

Northern California Chapter Report for HPS Society Year 2015-2016

General Information

Official Year: June - May

Mailing Address:

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Dues Information:

Full Member: \$10.00
Associate: n/a
Student: \$10.00
Emeritus: \$0.00
Life: \$0.00
Affiliate: \$300.00
Chapter Funds as of 1 May: Over \$10,000

Charter Date: June 1961

Science Teacher Workshop? yes

Held: Regularly
Frequency: Every Spring
Last workshop: March 2016
Average number of teachers attending: 30

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

Website: <http://hpschapters.org/ncchps/>

Chapter Leadership & Officers

President: Greg Jones

President-elect: Lydia Tai

Secretary: Maranda Cimeno

Treasurer: Melissa C. Mannion

Past President: Jon Dillon

Board Member: Craig Maxwell

Board Member: Claire Vanderorde (non-HPS)

Director Liaison: Cheryl Olson

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)

Tax Exemption application done by: self

Insurance? no

Willing to share IRS paperwork? no

Chapter Membership & Certifications

HPS Members: 131

non-Members: 95

Total: 226

ABHP Certified: 37

NRRPT Certified: 14

Meetings/Activities: Meetings/Activities (Aug-15 to Jul-16)

Sep '15 Meeting Topic: The International Radiation Protection Association: Where Do We Come From? What Are We? Where Are We Going?

Type: Technical, Executive Council

Speaker: Kenneth Kase, Ph.D

Attendance:

Nov '15 Meeting Topic: The Occupational Radiation Exposure Spectrum - It's Broader Than You Might Think

Type: Technical, Joint, Executive Council

Speaker: Stephen W. Hemperly

Attendance:

Jan '16 Meeting Topic: Detecting Cosmic Rays with the Berkeley Lab Muon Detector

Type: Technical, Joint, Executive Council

Speaker: Howard Matis

Attendance:

Mar '16 Meeting Topic: Licensing Legacy Depleted Uranium on Army Ranges

Type: Technical, Executive Council

Speaker: Robert Cherry, Jr. Ph.D, CHP, HPS President-Elect

Attendance:

May '16 Meeting Topic: Affiliate Night with short presentation on Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory Nuclear Counting Facility

Type: Annual, Social, Technical

Speaker: Phil Torretto

Attendance:

Comments

With the dissolution of the Sierra Nevada Chapter, the NCCHPS welcomed those members into our Chapter and honored their years towards Life Membership. We are an annual contributor to the Burton J. Moyer Fellowship and in 2016, we maintained our donation of \$5000. We continue to pursue additional members, coordinate with other professional Bay Area societies, and encourage our membership to volunteer to support the Chapter. Overall, this past year was encouraging through solid attendance of the Chapter meetings and new people stepping up to become part of the Board for 2016-2017.

This Chapter report was created on 16 May 2016 by Maranda Cimeno.