

Technology Advisory Committee
Northeast Ohio Network for Educational Technology
April 1st, 2021

ATTENDANCE

Marc Clendaniel	Green Local Schools	Matt Gdovin	NEOnet
Denise Valerio	Medina County ESC	Chris Zolla	NEOnet
Dave Wallis	Cuyahoga Heights Local Schools	Ben Heller	NEOnet
Angie Wagler	Norton City Schools	Cody Lyons	NEOnet
Jeremy Woodworth	Mentor City Schools	Dan Niessen	NEOnet
Bill Fearigo	Barberton City School	Tim Tracy	NEOnet
Bob Bird	Stow-Munroe Falls City Schools	Aly Powell	NEOnet
Mike Russ	Nordonia Hills City Schools		
Brian Morelli	Orange City Schools		
Jake Kallio	Orange City Schools		
Andrew Steidl	NetOps Consulting		
Darcy Sentowsky	Maple Heights City Schools		
Jennifer Smith	Maplewood Career Center		
Tyler Reinel	Manchester Local Schools		
Rachel Willis	Manchester Local Schools		
Matt Hartman	Cuyahoga Heights Local Schools		
Nancy Butts	Summit Academy		
Ron Hollas	Breakthrough Schools		
Jared Wesley	Summit Academy		
Dustin Boswell	Springfield Local Schools		
Ryan O’Cull	Medina City Schools		

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1. Marc Clendaniel, Technology Advisory Chairperson
 - a) Welcome
 - b) Elections of Officers
 - c) Committee nominated Marc Clendaniel from Green as Chairperson and Bill Fearigo from Barberton as the Vice-Chairperson

2. Organizational Update
 - a) Finance Committee
 - Meeting 4/1/21 at 1 PM to discuss and review the FY22 budget
 - Subcommittee will discuss and review the server and facility loan payoff
 - b) April & May Board of Directors Meetings
 - The April Board of Directors Meeting will be held on April 20th, 2021
 1. This meeting will be dedicated to staff compensation
 - The May Board of Directors Meeting will be held on May 3rd, 2021
 1. The board will review and approve the FY22 appropriations and fees
 - c) Service Desk Application
 - Cherwell Service Management is no longer meeting NEOnet’s needs
 - NEOnet has narrowed it down to ManagedEngine or Freshservice
 - NEOnet will make the final decision next week, implement this summer, and utilize next school year
 - d) Fiscal Migrations

- Maple Heights and Kent City Schools are the most recent districts to complete their migrations
 - Buckeye and Twinsburg are currently migrating to USxS-R (Redesign)
 - Medina City Schools are currently migrating to eFinancePLUS
- e) Time Clock Software Presentations – Time Clock Plus
- Demos are being held via Zoom on April 1st and April 15th
- f) Phishing Box
- Security Awareness Training that replaced KnowBe4
 - Please contact Cody Lyons for a quote
 - Price: \$4/Staff Member/Year
- g) Lunch & Learn Survey
- Please complete the Lunch & Learn Survey sent to Tech Coordinators by NEOnet's Tamra Dugan
3. Legislative Report
- a) [HB34](#) – Time Requirement for Student Records
- Require schools transmit certain student's records within 5 days
- b) HB177 – Allow Governments to Use Blockchain
- Allow government use distributed ledger technology, blockchain
 - [Members Only PDF](#)
- c) \$1.9 trillion American Rescue Plan Act – ARPA
- \$7.171B - Emergency Connectivity Fund - ECF
 1. U.S. Treasury not Universal Services Fund
 2. Comments on ECF are due April 5, 2021
 3. FCC has until May 10, 2021 to promulgate the rules
 4. All eligible entities in the e-rate program
 5. 100% reimbursable
4. Chromebook Purchasing
- a) MOU Option
- NEOnet can accommodate districts that want to pay in July
5. Google Storage Changes
- a) <https://bit.ly/3aJFVK3>
6. Network Update
- a) Wireless NPS Certificate
- Certificate is expiring in mid-May for districts not on the NEOnet AD
 - Ben Heller is working with districts to choose from the following options:
 1. Install a new certificate on the existing NPS server
 2. Move authentication to the new firewall server
 - Please contact Ben Heller with questions or concerns
- b) NEOnet Terminal Server
- AD Manager will be the tool to use moving forward
- c) Server and Storage Sub Committee
- NEOnet needs one more volunteer to join the sub committee for the April 14th Storage and Server Demos Review
 1. Please contact Chris Zolla to join the committee
 - Narrowed down to Cisco, Dell, or HP
- d) DHS Vulnerability Scan and Firewall Audit
- Please return the Firewall Audit by April 9th
 - The NEOnet team is working with districts to remove vulnerabilities found on the scans

- e) Zoom Renewals
 - \$10/1-year license renewal
 - \$20/3-year license renewal
 - Zoom pricing flyer has been added to the Google Drive

- 7. Educational Technology Update – Dan Niessen, NEOnet
 - a) Screencastify videos can now be directly submitted to Google Classroom
 - [Full tutorial](#)
 - b) The [monthly newsletter](#) has been sent to Technology Coordinators and is also available at <http://training.neonet.org/>
 - c) [PD on Demand](#)
 - d) Chrome browsers can now live caption audio and video
 - e) Version history is now available on Jamboard
 - f) Ed Tech in 30 Sec
 - [QR Codes](#)

- 8. NEOtech Recap
 - a) Over 700 people registered from 5 countries and 18 states
 - b) Over 200 educational entities attended. The top five are:
 - Wadsworth City Schools
 - Norton City Schools
 - Copley-Fairlawn City Schools
 - Cuyahoga Falls City Schools
 - Streetsboro City Schools
 - c) The top three most attended sessions are:
 - Organize Your Digital Life – Kristie Hughes
 - Let’s Jam(board) – Stephanie Howell
 - Hipster Google – Tools You Probably Never Heard Of – Eric Curts
 - d) Sessions will be available until August 6th, 2021

- 9. Round Table Discussion

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