YA Books with Laughter Guarantee

Session IV

3:45 pm – 5:00 pm	Exchequer I	New Opportunities, New Possibilities: Online Training Offered Through the North Dakota State Library
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3:45 pm – 5:00 pm	White Drug	All Things OCLC
3:45 pm – 5:00 pm	Hansen I	Some Have Leadership Thrust Upon Them...
3:45 pm – 5:00 pm	Exchequer III	Humor That Stress

3:45 pm – 5:00 pm	Hansen II	AASL: National Trends In School Libraries
3:45 pm – 5:00 pm	?????	GODORT Business Meeting
5:30 pm – 6:30 pm	Arena	Vendor Social
7:00 pm – 8:30 pm	Arena	Banquet & Keynote Speaker Terry Fleck: The Attitude Virus
8:30 pm – 10:00 pm	Arena	Keeping You in Stitches Auction with Cheaper Than Therapy entertaining
Friday, September 28		
7:30 am – 8:15 am	Arena	Breakfast
8:00 am – 3:00 pm	Arena	Exhibits Open
Business Meetings		
8:00 am – 8:45 am	Hansen II	SLAYS
8:00 am – 8:45 am	Nierling	NMRT
8:00 am – 8:45 am	White Drug	Technical Services
Session V		
9:00 am – 10:15 am	Nierling	State of the MINITEX Region: A Review
9:00 am – 10:15 am	Exchequer I	New Opportunities, New Possibilities: Online Training Offered Through the NDSL
9:00 am – 10:15 am	Hansen II	AASL: National Trends In School Libraries
9:00 am – 10:15 am	Exchequer III	Author Panel ????? Local Committee Arrangments
10:00 am	Office	Resolutions Due
10:30 am – 11:00 am	Arena	Second General Session
Session VI		
11:15 am – 12:15 am	White Drug	All Things OCLC
11:15 am – 12:15 am	Exchequer I	Morrison????
11:15 am – 12:15 am	Exchequer II	Ghost Ranch Roundup
11:15 am – 12:15 am	Exchequer III	Cataloging Options...When Full-Level Records Are Too Much
12:30 pm – 3:00 pm	Arena	Lunch & Special Guests: The Unshelved Guys Book Signing
3:15???? pm – 4:00 pm	Arena	Third General Session
4:15 pm – 5:00 pm	Club Room	Executive Board Meeting &

Respectfully submitted,

Donna James
Conference Chair & President-Elect