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Minutes -- October 16, 1998 Meeting  
Kettle Moraine Press Association  
UW-Whitewater, Fall Conference

The annual meeting of the Kettle Moraine Press Association was called to order by President John Culbertson in the Hamilton Center Auditorium at 11:37 a.m.

A motion to accept the minutes of the previous year's annual meeting was made by Alan Packard and seconded by Marcia Sigler. Carried unanimously.

The treasurer's report, prepared by Alan Packard, was reviewed. Motion made by Marcia Sigler and seconded by Tom Gebhardt to approve the treasurer's report. Carried unanimously.

"State of the KEMPA" was made by Jan Kohls, executive director. She reported that 83 publications are currently members of KEMPA. She emphasized that the fall conference and summer workshop are student centered learning opportunities and the winter seminar was for advisors only so they can escape and learn. She also reported this past year's scholarship recipients and presented an update on the website. The website will also be updated after the fall conference. She encouraged advisors to e-mail KEMPA to let the board know what they thought. She also reported the *Dow Jones Advisor Update* was looking for names and stories of students who have gone on in journalism and that advisors could give Jan the names.

Summer workshop director Nancy Becker reported the new format for the summer workshop has a few things to work out, but attendance was up. The workshop made about \$4,000, wiping out the \$1,300 deficit. Overall, the workshop was a success.

Culbertson presented the slate of nominees for the Board of Directors for 1998-99. There being no additional nominations at that time, the slate was unanimously elected. Directors for 1998-99 are: Becker, Katherine Conover, Paul Everding, Jill Greiner, Sandy Jacoby, Audrey Kemp, Hank Koshollek, Joe Koshollek, Packard, Terry Shircel, Mark Thompson, and Kelly Traver.

Awards were presented. Katherine Conover presented the Media Award to John Nichols, editorial page editor of the Cap Times and editorial contest judge. Hank Koshollek presented a second Media Award to Doug Wojcik of the Stevens Point newspaper. Wojcik is recognized nationally as a top photographer and guest presenter at the summer workshop. Peter Conover of Cable 6 at UW-Whitewater was named Friend of KEMPA. The award was presented by Jacoby. K. Conover also presented the Newspaper Advisor of the Year to Bob Chesney of Ozaukee High School. Yearbook Adviser of the Year was presented to Jacoby of Tremper High School by Mark Thompson.

Advisers at the luncheon meeting were asked to fill out surveys about being board members and photography needs and uses in their schools.

Future 1999 dates include: Winter Retreat on March 5 and 6, Summer workshop July 18-21, and Fall conference on Oct. 15.

Motion was made to adjourn the meeting by Packard and seconded by H. Koshollek. Carried unanimously.