

PTK Minutes

4/6/2011

The minutes from our last meeting are below for those of you who could not attend. **Looking to get involved? Action items are in red!**

1. Welcome to new members – introductions
2. Recap of Regional Awards – Ms. Carter-Lowe
April Kaiser: 2nd place Distinguished Chapter Member and Honorable Mention Poetry
Amber Hughes: 4th Place Distinguished Chapter Officer
Trishae Dotson: 1st Place Fiction
Olivia West: 2nd Place Nonfiction

Rachel Cannon: elected PTK regional secretary
Jessica Flick: elected PTK regional VP of Middle TN

In addition to the individual student honors, Columbia State's PTK was also recognized with various chapter awards.

- Five Star Chapter (the highest rating a chapter can earn)
- 2nd Place for Distinguished Chapter
- 3rd Place for Distinguished College Project
- 5th Place for Distinguished Honors in Action Project

3. Upcoming Events
 - a. Soles4Souls – Thursday
 - i. Gathering, counting and loading shoes
 - ii. Meet at 12:30 in the front of the Clement Bldg.
 - iii. 845 shoes collected so far
 - b. Maury County Clean-Up: April 16th
 - i. Meet at 8:30 in front parking lot, usually takes 2-3 hours
 - ii. Participating: Lacey Bissinger, Kirstie Boyd, Cindy Dunn, Kyle Long, Tori Beckman, Kayla Kelley, Brad Little, Frank Martin and family, Christina Bottoms, Rachel Craig, Audra Kroeker, Jeremiah Bishop, Ryan Johnson, Jim Caldwell, April Berry, Tarra Baker, Laci Baker, Kristen Wessels, Kayla Kelley, Taylor Willis, Jessica Flick, Amber Hughes, Brad Little, Jamie Maurice
 - iii. Wear appropriate clothing, bring “grabber” if you'd like. Vests, gloves and garbage bags will be provided.
 - c. Project Graduation
 - i. Feed a Body, Feed a Mind – non-perishable food items and children's books
 - ii. Need members to decorate boxes and place in each building
 - iii. Will gather boxes from around campus and collect items at graduation rehearsal
 - iv. Monday, May 9th between 9:00 and 10:00. We'll need volunteers to help collect food from around campus, transport to the gym and count items.**
 - d. C4 Signing Week
 - i. April 11-14 at all campuses and each building on Main campus
 - ii. Please sign the pledge and encourage others to participate**
 - iii. Can count as our College Project if we want

- e. Recycling Audit
 - i. We've been asked to help with audit around campus but we do not have dates or more information yet
 - ii. Will contact via email when we know more
 - f. Mental Health Awareness Day
 - i. We've been asked to hand out flyers and stickers but date unknown
 - ii. Will contact via email when we know more
4. Election of new officers – Congratulations to our officers for 2011-2012!
- a. VP Service – Jessica Flick
 - b. VP Leadership – Rachel Cannon
 - c. VP Scholarship – Tarra Baker
 - d. President – Amber Hughes

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