

Indiana State University Chapter of the
American Chemical Society Student Affiliates

Minutes of Meeting #10

March 20, 2008

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: **12**

1. *Kids & Chemistry*

Saturday is the last Kids & Chemistry of the semester. We are doing 2 egg experiments in honor of Easter: making an egg go into a bottle, and making an egg float in water. We also want to get plastic eggs and candy to hand out to the kids. If you would be willing to pick up supplies for this event, or help out on Saturday, please see an officer ASAP. Remember, this is your last chance this year to help at a Kids & Chemistry event!

2. *Chem4Kids*

Our Chem4Kids event is coming up fast! We passed around a list of experiments so people could sign up. This list will be posted in the ACS office if you didn't get a chance to put your name on an experiment yet. We will be meeting on Tuesday, April 8, at about 5:30 p.m. to practice the experiments and make signs for each station. Many of the members will be just returning from the New Orleans ACS meeting, so it may be a little later when we actually get started, but if you can please get there at 5:30. Please read up on the experiment you are signed up for; you need to be able to conduct and EXPLAIN the experiment. See an officer or Peggy if you have any questions about your particular experiment. Remember, it is ESSENTIAL that everyone be at this event, unless you have spoken to an officer.

3. *Relay for Life*

It isn't too late to sign up for the team! We will be having a bake sale in the next couple of weeks; check your email regularly. Email Kelli Spoonmore (kspoonmore@indstate.edu) or Beth Neeley (eneeley@indstate.edu) to sign up.

The registration fee is \$10 (which can be paid online, at the event, or through the mail with a check). The event will take place from 6:00 p.m. on Friday, April 18, to 6:00 a.m. on Saturday, April 19 at ISU's Michael Simmons Activity Center (a.k.a. Rec East). If you have any questions, ask Beth, Kelli, or an officer.

4. Humane Society Outreach Cancelled

Unfortunately, we have received word that the proposed Humane Society Outreach was cancelled because fewer than 10 organizations wanted to participate.

5. Officer Elections

We will be electing officers for next year very soon! If you are willing to serve, please let a current officer know ASAP. The offices are President, Vice President, Secretary, Treasurer, and Social Coordinator. Each officer spoke a little bit about the responsibilities of their position during the meeting; if you couldn't make it and have questions, let us know! We will be doing the elections over a 4-day period. Elections will begin Monday, March 31 and end Thursday, April 3. To vote, you will have to stop by the ACS office when an officer is present, sign a sheet saying you voted, and cast your secret ballot. More details about the exact starting and ending times will be provided later, so check your email. Again, let us know ASAP if you want to run for an office! If you have enjoyed ACS this year, consider taking a leadership position to make it even better next year!

Submitted 3/22/08 by Mike Schulte