

Computer Science Society Meeting  
Wednesday May 13<sup>th</sup> 2009  
Goldberg Computer Science Building – Teaching Lab 3  
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Attendance:

Nicole Lewis – Member At Large  
Tasha Bartlett – President  
Bill Yu – Social Rep  
Chris Cook – Treasurer

Agenda:

1. New Business
  - a. Orientation
  - b. Society Desk
  - c. Equipment
  - d. Town Hall
  - e. Bar Manager/Geekbeer
  - f. Getting new people
  - g. csannounce
2. Old Business
3. Reports

5:40pm – Motion to open – Bill seconds

- 1) New Business
  - a. Orientation
    - i. Mentoring – 3<sup>rd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> year students have the opportunity to be mentors for younger CS students
  - b. Society Desk
    - i. Tasha called Margie
      1. One employee
      2. Sets open hours
      3. 10 hours per week
      4. Times unknown
      5. We set when she starts
      6. She will open during busy times
      7. Will know in 2 weeks
  - c. Equipment
    - i. Audio/Visual
    - ii. Need a prof/faculty to rent things out
    - iii. We should get own equipment – talk about this next week
  - d. Town Hall
    - i. Attendance was high
    - ii. 40 minutes
    - iii. People getting upset that faculty doesn't do anything for the students
    - iv. No suggestions just ideas

- v. Figure main ID was to get suggestions
  - vi. Bill spoke to Peter Bodorik and told him if they had a uniform way of communications (csannounce is already fixed)
  - vii. Chris will speak to Peter about Town Hall
  - viii. Bill also suggests that profs should speak to students about upcoming events and that it would really help out
  - ix. Peter said he would pass it along but no guarantees
  - x. Tasha suggests that maybe students should do this instead, teacher s would probably be more game
  - xi. If we put together a solid plan, they are very willing to listen
  - xii. Dean is willing to have us advertise on main cs website, will get back to us
- e. Bar Manager/Geekbeer
    - i. Need to set out a csannounce to hire Nicole
    - ii. Anyone to come
    - iii. Dal students needs to sign in non-dal students
    - iv. Don't sing in 80 but keep it reasonable
  - f. Getting new people
    - i. Adam Douglass
    - ii. Chris will send a message to his facebook group and bug people
    - iii. John Doucette – VP External
  - g. Csannounce
    - i. Tasha will approve all emails going out
    - ii. Could we change subject line?
    - iii. People will be more interested to view emails
    - iv. with "CSAnnounce" in the subject line people delete these
    - v. changed the way you subscribe
    - vi. Interface is different as well
- 2) Old Business
- a. None
- 3) Reports
- a. President – Tasha Bartlett
    - i. Ratification is pending
    - ii. Need signing authority changed
    - iii. Constitution is online
    - iv. Don't know who is in charge of website, Stewart hasn't emailed back yet
  - b. Treasurer – Chris Cook
    - i. Confused
    - ii. Looked at the books
    - iii. Liz will go through everything with him
  - c. Member-At-Large – Nicole Lewis
    - i. Working on Bar Tenders Course
  - d. Social Rep – Bill Yu
    - i. Advertised to classes, talking about events
    - ii. BBQ/Geekbeer – Each Week/Every second week respectively
    - iii. Few Beach outings
      - 1. Could get bus, but it is expensive (\$600) too much
      - 2. Poll interest
    - iv. Paintball

1. Expensive but fun
2. Getting there is difficult
- v. Soccer/Baseball/Tennis
  1. Opposite week as geekbeer
  2. OMG Ping Pong + Geekbeer
  3. Bill & Nicole available for transportation
  4. Group incentive to help out for sports social events
  5. Game Parties
    - a. Once a month
  6. People like non-alcoholic
  7. Would like any ideas for events
  8. So much money for each event
  9. Get organized
  10. Organize (bottle refunds) (collections after each geekbeer)
  11. Bottle drives once a month
  12. Tasha
    - a. Volunteers? For charity events, find out if anyone wants to do that
    - b. Should organize ourselves, then others
    - c. Fundraisers
    - d. Runs
    - e. Bake sales
    - f. Blood donations
    - g. Food drives
    - h. Clean up litter
    - i. Reading to kids
    - j. Etc

For next meeting:

Bill will have a full organized list of events on a calendar and fully work out budget  
Blaine/Tasha advertise, could do posters for each  
BBQ (by donation)  
Chris will have an idea on the budget

6:30pm, motion to close meeting – Nicole seconds

Next meeting: Wednesday May 20<sup>th</sup> 2009 at 5:30pm in Teaching Lab 3 of the Goldberg Computer Science Building