**AATG**

**Nebraska Chapter**

**Meeting Minutes from Friday, October 5, 2018**

President Wendy Brennan called the meeting to order at 4:45. In attendance were Wendy Brennan, Pat Branson, Dr. Ali Moeller, Dr. Christine Brantner, Dr. Kristen Hetrick, Kelleen Browning, Yulia Evans and Erin Lhamon.

Nebraska has four new teachers this fall. A donation has been made to pay for AATG dues for these new people for the first year. Pat presented Erin with a new-teacher Tasche.

Planning Meeting for AATG: suggestion was made for October 27 at Gretna. Wendy will contact Pam Hoover to get this arranged.

AATG Testing Program registration is now taking place. Over 26,000 students from 700 schools took the test last year. It would be good to have more schools in Nebraska administer the test. Diane Wulf has chosen to step down as testing chair and suggested the President-Elect take over those duties if no one else can be found. Yulia Evans from Lincoln East has volunteered to do the job.

UNL German Week is October 22-26. The Consul General from Chicago will introduce a film on Tuesday. AATG President Doug Philipp will help with instructional activities relating to immigration on Friday afternoon. Pat Branson will distribute flyer via our webpage and facebook page. Wendy Brennan will send an email to German teachers on our list.

Ali Moeller moved to approve the treasurer’s report. Kelleen Browning seconded. Unanimous approval.

Suggestion for spring meeting is to see the performance of Die Walküre at Film Streams on March 30/31. There will also be a showing in Lincoln.

For the fall meeting, our theme will be “Literatur im Unterricht.” We hope to bring in a presenter with the help of an AATG grant. Ali suggested Christine Frey from Pennsylvania. We will look into that.

The Wunderbus will be coming through Nebraska and will make a stop in Lincoln. Amanda Messerschmitt may have more information.

The meeting was adjourned for our Dada Workshop led by Wendy Brennan. Afterward, most went to NILA’s Dinner in conjunction with the NILA conference.

Respectfully submitted,

Pat Branson

President-elect