

Report of the VP for Professionals - C. McAteer 7/21/09

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Report to Chapter Exec. Bd. of July 21st, 2009

At the June Chapter Retreat, I participated & facilitated the afternoon session on What we as a chapter did last year and then the follow-up session on what we would like to see done in the chapter in the next year. This data was written down by Dawn our Secy and she typed up that information and the 3 groups who reported suggestions & priorities for this coming year. That was distributed to the Professional Council Steering committee, & fellow officers in advance of their meeting in July. At that meeting the information was sorted by the group into 5 categories (General/Other, Academic, professional, Written & Committee) and some were multiple categories & was noted as such. That was distributed to the group for comment, as well as a draft chapter calendar (Sept thru Jan.) developed in July. The Professional Council Steering committee has reserved the following dates for some type of Professional event (training, Professional meeting, or joint mtg with another committee or VP Academic. Those dates are Sept. 17, Oct. 15th, Nov. 19th, Dec. 17th & Jan. 21st, all @ noon, room TBD. The Professional Council Steering comm. will meet again on July 30th to go over the various recommendations & suggestions assigned to the Professional group and work on topics, programming for those Fall dates & look to suggest spring 2010 dates for Professional events. I and the Dan Kinney will be attending the Statewide Presidential & Outreach Retreat in August for Artie, due to his working on the Union Women's summer school program @ SBU. Charlie

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