

ELIOT INSTITUTE BOARD MANUAL

GENERAL LIAISON WITH PNWD

Eliot Institute's history with the Pacific Northwest District is long standing. In fact, it appears that Eliot Institute was instrumental in the establishment of the district itself. There have always been close ties between the groups and Eliot is an affiliate member of the PNWD.

In 1982 Eliot was asked by Peter Raible, PNWD Board and recent Eliot theme speaker, if there was any way in which Eliot summer conferences might be more directly helpful to churches and fellowships in terms of providing specific workshops in the afternoon on issues important to PNWD societies.

In 1984 The Board voted to strengthen our relationship with the District Board, the Eliot Chairperson, or designate, by attending one PNWD business meeting a year and presenting a report on Eliot Institute.

In 1989 Leon Hopper expressed the need to build the relationship between our District ministers and Eliot Institute.

In 1989 the Board expressed disappointment in the scheduling of the Advanced Leadership School at the same time as Eliot II and moved to extend an invitation to representatives from Leadership School and PNWD to meet to clarify roles in district.

PNWD-ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING (AGM) REPRESENTATION

For many years Eliot Institute has had a presence at the PNWD Annual Meeting held in February. This has taken several forms: a display table with pamphlets and other items of interest; a slide show presentation; a hospitality suite and Eliot party.

We have send a delegate to the meeting and others to be responsible for presentations. Often Eliot covers the cost of the delegate and hospitality suite.

In 2002 at the PNWD Meeting in Seattle Anne Knight and Shelby Greiner volunteered to attend and publicize Eliot. Peter Henrickson was already registered and agreed to be our delegate.