

Student Leadership Committee Minutes Spring Board Meeting

In Attendance:

Katherine Williams: Senior Student Advisor (co-chair), Robert Durborow: Junior Student Advisor (co-chair), Crystal Stone (Eastern SR), Karen Chambless (Southern SR), Stephanie Laszik (Southwestern SR), Timothy Leonard (Midwestern SR), Hannah Clark (High Plains SR), Matthew Drollete (Far Western SR), Elfrida Gabriel (Central Office)

Student Leadership Committee Agenda

1. Discussed through registration and convention booklet walkthrough
 - Emailed Jayne re: registration walkthrough procedures and staffing the registration desk.
2. Discussed Abecedarian's meeting and Humans of Sigma Tau Delta
 - Planned SA evaluation of the meeting to see what can be improved. SAs to receive notes from Crystal, Karen, and Hanna post-convention. SAs to use these observations to evaluate and improve Abecedarian meeting at next convention.
 - SL's volunteered to lead Abecedarian and HOSTD and discussed an outline of activities; HOSTD volunteers to be given administrative access to social media sites used for project. Several Blogs scheduled to be posted on Wordy by Nature post-convention to advance HOSTD project and continue regional posts throughout the coming year.
3. SL Workshop: Specific groups met in break-out sessions to finalize strategies.
4. Went over responsibilities while at convention:
 - During regional networking and elections
 - While attending lunch after elections with incoming SL's
 - Offer assistance and information to new SL's until June 1, 2015
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Joint SL/Regents meeting

1. Sponsors luncheon:
 - Topics for discussion with new SLs-
 - applying for awards from Sigma Tau Delta
 - encouraging applications
 - SL promotion of items on Facebook page on a regular basis, region by region, to include:
 - Regional conferences
 - Reaching out to graduate students
 - Other events and activities pertinent to region
 - Review SR timeline in and out of fall and spring board meetings:
 - Exploring the city during the fall to inform future convention goer's (having half students there for committee hearings)
 - Coming up with a better way to get businesses to sign on to ad space for convention program:
 - Immediate follow-ups make it more likely to guarantee a sale
 - Giving SLs better sales experience (rough script, etc.)

- Finding good times to approach businesses that do not interfere with busy times for the specific business.
 - Possibility of giving SLs the ability to collect advertising fees on the spot, in order to guarantee the sale and simplify any follow-up activities.
- Offering a good balance between board duties and helping students at registration
- Possible SA duties for next year:
- Brainstorm a how-to guide for getting ad space from convention city businesses