

ISU AMS

MEETING MINUTES

9/25/12

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Meeting start: 7:02pm

Estimated attendance: 50

We started this meeting off with a great presentation by Tristan about the trip that several members of ISU AMS took this past summer to help rebuild Joplin, MO.

President- Josh Alland

- Based on the results of the surveys from the last meeting, ISU AMS regular meetings will be held on Tuesdays at 7:00 pm for the rest of the semester
- LAS council update
 - o We will be asking for \$2500 to help fund transportation down to the national AMS conference
- National AMS conference
 - o While we are trying to cover the cost of transportation, the conference will still cost a good amount of money
 - For the week, the conference will cost a maximum of \$424 per person
 - This includes hotel and conference registration costs
 - The minimum amount that each person will have to pay is \$190 for the registration fee, since this is paid for online and cannot be reimbursed by ISU AMS
 - o We will be forming a committee to help plan the trip to the conference, and a sign-up sheet was sent out

- Another sign-up sheet was sent around to determine how many people were nearly positive that they would be going to the conference
- For more information, contact Josh
- Yankee Candle fundraiser
 - This will help cover the hotel costs of the conference
 - We will be selling over a two week period, starting after the next meeting
 - If each of us sells around 4 candles, we could make as much as \$3000 to help fund the trip down to the national AMS conference
- The next NWA meeting is tomorrow at the Des Moines NWS office in Johnston at 6:30pm
- The Major Fair is on October 8th, watch for more information
- Joplin trip reimbursement
 - We are having trouble reimbursing Tristan the full \$400 due to troubles with campus accounting
 - Due to this problem, we are only able to reimburse him a total of \$200
 - We voted again on this, and the motion passed unanimously
- ISU AMS Mobile Home Project
 - A sign-up sheet was sent around to be a part of the committee

Vice President- Kristy Carter

- Clothing orders are due on Friday to Kristy
- Window cling contest
 - We voted on the four designs, and Kyle's design won! He received a \$10 B-dubs gift card. His winning design was:



METEOROLOGY

Treasurer- Wes Rondinelli

- We did not use any funds in the last balance period, so we do not have a current balance
- Cold Stone fundraiser
 - 6pm-9pm tomorrow at the Cold Stone on Duff Ave, TELL EVERYONE YOU KNOW!!!!
 - Be sure to tip!
- Turn in intramural fees if you haven't already!
- We can no longer reimburse people, so if you would like to use chapter funds, make sure to talk to Wes or Josh beforehand!

Secretary- Sean Stelten

- If you miss a meeting, read the minutes. If you're reading this, then that means you already are, so good for you!
- Remember to buy and sell AMS calendars
 - \$12 a calendar, \$14 if you would like them shipped
 - Get your money and forms to Kristy

Social Chair- Justin Keller

- Intramural update
 - o Curling is unfortunately done, however everyone had fun!
 - o Girl's broomball won 2-1!
 - o New intramurals
 - 6 player volleyball
 - Dodgeball
 - Battleship H2O
 - Adventure race
 - If you would like more information on adventure race or battleship, contact Kristy
 - A sign-up sheet was sent around for each intramural
- Bonfire
 - o This Friday at McFarland Lake Park, NE of Ames
 - o 6:30pm, we will be providing rides from the parking lot north of Agronomy at 6:10pm
 - o There will be food, games, and flour (to make the fire explode, of course)
- Valleyscare
 - o At Valleyfair amusement park in Shakopee, MN
 - o Day trip up there would cost about \$40 per person
 - o A sign-up sheet was sent around
- Corn maze
 - o A-maze-ingly awesome!!!
 - o Sunday, October 14th
 - o Mid-afternoon, watch for more details
- KCCI tour
 - o Tuesday, October 23rd

Outreach Chair- Tristan Morath

- Road Less Traveled
 - o We passed out a sign-up sheet at the last meeting, however we didn't get as many people as we would like
 - o Oct. 11th (grades 9-12), 18th (grades 6-8), and 25th (grades 6-8)
 - o Promotes women in science and engineering
- Science Bound ISU
 - o October 20th
 - o Promotes diversity in science
 - o Watch for more info
- Weather merit badge
 - o You will be teaching boy scouts the weather merit badge
 - o Saturday, November 10th (total of 6 hours)
- Remember, send epic weather photos to Tristan for next year's calendar!
 - o ONLY HORIZONTAL PICTURES PLEASE!

Academic Chair- Kyle Knipper

- Study sessions are doing well

- Scholarships/Internships
 - 3 NWA scholarships are still available
 - Apply at the NWA website
 - Relatively easy to apply for
 - Deadlines are coming up
 - AMS scholarships
 - AMS named scholarships
 - For juniors with a 3.25 or higher GPA
 - Deadline is February 8th
 - Graduate fellowship program
 - For seniors who are planning on going to grad school and who have a 3.25 or higher GPA
 - Deadline is January 18th
 - Hollings scholarship
 - \$8000 per year for 2 years
 - 10 week paid (\$650 per week) internship over the summer anywhere you want in the US
 - Must have a 3.0 or higher GPA
 - Deadline is January 31st
- Summer internship/scholarship info
 - A sheet was sent around asking for information about what internships or scholarships people have received
- Student assistantship and travel grants applications are due October 12th and 14th, respectively
 - Great opportunity if you are planning to attend the national AMS conference
- Abstracts for the student national AMS conference are due October 1st
- USE THE FORUMS!!!!

Forecasting- Kristy Carter

- Snowfall forecast contest information will be sent out in an email
- WxChallenge started yesterday
 - 23 people are participating from Iowa State
- Iowa Forecasting Contest has been cancelled due to low participation
- ISD forecasting
 - If anyone else wants to do it, email Corey (charguth@iastate.edu)
 - The winner of this period's contest is Josh and Katie

Webmaster- Matt Lauridsen

- The website should be completely up to date
- Study session meeting times/locations have been posted to the main page
- Forums
 - Sign up! This can be done on the main page
- Website tidbit
 - Officer Bios

Historian- Katie Voitik

- Alumni of the month

- Matt Hoffman!
- Check out his video response here:
<http://www.youtube.com/user/CysEyesISU?feature=mhum>
- Picture of the month:

“Call Sam Maybe”



- Send in event photos to Katie!

Past President- Rob Nelson

- Hy-vee bag program is up and running!

Cy's Eyes on the Skies- Justin Keller and Sam Schreier

- The past two shows have gone very well, we hope that will continue
- T-shirts
 - \$15 each
 - We would like to give a free shirt to Dave Flory and the people that helped set up Fusion
 - The club voted, and the motion passed unanimously
 - Grey will be the base color
 - A sign-up sheet was sent around

- Like the Facebook page!

Sophomore Chair- Erin Jackson

- Freshman/Sophomore social
 - o Sunday Oct. 7th at Brookside Park
- Get to know a freshman
 - o Elizabeth Lennartson

Meeting end: 8:05pm

Next Meeting:
Tuesday, October 30th
7:00pm
3140 Agronomy Hall

This is our Halloween meeting, and we will be having a costume contest! Dress up, and the winner will receive a prize!

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