**WPTA Northwest District Meeting Minutes**

**DATE:** 10/07/2021

**LOCATION:** Conference Call

**ATTENDEES:** 3

1. We discussed the upcoming WI APTA fall conference.
2. Rachel Sting shared the current WI APTA membership status and financial status.
3. We discussed district board position changes for next year.
   1. Alyssa Amundson is unable to continue with her treasurer role due to moving to Minnesota.
   2. Ben Reich (secretary) is not interested in another term.
   3. Sandi Ritchey (vice chair) is not interested in another term.
   4. Rachel Sting (Chair) is currently unsure if she will run for another term.
   5. Rachel Sting is going to check with the APTA to learn the nominating and election procedure and we will seek nominations at our next meeting.
   6. We may send out an email blast to the district to see if there is any interest from other members.
4. We planned our next district meeting for 12/7/2021.
   1. Location = Northwoods Therapy Associates, Altoona, WI.
   2. Time: 6:30 – 8:00
   3. Sunny Custer (shoe expert at Scheels) will be providing Continuing education about shoe fitting.
      1. Ben will be communicating with Sunny to help plan the presentation.
   4. We will not be providing food due to current state of COVID.
   5. Attendees will be required to wear a mask.
   6. Rachel Sting will be checking in to a platform to use to offer the meeting virtually to members who can’t attend in person.
   7. Ben Reich will be looking in to blue tooth microphone options that can be used to improve the virtual experience.

Benjamin Reich, PT 10/20/2021