

Director at Large:

Tammy Will

DEGREES HELD

- B.S.in Animal Science Oklahoma State University
- M.S.in Education University of Central Oklahoma

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

- Morrison Public School - Morrison High School, Morrison Middle School
- Edmond Public Schools

HONORS AND AWARDS

- 2008-09 - Oklahoma State Department of Education Rising Star Award
- 2008-09 - Morrison Public School Teacher of the Year
- 2012-13 Okla. School Commission on School Security
- 2014 - Vision 2020 Presenter
- 2013-14 OkSci Leadership Beta Class

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

- National Science Teachers Association
- Oklahoma Science Teachers Association
- U.S. First – Robotics

Robin Combs

DEGREES HELD

- Bachelor of Science in Special Education from UCO

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

- Mustang Public Schools - Mustang Valley Elementary 3rd grade
- Oklahoma City Public Schools

HONORS AND AWARDS

- Fund for Teacher Fellow 2009-Dive in Down Under- a study of Australia's reef ecosystem.
- Phil Mickelson/Exxon Mobil Science/Math Teacher Academy-2010
- National Board Certified Teacher-Middle Child Generalist
- TOPPS workshop 2013 &2014
- OSTA Elementary Science Teacher of the Year 2008
- OKSci Leadership Team 2014-2015
- Disney Teacher nominee
- NASA Educator Workshop-JPL-2001
- Awarded Outstanding Environmental Education Award

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

- OSTA
- NSTA
- International Reading Association
- OEA/NEA

Shelena Thomas

DEGREES HELD

- Southeastern Oklahoma State University
- M.T. Biotechnology
- B.S. Biotechnology
- Murray State College
- A.S. Chemistry/Physics

EXPERIENCE

- Tishomingo High School: STEM, Biology, Chemistry, Zoology Teacher,
- Science Olympiad Coach , Robotics Coach
- Murray State College: Chemistry Adjunct Instructor

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

- OKSci/OKMath Leadership Beta Class
- National Science Teacher Association
- Oklahoma Science Teacher Association
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Middle Level Director:

John Braly

DEGREES HELD

- BA in Philosophy
- BS in Education
- M.Ed. in Education Administration Curriculum and Supervision.

EXPERIENCE

- Former science teacher in Norman OK.
- Currently an assistant principal at Longfellow Middle School in Norman.
- Taught Botany/Zoology and Biology at Woodward High School in Woodward OK
- Taught 8th grade science and Biology at Irving Middle School in Norman OK.

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

- OSTA

Vanessa Berry

DEGREES HELD

- BS, Oklahoma State University

EXPERIENCE

- Edmond Public Schools – Cimarron Middle School
- Putnam City Public Schools – Mayfield Middle School

HONORS AND AWARDS

- Science Olympiad Coach
- Assistant Academic Team Coach
- OMRF Foundation scholar
- Golden Paw award at Cimarron MS. (A teacher & student nominated award.)

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

- OSTA
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Jennifer Bobo

DEGREES HELD

- Currently Pursuing: Ph.D. in Professional Education Studies Emphasis in Science Education Oklahoma State University
- M. S. in Teaching Learning and Leadership emphasis in Science Education from Oklahoma State University
- B.S. in Forensic Science from University of Central Oklahoma

EXPERIENCE

- Stillwater Middle School

HONORS AND AWARDS

- Oklahoma Academic Standards for Science in Oklahoma Writing Committee,
- Current Co-Chair, Oklahoma State Textbook Selection Committee
- Marzano Teacher Leader for Stillwater Public Schools

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

- OSTA

College/University Director:

Dan Vincent

DEGREES HELD

- PhD in Educational Studies
- MEd in Foundations of Education
- BS in Education

EXPERIENCE

- University of Central Oklahoma
Teach both graduate and undergraduate courses including Teaching Science in Elementary School and Teaching Social Studies in Elementary School (undergrad) and Inquiry Science and Social Studies in a Global Environment (grad)

HONORS AND AWARDS:

- University of Central Oklahoma College of Education and Professional Studies Diversity Initiative Award 2010
- University of Central Oklahoma Neely Excellence in Teaching Award 2010

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

- OSTA

Julie Angle

DEGREES HELD

- Ph.D., Professional Education Studies, Science Education
- M.S., Secondary Science Education.
- B.S., Secondary Science Education

EXPERIENCE

- Assistant Professor, School of Teaching and Curriculum Leadership, College of Education, Oklahoma State University, Stillwater, OK.
- High School Science Teacher, Medford Public Schools
- High School Science Teacher, Alva Public Schools

HONORS AND AWARDS:

- National Board Certification
- Albert Einstein Distinguished Educator Fellow. Triangle Coalition for STEM Education. Arlington, VA, National Science Foundation, Office of Cyberinfrastructure
- Oklahoma Science Teachers Association Award in Teaching Excellence – University Teaching Award
- Oklahoma Teacher of the Year (finalist)
- Presidential Award for Excellence in Mathematics and Science Teaching (finalist)
- Outstanding Women in Education (finalist)
- Phi Kappa Phi Honor Society
- Oklahoma State Science and Engineering Hall of Fame
- Oklahoma STEM Center Advisory Committee

- OKPhysTEC Advisory Committee
- Oklahoma Academic Standards Transition Committee
- Oklahoma Academic Standards in Science Writing Team
- Board of Governors, Oklahomans for Excellence in Science Education.
- Past Board Member, Oklahoma State Textbook Committee
- Past Board Member, Oklahoma Science Teachers Association

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

- Association for Science Teacher Education (ASTE)
- National Association for Biology Teachers (NABT)
- National Association for Research in Science Teaching (NARST)
- National Center for Science Education (NCSE)
- National Science Teachers Association (NSTA)
- National Science Education Leadership Association (NSELA)
- Oklahoma Science Teachers Association (OSTA)
- Oklahomans for Excellence in Science Education (OESE)
- School Science and Mathematics Association (SSMA)

Secretary:

Ava Wilhelm

DEGREES HELD

- M.Ed.

EXPERIENCE

- Moore Public Schools – Briarwood Elementary

HONORS AND AWARDS

- NBCT
- Sitting Secretary for the OSTA Board

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

- OSTA

President-elect

Deborah Hill

DEGREES HELD

- Bachelors of Science Education from OU.

EXPERIENCE

- Norman High School - AP Biology
- National Board Certified

HONORS AND AWARDS:

- Sigma Chi Outstanding Teacher
- Board Member – OSTA (High School Director)
- Board of Governors – Oklahoman For Excellence In Science Education (OESE).
- OEA District representative
- NABT Outstanding Biology Teacher Award 2013

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

- NABT
- NSTA
- OSTA

“I have always been interested in and pursued innovative teaching methods and opportunities in pedagogy and technology. I hope to see OSTA grow into a much larger organization acting as an important resource for educators, legislators and administrators as we move into the future. I hope to see our organization reach out to and build partnerships with business and technology. I hope to see us integrate our services with national organizations and create and continue partnerships.”