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 Vanderoorde (non-HPS)
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.