Entomology Graduate Student Association

Oct 2013 Meeting Minutes Approved

Officer Reports:
President – Michael Forthman
- Vote taken to change names on Altura Bank Account
  - Changes in names are as follows:
    - President Jesus Artiga to be replaced with President Michael
      Forthman and Treasurer Judith Herreid. Former Treasurer and now
      Vice President Amelia Lindsey will also remain on the account as well.
  - Votes were 20 in support, 0 against, and 0 abstain
- ESA in Austin, Nov 10-13

Vice President – Amelia Lindsey

Treasurer – Judith Herreid
October/November 2013

Expenses:
- $265.18 Welcome Back Picnic
- $113.84 EGSA Pizza
- $266.74 Honey Supplies

Total Expenses: $645.74

Income:
- $83.00 Welcome Back Picnic Donations
- $371.00 EGSA Merchandise Sale

Total Income: $454.00

Balances:
- $477.10 Cash
- $4,631.81 Bank

Total Balance: $5,108.91

Minister of Truth – Colin Umeda

EGSA Representatives:
Outreach Coordinator: Kevin Welzel

GSA Representative: Cole Symanski
- Meeting Wednesday. Any major updates will be e-mailed to EGSA.

ISAC Representative: John Hash
- Combined BS/MS in Entomology being discussed.
  - A 5 year program geared towards applied work/position
- Core curriculum being changed. No labs for 201. Units will now be changed to 4. New
  order in which the core will be taught: 203, 202, 201.
- MS degree option for PhD students who leave the program early (fail quals or leave after
  completely two years of courses) being discussed.
- Department will continue to reimburse application fees for graduate students who accept
  our offer.
Committees:

1) Craft Fair Committee –
   Debbie De La Riva & Amy Murillo (Co-Chairs), Kim Hung, Parry Kietzman, Stephanie Leon:
   - Craft fair is the first week in December

2) Exam Committee –
   Parry Kietzman (Chair):

3) Merchandise Committee –
   John Hash (Chair), Adena Why, Erich Schoeller, Judith Herreid, Amelia Lindsey:
   - Large purchase to stock up on shirt inventory (82 shirts: $1,022.33)
   - Volunteers for ESA tables and to bring merchandise
   - T-shirt Design Contest winner: Genevieve (weevil design)

4) Recruitment Committee –
   Emily McDermott (Chair), Amy Murillo, Austin Baker:

5) Seminar Committee –
   Aviva Goldmann & Chris Shogren (Co-Chairs): still slots available for seminar

6) Social Committee –
   Amelia Lindsey (Chair), Alex Knyshov, Cole Symanski, Jackie Serrano, Levi Zahn, Judith Herreid, Emily McDermott
   - Reorganized and did inventory of EGSA room
   - 2nd Annual Chili and Pie Cookoff – Friday, December 6, 4 PM, Entomology Lobby

7) Technology Committee –
   Max Collignon (Chair), Ryan Perry, Kim Hung, Eric Gordon
   - Computer room access solution -> get mail room keys
   - EGSA website has been updated except for list of current committee members and representatives

NEW BUSINESS:
   1. Next Meeting: December 10
### EGSA Meeting Attendance
October 7, 2013

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