Board Report

Early Childhood/Elementary VP

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**April-August 2022**

* Three session proposals for elementary have been selected
  + Musical Ancestries™: Exploring a Child’s Musical and Cultural Heritage
  + Pop Goes the Music Room: Incorporating Pop Music into Your Curriculum through Song, Dance, and Play
  + Play Parties and Movement Games
* An invitation has been extended to Alice Tsui to present an elementary session as well as a potential keynote presentation.
* If she is unable to present, the next choice is LeslieAnne Bird (Orff)
* The 5th slot will be offered to Paul Corbierre (World Music Drumming) who had to cancel last year due to Covid. Probable WestMusic sponsorship.
* I am still hoping we will be able to discuss opportunities for attendee sharing sessions around various subjects
  + Instruments (drums, recorders, xylophones, ukuleles)
  + Music Tech (GarageBand, DAWS, LittleBits, Specdrums, apps/websites)
  + Toys/Props/Movement/Dance
  + Teachers Pay Teachers (Telling our story, growing our own)