

**National Association of Industrial Technical Teacher Educators
Breakfast and Business Meeting
Hilton Hotel – Ballroom F – 7:00 a.m. to 8:30 a.m.
Las Vegas, Nevada
December 14, 2002**

Presiding: Roger Hill, President

Officers Present: Thomas Bell, Paul Brauchle, Ray Denton, Jeffrey Flesher, Charles Gagel, Roger Hill, Marie Kraska.

1.0 Welcome and Introductions Roger Hill

- 1.1 Breakfast was called to order at 7:12 a.m.
- 1.2 Members of the head table were introduced.
- 1.3 Attending past presidents, past trustees and special guests were introduced. Included among the many were: Robert Deisinger, David Holloway, and Jonathan Gosse from American Technical Publishers; John Flanagan from Goodhart-Wilcox Publishers.

2.0 President’s Address..... Roger Hill

- 2.1 Roger gave an overview of NAITTE and of our niche within the professional organizations of our field. He traced the changes over the years since NAITTE’s inception. He noted that many of the forces that helped create and shape NAITTE at the beginning are much the same forces that we face today; for instance, the current threat to Carl Perkins funding. President Hill delivered a three generation accounting of the evolution of NAITTE. He described how each subsequent generation holds differing perceptions of the organization’s mission and service needs. He helped us understand how we, as an organization, came to where we are today. Given that ACTE is reporting that only 8% of its membership is under the age of 40, there is a sense of urgency for new members. Roger called for a revitalization of NAITTE. He announced the renewal of the Leaders for Tomorrow Scholarship. He emphasized the need for greater support of new members, graduate students, and emerging leadership.

3.0 Awards and Special Recognitions Charles Gagel

- 3.1 Charles introduced the following awards and presenters.
 - 3.1.1 Graduate Research Symposium Awards..... presented by Janet Burns
 - 3.1.1.1 The first place winner was Sharon Martin Coursey. The title of her paper was: *Working it out: Coming to understandings about work among high school seniors in a regional vocational center.*
 - 3.1.1.2 The second place winner was Stephanie Williams. The title of her paper was: *Factors Influencing Career Choices of Female Students in selected majors.*
 - 3.1.2 Goodheart-Wilcox Company Recognition presented by Thomas Bell
 - 3.1.3 NAITTE/G. Harold Silvius Foundation Award..... presented by Marie Kraska
 - 3.1.3.1 The *Outstanding Young Industrial Education Faculty Member Award* was presented to Ken Welty.
 - 3.1.4 NAITTE/Outstanding Service Awards..... presented by Marie Kraska
 - 3.1.4.1 *Outstanding Service Awards* were presented to:
Jeffery Flesher as outgoing Treasurer,
Tom Bell as outgoing Vice President for Technology Education,
Mike Galloy as outgoing Vice President for Trade & Industrial Education,
Marie Kraska as outgoing Trustee.
 - 3.1.4.2 A *Distinguished Service Award* was presented to Steve Petrina for his work with the NAITTE commissioned study: [A Catalyst for Excellence? A Report on the Transformation of the National Association of Industrial and Technical Teacher Educators.](#)

4.0 NAITTE Business Meeting Roger Hill

- 4.1 Business meeting called to order at 8:08 a.m.
- 4.2 Minutes of 2001 Business Meeting

- 4.2.1 Roger Hill, on behalf of the Secretary, Michael DeMiranda, stated that the minutes of the year's business and executive meetings had been distributed by way of the NAITTE web site now located at the University of Georgia: www.coe.uga.edu/naitte/ . He asked that the minutes be accepted. John Scott moved to accept the minutes as given; Roger Hill seconded. 2001 Minutes, approved.
- 4.3 Treasurer's ReportJeffrey Flesher, NAITTE Treasurer
 - 4.3.1 Jeff reported that the auditing committee had reviewed and approved the NAITTE financial records. The auditing committee report was presented by the new, incoming Treasurer, Philip Cardon. *{Note: The full report can be found with the Articles attached with the Minutes of the 1st Executive Board meeting, December 12, 2002.}*
 - 4.3.2 Jeff reported that the Nevin Frantz challenge had been successfully met. Final arrangements for the grant are in progress
- 4.4 President's Report Roger Hill
 - 4.4.1 Roger gave an overview of his earlier report at the 1st Executive Board Meeting. He highlighted the fifteen points on the report; which included an update on (a) the NSF grant for Technology Teacher In-Service Education, (b) the status of the JITE publication, and (c) special thanks to the Technology Education Division for its continued support for NAITTE convention programming. *{Note: The full report can be found with the Articles attached with the Minutes of the 1st Executive Board meeting, December 12, 2002.}*
- 4.5 Installation of Officers Officiated by John Scott
 - 4.5.1 The following members were installed as new Officers for 2003:
 - 4.5.1.1 Treasurer Phillip Cardon
 - 4.5.1.2 Vice President-Technology Education Andrew Shultz
 - 4.5.1.3 Vice President-Trade & Industrial Education Xavier McClung
 - 4.5.1.4 Trustee..... Gregory Petty
- 5.0 Meeting Adjourned at 8:32 a.m. Roger Hill

Minutes recorded and reported by:

Charles Gagel
For Michael DeMiranda, Secretary