

SOUTHERN LEHIGH SCHOOL DISTRICT
 5775 Main Street
 Center Valley, PA 18034

TO: Board of School Directors

RE: Professional Conference Attendance

DATE: April 26 2011

Name	Conference	Location	Date	Days	Substitute Cost	Fund Source	Total Cost <small>(including cost for substitute)</small>
Kristin Keck	SIS Admin Training <i>(Admin Training for new SIS)</i>	Allentown, PA	3/31/11 4/8/11 4/13/11	3	0.00	L	24.28
Carol Macomb	Advanced Therapeutic Listening <i>(This is an advanced training workshop – a follow up to the workshop we attended in March 2010 (Therapeutic Listening Program.)</i>	Hartford, CT	4/2/11 4/3/11	2	0.00	L (Speech)	675.00
Ken Jordan	42nd PAFPC Annual Conference <i>(I will be co-presenting with Blended Schools regarding our use of BlendedSchools to deliver Virtual Languages and Summer School.)</i>	Champion, PA	4/5/11	1	0.00	L	301.00

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Patricia Smiley	Hands-on Workshop <i>(A free, 4 hour, hands-on workshops to learn how to integrate computer and handheld data-collection technology into chemistry, biology, physics, middle school science, physical science, and Earth science curriculum. The workshops include lab handouts.)</i>	Allentown, PA	4/11/11	1	0.00	L	0.00
Joseph Helinski					0.00	L	0.00
Joseph Breisch	Rubric Design Workshop <i>(A workshop that shows teachers how to develop and use rubrics to evaluate and improve student performance.)</i>	Reading, PA	4/13/11	1	0.00	L	80.00
Heather Toto					100.00	L	178.30
Carrie Gofberg	Oh the Places You'll Google <i>(This conference will explore several Google Tools and how to integrate them into the classroom. Topics covered will be Google search {which I will be presenting at the Tech Fair} Google labs and Google Earth.)</i>	Schnecksville, PA	4/13/11	1	0.00	L	107.00

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Carol Mickley	RtII and School Organizational Change <i>(This session is designed to assist building leaders and implementers of Response to Instruction and Intervention with a review of the connection between SAS and RtII; 21st century expectations, the myths and realities of people and organizations and change, first and second order change and a review of the current implementation research relative to closing the what-how gap toward sustainable research-based practice, shared leadership and student outcomes. Resources to facilitate the advancement of “collective skill and will: as it pertains to desired outcomes as a function of RtII adoption and implementation will be shared.)</i>	King of Prussia, PA	6/3/11	1	0.00	L (Elem. Admin)	25.00
Pamela Kuntzman					0.00	L	25.00
Melissa Greenawald					0.00	L	25.00
Qingchu Yu	Asian Studies Collaborative Spring Conference <i>(Asian Studies Collaborative Spring Conference: Developing Global Competencies through Asian Studies.)</i>	Reading, PA	5/6/11	1	100.00	L	30.00

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Pamela Kuntzman	The Science of Reading: Brain Based Early Reading Instruction	Schnecksville, PA	5/25/11	1	0.00	L	20.00
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(This session is designed to provide an in-depth look at what we know from the science of reading, and how that translates into the classroom. The big ideas addressed in this session:

- *Learning to read is not a natural skill and must be taught*
- *There is a great deal of research consensus on teaching reading*
- *Scientists know the major brain-processing systems involved in reading*
- *There are key instructional practices that are critical for any beginning reader*

This interactive session will provide foundational information as well as practical tips.)