Atlanta Chapter Report for HPS Society Year 2007–2008

General Information

Official Year: July – June

Mailing Address:

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Dues Information:

Plenary: \$10.00 Associate: \$200.00 Student: \$0.00 Emeritus: n/a Life: n/a Affiliate: n/a

Charter Date: April 1964

Science Teacher Workshop? yes

Held: Periodically Last workshop:

Average number of teachers attending:

Collaboration with other societies? yes

Collaborations:

Web site: none

Chapter Leadership & Officers

President: Eric Burgett

President-Elect: Joseph J. Shonka

Secretary: David Collins

Treasurer: Christina Lobracco

Executive Committee: Walter Ramsey **Past President:** Michael C Nichols

Director Liaison: Nolan Hertel

Chapter Incorporation & Exempt Status

Applied for Incorporation? yes

Incorporation granted: yes Incorporation state: Georgia

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? yes

Chapter Membership & Certifications

HPS Members: 32 **non–Members:** 13

Total: 45

ABHP Certified: 8 **NRRPT Certified:** 4

Meetings/Activities: Meetings/Activities (Aug-07 to Jul-08)

Aug '07 Meeting Topic: Chapter Picnic/Barbeque

Type: Social Speaker: None Attendance: 15

Sep '07 Meeting Topic: Nonproliferation in an era of nuclear Power Renaissance

Type: Technical

Speaker: Bernard Gourley

Attendance: 45

Oct '07 Meeting Topic: Global Warming, Science, Politics and the Media

Type: Technical

Speaker: Jim St. John, Ph.D.

Attendance: 55

Nov '07 Meeting Topic: US Experience with Automation of Instruments for Use in Final Status

Surveys

Type: Technical

Speaker: Joseph J. Shonka

Attendance: 35

Jan '08 Meeting Topic: New Opportunities and Challenges for Uranium Exploration – Globally

and Specifically in Alaska Type: Technical, Joint Speaker: Jeff Chapman

Attendance: 60

Feb '08 Meeting Topic: Why No One Believes US: Cognitive Neuroscience and radiation risk

Type: Annual, Social, Technical Speaker: Richard E. Toohey, Ph.D.

Attendance: 38

Mar '08 Meeting Topic: Stae Emergency Registry of Volunteers (SERVGA)

Type: Technical Attendance: 40

Apr '08 Meeting Topic: Active interrogation Techniques for SNM Detection

Type: Technical

Speaker: Michael Shannon, Major, US Army

Attendance: 40

May '08 Meeting Topic: Report of NRC's Independent External Review Panel Regarding

Vulnerabilities in NRC's Licensing Program

Type: Technical Speaker: Tom Hill Attendance: 24

Jun '08 Meeting Topic: Georgia Tech Student Presentations Election

Type: Annual, Technical Speaker: Eric Burgett

Attendance: 14

Comments

While there is a requirement for the President—elect and the President to be members of the HPS, there is no such HPS requirement for the Secretary or Treasurer. However, the name selection will not permit the insertion of any name other than an HPS member, or a former Officer on the list. Chapter by—laws may require membership, but also may not require HPS membership. If the person's name is not in the membership roster, there is no way to properly list the officer's name.

Christina Tabor (nee LoBracco) ,Treasurer, has recently married but has not yet changed her HPS Membeship Listing. As a consequence, her name is listed as LoBracco on this report.
This Chapter report was created on 18 June 2008 by David J Collins.