Kentucky Philological Association

Business Meeting – March 2nd, 2024

**Treasurers Report**

* Finances are holding steady.

**Webmasters report**

* Charges for maintaining the website and other necessities are the same. Jot forms worked well again for the conference this year.
* Past programs are being uploaded. Members were requested to look for programs the webmaster does not currently have.

**Editors Report**

* KPR is currently delayed but is in progress. The volume will be available this summer.
* David explained how the KPR submissions would take place and informed everyone that Erin would be reaching out with deadlines and more information via email.

**Bylaw Revisions**

* Bylaws were updated at last year's business meeting.
* 2023 executive meeting suggested changes
  + Eliminate pop-culture representatives, vice presidents, and past presidents. The majority at the business meeting passed on these suggestions.
  + Merge Secretary and Treasure into one position – the majority passed this suggestion at the business meeting.
  + Program chair be an elected position – a majority at the business meeting passed this suggestion.

**2025 Executive Committee elections**

* Executive Director – Dr. David Powell
* President – Christy Sulfridge
* Secretary/Treasurer – Ryan Sergent – Payne
* Webmaster – Dr. Shayne Confer
* KPR Editor in Chief – Dr. Erin Presley
* Creative Representative – Tom Hunley
* World Language Representative – Jody Ballah

**Awards**

* The grad students' writing award was given to Beau Kilpatrick.