

December 18, 2017 5pm

**Entomology Graduate Student Association**

\*Approve November 2017 minutes – Approved 5:08pm

**Officer Reports*****President*** – Chrissy Dodge

- Thank you to everyone who helped wrap gifts for the Salvation Army toy drive!
- Planning for 2018 camping trip, suggestions welcome.

***Vice President*** – Josh Wemmer

- GRMP/DYP applications due January 12 to Tom Perring ([perring@ucr.edu](mailto:perring@ucr.edu))
- Grad Division Dissertation Research Grant Application due January 22
- ESA PacBranch symposia submission deadline January 10

***Treasurer*** – Austin Baker

Balance Nov 20, 2017: \$7,936.30

- Cash on hand: \$1,028.88
- Bank: \$6,711.33
- Paypal: \$0.00
- FAU: \$196.09

Balance Dec 16, 2017: \$12,457.50

- Cash and uncashed checks: \$4,435.53
- Bank: \$7,825.88
- FAU: \$196.09

***Minister of Truth*** – Laura Leger**EGSA Representatives*****GSA Representative*** – Kaleigh Fisher***ISAC Representative*** – Kaleigh Russell

- Submit written document of cumulative graduate student opinion on the cor 200 series to ISAC faculty.

***Seminar & Special Lectures*** – Jake Cecala & Tessa Shates***Displays, Exhibits, & Outreach*** – Nancy Power***Website & Newsletter*** – Deena Husein

***Entomology Research Museum*** – Krissy Dominguez

***TA Union Representative*** – Ben DeMasi-Sumner

### **EGSA Committees**

***Merchandise Committee*** – Austin Baker (chair), Paul Masonick, Krissy Dominguez, Kaleigh Fisher, Carlos Rosas Sanchez, Josh Wemmer

- New Designs are in!

***Fundraising & Events Committee*** – Kelsey Schall and Kaleigh Russell (co-chairs), Tessa Shates, Erica Sarro, Kaleigh Fisher, Mari West, Gabby Martinez, Xinmi Zhang, Laura Leger

- Big thank you to all of our student volunteers at the craft fair
- Event overview
- Fiscal breakdown
- Any suggestions for next year?

***Social Committee*** – Deena Husein and Mari West (co-chairs), Paul Masonick, Luke Kresslein, Rachel Norris, Josh Wemmer

- 50 plus people attended this year's Chili and Pie Cook-off
- Congratulations to Kathy Redd and Dr. Lauren Ponisio for their winning submissions!
- The committee spent a total of \$203.45 on toppings, side, and drinks (with extra to spare)

***Exam Committee*** – Ben DeMasi-Sumner (chair), Nancy

- Shhh. Provide materials.

***Hospitality Committee*** – Jackie Serrano (chair), Ben DeMasi-Sumner

***Technology & Social Media Committee*** – Paul Masonick and Sam Smith (co-chairs), Krissy Dominguez, Ryan Perry, Rob Straser

- I want to highlight our awesome hardworking graduate students! Please send me (Krissy, [cdomi009@ucr.edu](mailto:cdomi009@ucr.edu)) amazing photos of you in action in the lab, field, etc. with a short description of your research!
- Write a blog post for our EGSA blog (<http://ucr-egsa.weebly.com/>) and receive 1hr of outreach! Great way to highlight your research or other entomology interest, and looks good on a CV.

Meeting adjourned: 5:52pm

