

PERK Business Meeting
October 24, 2008
Minutes

The meeting was called to order at 6:34 p.m.

The Minutes of the November 3, 2007 Business Meeting were approved.

The Agenda was approved.

Items for Report or Discussion

Financial Report- Heath Marrs discussed the 2008 expenses of PERK. The total expenditures were \$684.46. Total current balance is \$2,058.48. The financial report was accepted. Heath was thanked for his years of service as Treasurer.

Action Items

The proposed Annual Donations (below) were approved.

Great Plains Students' Psychology Convention, \$400

Journal of Psychological Inquiry, \$200

Election of New Officers

(Current: President Cathy Grover, Secretary Pam MacDonald, Treasurer Heath Marrs, Past President Charles Merrifield)

The following officers were elected:

President - Donna Stuber-McEwen, Friends University

President Elect – Robyn Long, Emporia State University

Secretary - Robert Harrington, University of Kansas

Treasurer (2-year term) - Pam MacDonald, Emporia State University

Web Master - Donna Stuber-McEwen, Friends University

Additional Items

Susan Burns visited the meeting to discuss the future of online submission for JPI. Faculty were encouraged to urge students to submit their research for publication in JPI.

Rick Miller visited and made an appeal for the special features section of JPI.

Donna asked for additional copies of the current issue of Eye on Psi Chi. Their chapter was honored as Psi Chi chapter of the year!

Susan asked for digital pictures from conferences to put on the JPI website.

Locations for future conferences will be:

2009 – Friends University (PERK)

2010 – Emporia State University (NPS/PERK)

2012 – Hastings University (NPS/PERK)

It was suggested that everyone come up with one person from a school not in attendance this year that could serve as an invited speaker or a keynote speaker, this might encourage them to get involved with PERK.

The meeting was adjourned at 7:05 p.m.