

Indiana State University Chapter of the
American Chemical Society Student Affiliates

Minutes of Meeting #4

November 8, 2007

Time: 5:30 p.m.

Place: Science 022

Officers: R. Chase (President), A. Melberg (Vice-President), M. Schulte (Secretary), R. Galloway (Treasurer), M. Updike (Social Coordinator), L. Rosenhein (Faculty Advisor)

Total Members in attendance: **18**

1. *Kids & Chemistry*

Thank you to everyone who helped with November's Kids & Chemistry activity; though making bouncy balls didn't work quite as well as planned, the kids still had lots of fun! The next date is December 1; we still need volunteers and ideas for a fun activity – maybe something Christmas or winter themed? Let an officer know if you have any ideas!

2. *Jam the Bus*

Thanks to everyone who donated cans for Jam the Bus. In case you didn't hear, ACS was named as the student organization that donated the most cans for this event! We will be presented with an award at the next Union Board meeting. Way to go! Our donations will benefit needy families in the Wabash Valley during the holiday season.

3. *Holiday Party*

After our next meeting, we will be having our holiday party! If you have any good ideas for games or activities, contact Madison. We had a "White Elephant" gift exchange last year, which was a lot of fun, so let us know if you want to do this again! The next meeting (and the holiday party) will be the week after Thanksgiving, November 29, at 5:30 pm.

4. *Speaker*

We hosted a speaker from local industry. Shawn Lucas, Analytical Manger at Ampacet (a plastics company) in Terre Haute, received his B.S. and

M.S. in Chemistry from ISU, and later received an MBA. He spoke about how his education at ISU prepared him for his job, and how his knowledge of business has helped him. It was a great talk – if you weren't there, you missed out on some great information!

Submitted 11/9/07 by Mike Schulte