Northern California Chapter Report
for HPS Society Year 2010-2011

General Information

Official Year: May - May

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Dues Information:
Plenary: $10.00
Associate: n/a
Student: $5.00
Emeritus: $0.00
Life: $0.00
Affiliate: $300.00

Charter Date: June 1961

Science Teacher Workshop? yes
Held: Regularly
Frequency: Every Spring
Last workshop: April 2009
Average number of teachers attending: Around 27 in 2009, other years 40 on average

Collaboration with other societies? yes
Collaborations: American Nuclear Society N. California Section (ANS-NCS) AAPM Bay Area American Industrial Hygiene Association-Northern California Section (AIHA-NCS) Northern CA Chapter Academy of the Certified Hazardous Materials Managers

Web site: http://hpschapters.org/ncchps/

Chapter Leadership & Officers

President: Quang Le
President-elect: Jack Topper
Secretary: Keith Heinzelman
Chapter Incorporation & Exempt Status

Applied for Incorporation? yes
Incorporation granted: yes
Incorporation state: California

Applied for an Employer Identification Number? yes
Applied to IRS for Tax Exemption? yes
IRS tax exemption granted? yes
Type of IRS tax exemption: 501(c)(3) and 509(a)(2)
Tax Exemption application done by: self

Insurance? no

Willing to share IRS paperwork? no

Chapter Membership & Certifications

HPS Members: 149
non-Members: 58
Total: 207

ABHP Certified: 51
NRRPT Certified: 19

Meetings/Activities:
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(Aug-10 to Jul-11)

Sep ’10 Meeting Topic: Decontamination and Decommissioning of the Rocky Flats Environmental Technology Site
Type: Technical, Executive Council
Speaker: Phil Worley
Attendance: 25
Nov ’10 Meeting Topic: TBD
Type: Technical, Joint, Executive Council
Speaker: TBD
Attendance:

Jan ’11 Meeting Topic: TBD
Type: Technical, Joint, Executive Council
Speaker: TBD
Attendance:

Mar ’11 Meeting Topic: TBD
Type: Technical, Executive Council
Speaker: Kathryn H. Pryor
Attendance:

May ’11 Meeting Topic: Annual meeting - TBD
Type: Social, Technical, Executive Council
Speaker: TBD
Attendance:

Comments

We continue to work at bringing in new members, joining up with other like-minded professional Bay Area societies, and encouraging volunteerism. The realities of furloughs, layoffs, less monetary support from employers has struck home with our chapter and it has been harder to recruit new blood and spark interest in extra activities such as the Science Teacher Workshop. The good news is a dedicated core group keep us going.

This Chapter report was created on 17 September 2010 by Dawn Banghart.