Science Support
Committee Initiatives

North Carolina and Virginia HPS
Spring Meeting
March 12 - 13, 2009
Sheraton New Bern Hotel and Marina
New Bern, N.C.

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Science Support Committee

HPS Rule 7.1.30

- Support strategic Objective 1.1
  - Maintain and improve science and mathematics teaching

MEMBERSHIP

- D1: Matthew P. Moeller (HPS Board Liaison)
- Carl Tarantino, Chair, ’09
- Wayne Farrell, ’09
- Mollie Zuccato, ‘09
- Jack Crawford, ’11
- Sarah E. Kay, ‘11
- John Luetzelschwab, ‘10
- Marcum Martz, ‘10
- Susan Masih, ‘11
- Rick L. Thacker, ‘10
- Vincent Williams ‘10* (Chair, Pub. Inf. –ex-officio)
What’s New on the Web?

- Teacher Gateway
  - Teacher Request for Assistance Form
- Reports and Resources
  - Guidance document for Boy Scout Nuclear Science Merit Badge Program
  - Teacher Conference reports (Lessons Learned by North Central chapter)
  - Instructions for Converting Survey Meter to Instrument Counter
Science Teacher Workshops
What’s New on the Web?

- **Chapter Webpage**
  - Discussion Thread (Chapter Forum)
    - Exchange ideas/share lessons learned from science activities
- **Chapter Survey**
- **STW Resources**
  - Funding Support
  - Timeline for preparing a STW
  - “How To” Outline for conducting a STW
  - Obtaining Survey Meters
  - Modifying CDV-700 Meters for universal Audio Output
IN THE WORKS

- Radiation labs
- STW Modules Used by other chapters (e.g. So.Texas, Virginia, North Central)
- Shared Drive/FTP site - Tier level of folders to post resource documents for SSC, chapters and general public
- Links with Society Support Committee
OTHER INITIATIVES

- Video product for HP careers
  - Ad Hoc Committee – V. Williams, C. Tarantino, J. Harris, T. Taulbee

- Support chapters in STW and conferences (National, regional, state, local)

- Support Education Benchmarks (L. Bosworth)
  - SSC member J. Luetzelschwab is liaison

- Maintain limited inventory of “freebees” for chapters to use (e.g. ruler magnets) POC is Beth Kay, kay_sarah_e@lilly.com; 317-276-4866

- Vernier lab pro equipment (hardware & software)
  - 4 units available for loan to chapters
SSC Members – July, 2009

- D1: Matthew P. Moeller – Understudy Patricia Lee
- Mike Lewandowski, Chair, ‘12
- Jack Crawford, ’11
- Dave Breuning, ‘12
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- Thomas Johnston, ‘12
QUESTIONS?