



**Washington Association for Play Therapy
Business Meeting
March 23, 2018, Pacific Lutheran University**

- I. Introduction of Current Board Members:**
- **President - Annie Merriman, M.Ed., LMHC CMHS RPT**
 - **Past President - Elizabeth Peixoto, MS, LMHC**
 - **President Elect - Jill Forsberg, LMFT**
 - **Secretary - Krissy Perry, M.Ed., LMHC, RPT-S**
 - **Treasurer - Denise Bower, MA**
 - **Director of Social Media - Sarah Harwood**
 - **Membership Director - Rosie Newman, MA, LMHC, RPT-S**
 - **Eastern WA Networking Committee Chair - Michael Whitehead**
 - **Western WA Networking Committee Chair - Priya Raghav, MSW, LICSW**
 - **Eastern Washington Committee Chair - Kade Hodges, MSW**
 - **Newsletter Committee - Daisy Vergara, LMHC**
 - **Assistant Board Director - Cary Hamilton, MA, MFT, LMHC, CMHS, RPT-S**
 - **Grad School Rep: Alisha Bachman (Antioch University)**
 - **Grad School Rep: Nayeli Aranda (Walla Walla University)**
- II. Introduction of 2018-19 Board**
- **President - Jill Forsberg, LMHC, RPT**
 - **President Elect - Andrea Kunwald, MA, LMFT**
 - **Past President - Annie Merriman, M.Ed. LMHC, RPT**
 - **Secretary - Krissy Perry, M.Ed., LMHC, RPT**
 - **Treasurer - Denise Bower, MA**
 - **Director of Social Media - Cary Hamilton, MA, LMHC, CMHS, RPT-S**
 - **Membership Director - Jennifer Daffon, LMHC**
 - **Western WA Networking Committee Directors - Priya Raghav, MSW, LICSW, RPT (in progress) & Daisy Vergara, LMHC**
 - **Eastern WA Networking Committee Director - Nayeli Aranda, MSW**
 - **Eastern Washington Committee Chair - Kade Hodges, MSW**
 - **Western Washington Committee Chair - Heather Schilling MS, LMFT**
 - **Newsletter Committee - Lisa Brawn, LMFT-A, PT**
 - **Conference Chair Director - Kim Butler, MA, LPC, LMHC**
 - **Student Representatives - Alisha Bachman, Carly Bealieu and Lourdes Gonzalez**
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- III. Review of the 2017-18 Year**
- **Currently 124 Members**
 - **27 RPT/S**
 - **23 Training Hours Provided**
 - i. **Fall Conference in Eastern Washington and Spring Conference in Western WA**
 - **Over 18 Outreach Events to Agencies, Businesses, Organizations**
 - **7 Networking Events taking place on both sides of the state**
- IV. Review of Partnership with Olympia's Hands On Children's Museum**

V. Gold Branch Updates

- **Ways to increase numbers:**
 - i. **Number of emails sent out (1 per month with 2 topics in it)**
 - ii. **Outreach**
 - iii. **Pushing membership**

VI. Information about Fall Conference in Kennewick WA

- Sept 29th, Lutheran Community Services Learning Center
- Speaker to be announced

VII. Financial Health

- **\$6892.51 in Banking and \$21481 on PayPal (as of 3/22/18; before payment for Annual Conference)**

VIII. Promotion of APT/WA-APT Membership

IX. Raffle for those in attendance

X. Questions from members