

ISU AMS

Meeting Minutes

11/27/12

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Meeting start - 7:00pm

Katherine Meinig presented about meteorology opportunities in Air Force ROTC.

President- Josh Alland

- Final meeting of the semester, have a great winter break!
- AMS conference update
 - o 31 total are going
 - o Everyone needs to sign up by Friday, November 30th
 - After Monday, December 3rd the price goes up
 - Registration is \$190
 - o Additional money (besides the \$190) will be:
 - \$100
 - Those who received department funding will be reimbursed \$100 after the conference
 - \$20 for those that received the student assistantship
 - Get money to Kristy, Wes, or Josh ASAP!
 - By the end of the week would be excellent
 - o Complete the waiver form for the group vans ASAP, everyone should have gotten an email for that

- There will be a **MANDATORY meeting on Wednesday, December 5th at 8pm in Agronomy 3128** for those going to the conference
 - This will cover logistics of the trip and conference etiquette
 - If you cannot make it, you must talk to Josh or Kristy
- We voted on paying for the hotel and vans fees for the conference trip
 - Discussion
 - We will not be profiting or seeing a deficit for this motion
 - Total will be about \$5000
 - Tristan motioned for the chapter to pay for the AMS conference trip fees
 - Multiple seconds
 - Motion PASSED
- Mobile home project
 - Will hold off until the spring, since severe weather is more relevant then
 - We have not received any responses to our inquiries
- LAS council update
 - We received \$600 for our annual allocation

Vice President- Kristy Carter

- Window clings
 - \$5 each
 - Contact Kristy to get one
 - Great Christmas gifts!
- Science Olympiad
 - Ames Science Olympiad contacted us asking if we could tutor the participants on the weather portion of the event
 - Talk to Kristy if interested
- Puerto Rico photo contest
 - Voting for this will happen via email due to projector problems
 - See Josh's email titled "AMS picture contest voting" for instructions

Treasurer- Wes Rondinelli

- Current balance is \$3671
- Pay conference fees to Kristy, Josh, or Wes, NOT THE AMS MAILBOX!!

Secretary- Sean Stelten

- Missed you all, I'm sorry I wasn't there...
- If you missed the meeting, read the minutes! They're ever so much fun
- Calendars
 - \$12 each, \$14 for shipped
 - They make great Christmas presents

- If you'd like to participate in the contest, and beat Kristy, you must sell as many calendars as you can by the end of the year

Social Chair- Justin Keller

- No more intramurals for this semester
- Caroling
 - Tim Marquis is setting this one up
 - We will travel to professors' house and sing Christmas carols, sometimes for money
 - A sign-up sheet was sent around

Outreach Chair- Tristan Morath

- Sent around a sign-up sheet for this year's calendar committee, will start next semester
- Science bowl judging
 - A sign-up sheet was sent around
 - This will take place next semester
 - Should only be a 4hr commitment
- Send cool weather photos (may be used in this year's calendar) to Tristan
- Hy-Vee calendar sales
 - Friday November 30th from 4-8 and Saturday December 1st from 12-4 at the east Hy-Vee

Academic Chair- Kyle Knipper

- Study sessions
 - There will be finals review sessions over dead week
- Scholarship deadlines
 - Hollings is due January 31st
 - AMS scholarships are due February 8th
 - Use Christmas break wisely for these!
- Internship/REU deadlines
 - Look over our website for REU ideas
 - Internships look great on resumes
- Keep using the forums!

Forecasting- Kristy Carter

- WxChallenge
 - Don't forget to forecast!!!
 - Read the reminder emails
- Snowfall forecast
 - Ongoing since there has been no snow
 - If no snow has still not fallen before the end of the semester, a new calendar will be put up in the map room
- ISD

- Will go through dead week but not finals week
- Winners from last period were Katie and Josh

Webmaster- Matt Lauridsen

- For those applying for scholarships/internships, you should go to the website's scholarship/internship page to see who has gotten ones that you are applying for
 - Great way to receive tips and criticism for your applications

Historian- Katie Voitik

- AMS poster
 - If you would like to see what the poster looks like, talk to Katie
- Alumni of the month
 - JoBeth Minnear
- Picture of the month:

Cy's eyes Halloween episode



Past-President- Rob Nelson

- None

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

- Cy's eyes has been going well
- Participation
 - o We need more freshmen!
- Tape swap will be happening next semester
- Will be trying to get faculty over next semester
- If you take cool weather pictures, you should put it on our Facebook page so we can put it on air
- If you can't find slots to go on air, email Sam or Justin and they'll see what they can do

Sophomore Chair- Erin Jackson

- Freshman of the month
 - o Natalie LaLuzerne
- Assassins
 - o We will start this next semester
 - o Prizes will be involved!

Meeting end- 7:47pm

Reminder: The mandatory meeting for those going to the AMS national conference will be on Wednesday, December 5th at 8:00pm in 3128 Agronomy!

Next Meeting
Tuesday January 22nd
7:00pm
Agronomy 3140

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