

June 6th, 2017

Entomology Graduate Student Association

*Approve May 2017 minutes: Approved 12:06PM

Officer Reports***President*** – Jackie Serrano

- Please attend Spring Social to hear about Outstanding Faculty, Staff, and EGSA member awards. Thank you to everyone who nominated and voted.
- Reminder to have your annual committee meeting.
- Don't forget to register for Fall classes/seminars.
- Student seminar day is currently scheduled for Monday, September 18th.
- Camping trip is booked for Sept. 22-24 at Point Mugu State Park
- ESA 2017 in Denver – Can edit your abstracts until October 9th.
- Welcome Chrissy Dodge as the 2017-18 EGSA President!
- EGSA Constitution & Bylaws Amendments
- EGSA 2017-18 Budget

Vice President – Chrissy Dodge

- Applications for NIFA AFRI pre- and postdoctoral fellowships are due Wednesday, June 21 at 2pm (5pm eastern)
- ESA 2017 early bird registration (\$195) opens at the end of June. Deadline is Wednesday, September 13. Registration will then be \$350.

Treasurer – Jake Cecala

For the period from 3 May to 2 Jun 2017

Income: 71.54

- 71.54 – misc. merch sales

Expenses: 279.56

- 87.91 – pizza for May 2017 EGSA meeting
- 90.00 – pizza for June 2017 EGSA meeting
- 60.17 – new cooler (Discretionary)
- 31.30 – new cash box (Discretionary)
- 86.87 – award plaques (Discretionary)
- 9.18 – reimbursement
- 1.00 – May 2017 Altura account fee

Current balances, 4 Jun 2017

- Cash on hand: 415.30
- Altura account: 8,779.34
- TOTAL FUNDS: 9,194.64

Reminder: Please keep receipts for all purchases for which you wish to be reimbursed.

Minister of Truth – Deena Husein

Committee Reports

Fundraising – Kelsey Schall, Kaleigh Russel, Tessa Shates, and Chrissy Dodge

- Budget supplementation to purchase cages, supplies, and summer-only insects
- Reminder - Provide suggestions for next insect fair

Merchandise – Paul Masonick (Chair), Austin Baker, Kelsey Schall, Kristin Wolfe, Krissy Dominguez

Social Committee – Mari West (Co-chair), Levi Zahn, Paul Masonick, Chrissy Dodge, Deena Husein (Co-chair)

- Ice Cream Float Social, this Friday, 4-6PM in the Entomology Courtyard.

GSA Representative – Kaleigh Fisher

Exam – Ben Demasi-Sumner

- Shhh. Provide materials.

Technology - Eric Gordon (Chair), Ryan Perry, Amelia Lindsey, Paul Masonick

Hospitality (Winter Qtr. Recruitment Day) – Amelia Lindsey

EGSA Departmental Representative Reports

Instructional and Student Affairs Committee (ISAC) – Amelia Lindsey

- Combined 5 year BS/MS program is going to faculty for review.

Seminar Representatives – Jake Cecala & Michelle Miner

Upcoming seminars:

- June 12 (finals week) and June 19 are tentatively reserved for the remaining endowed urban chair position candidates.
- The ENTM 250 seminar series will resume October 2.

Website and Newsletter – Eric Gordon

- Reminder: Student publications are announced on the website (<http://egsa.ucr.edu/>). Whenever you publish something, send the citation info to egord003@ucr.edu to have it included (including recent past).
 - Eric had made an effort to manually update our publications page on our blog website.
 - Everyone should make sure publications haven't been overlooked
- Reminder: EGSA Blog (<http://ucr-egsa.weebly.com/>): Please write blog posts for our EGSA blog. This is great free and easy publicity for yourself, great for your CV. Each blog post = 1 hour of outreach service!

Meeting adjourned: 12:34PM