Meeting start – 7:01pm
Total in attendance – 23

Attendance was a bit low this month due to heavy snow and a physics midterm exam.

President- Josh Alland
- Trickle-down election voting
  o We would like to change how we do election voting from one “trickle-down” to two, allowing for people to fall down to and run for two lower positions if they do not get the position they originally desired
  o This is something we would need to vote on in order to change, however due to the physics test and snow storm we did not have the required 2/3 to vote
  o This will be addressed again at the next meeting
- NWA meeting
  o Wednesday, February 27th at 7:30pm at Godfather’s Pizza in Ankeny
  o In order to receive the member discount for the NWA conference you need to be both an NWA member and have attended at least two meetings
- Alliance for Iowa State
  o This is a program that helps get students involved in policy making and government
  o We are considering taking advantage of this program to help our mobile home project move forward.
  o Learn more at http://alliance.isualum.org/
- Mobile home project
  - Nathan needs to step down due to conflicts
  - Sarah Stewart will now be in charge
  - We would also like a junior or below to work on this as well
- CHILL radar tour
  - The CHILL research radar is run by Colorado State University
  - Like last year, we will be taking a virtual tour of the facility
  - Thursday, March 14th, time TBA
- Pizza sales
  - Going pretty well so far
  - Come buy pizza and tell your friends!
- No spring break trip this year
- National AMS membership
  - If you got the discounted dues at the beginning of the school year, you MUST sign up for national AMS membership
- Weather radio programming
  - Saturday, March 30th
  - This is the Saturday of Severe Weather Awareness Week
  - Will either be at ISU or HyVee
- End of the year banquet
  - The idea here is a formal, celebratory style event
  - Will include things like a senior send-off, year-in-review slideshow, etc.
  - Location options
    - Old Chicago
    - Olde Main
    - Okoboji Grill
  - Tentative date is Friday, May 3rd
- Election process
  - Nominations are next meeting
  - After nominations, Josh will send out a questionnaire with questions asking things like credit count, why you’re interested in the position, etc.
  - The responses will then be shared with the chapter and will not be used on election night
  - We will be using clickers for elections again this year
- There are several smaller activities that people will be able to lead for the rest of the year
  - Creating a new ISU AMS display
  - Remaking the Weather Jeopardy board
  - Decorating the conference poster cabinet
  - Helping lead the mobile home project
  - Planning the banquet
  - A sign-up was sent around

**Vice President** - Kristy Carter
- NWA Severe Storms conference
  - 34 signed up to go
- LAS council did not provide as much funding as past years, so student NWA members will pay $36.25 and non-members will pay $63.25
  - Money needs to be given to Josh, Wes, or Kristy by **MARCH 8th AT 5PM!!!**
- If you haven’t told Kristy already, send her your food preference (vegetarian or regular) or else you will be defaulted to regular
- Additionally, let Kristy know if you’d like your name to not be in the conference directory
- **VEISHEA weatherfest**
  - We need 2-3 people for about 1 hour long shifts
  - Contact Kristy if you have any ideas for the tent
- **Window clings**
  - Sell them!
- **Spring clothing**
  - Kyle was the only one to send in a design, so that one won!
  - However, due to a new trademarking policy, student organizations are no longer allowed to use trademarked Iowa State logos (“IOWA STATE”, Cy, etc) on clothing, so this will need to be revised
  - The shirt color might be black

**Treasurer** - Wes Rondinelli
- We will be getting an official balance statement soon, however it is currently around $2000
- Panda Express fundraiser is coming up on Wednesday, March 27th from 12-6pm
- We hope to have a BWW update by next meeting

**Secretary** - Sean Stelten
- Miss a meeting? Well golly gee, read the minutes!
- Continue to sell calendars!
- Department recruitment video
  - Sean will be sending out a form where people can sign up to be on a committee for organizing the video
  - We need to create an outline for what we what to include in the video
  - Dave will be contacted as well

**Social Chair** - Justin Keller
- Intramurals
  - Co-ed volleyball
  - Co-ed broomball
  - You must pay the $5 fee before Justin will sign you up for a team, these are due March 12th
  - A sign-up sheet was sent around
- **NCAA basketball bracket challenge**
  - We will be doing a bracket challenge for the men’s NCAA basketball tournament
  - The winner will receive a $10 gift card to Hickory Park
- This will be done online
  - A sign-up sheet was sent around

  - Storm chasing seminar
    - Thursday, March 7th at 5pm in 3128 Agronomy
    - Will be led by Ethan, Bryce, and Tim
    - They will go over storm chasing basics

  - Disney movie night
    - Thursday, March 7th at 6pm
    - There will be a poll on Facebook to pick the movies
    - Woo Disney!

  - Tornado simulator tour
    - We are still trying to find a date for this

**Outreach Chair**- Tristan Morath

  - Relay for Life
    - We are the “Cure Chasers”

  - Food shelters
    - Wednesday, March 13th

  - Edwards class presentation
    - Will be on April 9th, 10th, or 15th

**Academic Chair**- Kyle Knipper

  - Scholarships
    - NWA broadcast meteorology scholarship is due in April

  - Study sessions
    - Going well
    - There will be no 342 exam review due to schedule conflicts

  - Elementary poster contest
    - We are still waiting on posters

  - Use the forums! It’s like the Force, only more words and less sci-fi

**Forecasting**- Kristy Carter and Corey Harguth

  - WxChallenge
    - Currently forecasting for Newark, NJ
    - Des Moines was selected for the final city
    - Keep up with forecasting!
    - We need a new local manager for next year, so if you’re interested then send Kristy an email
- ISD
  - Basically Kristy’s group is kicking butt.
  - Everyone is still in it!

**Webmaster**- Matt Lauridsen
- Website update
  - Matt created a classmate finder that shows everyone in each class (206, Physics, etc.)

**Historian**- Katie Voitik
- Alumni of the Month
  - Chris Conoan
- Picture of the Month

**INTENSITY IN THE CLASSROOM**

- Storm the Dorms
  - Katie and Erin will be contacting people soon in order to get this going and will have more at the next meeting
Past President- Rob Nelson
- HyVee bags will be in the stores the first week of March

Cy’s Eyes on the Skies- Sam Schreier and Justin Keller
- John Walters recorded his voice for the new intro video
- If you have Monday and Wednesday evenings free, come to Cy’s Eyes! We need some extra people, especially to run cameras and work in the back room
- According to Sam and Justin, the tape swap will happen “soon”

Sophomore Chair- Erin Jackson
- Assassins has started, so get paranoid!
- The spring student/faculty dinner is on Thursday, February 28th at 5pm
- Freshman of the Month
  o Kierstin Blomberg

Meeting end – 8:02pm

Next Meeting
Tuesday, March 26th
7pm in 3140 Agronomy
Nominations are next meeting, so be sure to go!

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