South Texas Chapter Report for HPS
Society Year 2010-2011

General Information

Official Year: January - December

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Dues Information:
Plenary: $10.00
Associate: $0
Student: $5.00
Emeritus: $0
Life: $0
Affiliate: $150.00

Charter Date: October 1964

Science Teacher Workshop? yes
Held: Periodically
Last workshop: May 7, 2011
Average number of teachers attending: 6

Collaboration with other societies? yes
Collaborations: Courses given at Texas Chapter meetings of APS, AAPT, and SPS. Also, at November CAST meeting of the Science Teachers Assoc. of Texas

Web site: http://www.stc-hps.org/

Chapter Leadership & Officers

President: Jennifer A Watson
President-elect: Janet Gutierrez
Secretary: Amanda Sullivan
Treasurer: Peter H. Myers
Past President: Karen Blanchard
Treasurer-elect: Edgar Bailey
Board Member: William Pate
Board Member: John Salsman
Board Member: Sam Daniel
Membership Chair: Peter H. Myers
Affiliates Chair: William Pate
Election Chair: Ron Scheele
Webmaster: William Pate
Science Teacher Coordinator: Al Evans
Publications Chair: Peter H. Myers
Education Chair: Linda Morris
Newsletter Editor: John Hageman
Legislative Chair: Susan Jablonski

Director Liaison: Edgar D. Bailey

Chapter Incorporation & Exempt Status

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

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: ourselves

Insurance? no

Willing to share IRS paperwork? yes

Chapter Membership & Certifications

HPS Members: 113
non-Members: 128
Total: 241

ABHP Certified: 33
NRRPT Certified: 10

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

Sep ’10 Meeting Topic: Regulatory Conference  
Type: Social, Technical, Joint, Executive Council  
Speaker: DSHS, TCEQ, RRC, AAPM  
Attendance: 500

Jan ’11 Meeting Topic: Nuclear Power  
Type: Social, Technical, Executive Council  
Speaker: Tim Powell, Jeff Simmons, David Matthews, John Zerwas, Lee Peddicord, Dale Klein, Kenneth Kreiger  
Attendance: 55

Apr ’11 Meeting Topic: Spring Meeting & Student Paper Presentations  
Type: Annual, Social, Executive Council  
Speaker: students  
Attendance: 64

Jun ’11 Meeting Topic: Breakfast Meeting  
Type: Annual, Social  
Attendance:

Comments

The chapter began using an online payment system and online registration system in 2010-2011. We are currently using an online voting system provided by Ruedi for our chapter elections.

This Chapter report was created on 6 June 2011 by Jennifer Watson.