

MINUTES of Eastern Illinois University PSI CHI Executive Meeting

Meeting Date 11/18/2015

Call to order: An executive meeting of Psi Chi, was held in Physical Science building, Charleston, Illinois. The meeting convened at 6:00 pm.

Members not in attendance: Bridgette Bowen (Vice President)

Approval of minutes: Motion was made by Dr. Brito, and seconded to approve the minutes by Natalie Goodwin for the 11/18/15 meeting.

Announcements: Will be doing a blanket drive for children in need. Will set up a box in the psych dept. for members to drop blankets off at. Post on the message board to let members know. Jacob Johnston should be contacted so he can pick up the blankets we collect and take them to the final destination. This could also count as another service opportunity. Blankets should be in by the last meeting December 9.

Officers' reports:

President –

- Made a schedule for next semester
- 1/20 will be the first welcome back meeting with pizza, 2/3 will be an alumni panel, psi chi applications and dues (\$10) will also be due, 2/17 will be inductions, 3/2 will be the GRE panel, 3/23 will be service night, 4/6 will be elections, 4/19 will be the psych banquet, and 4/27 will be the last meeting.
- The after commencement reception will be 5/7/16
- The alumni liaison can get in contact with psi chi alumni for speaking at the alumni panel. Emily Rardin and Felisha Mccullum may be interested. Could make sleeping arrangements and facetime/skype other members if needed.

Vice president –

- Not in attendance

Secretary –

- No new business

Treasurer –

- Will order the food from El Rancharito for the last meeting (12/9). Will get beef, chicken, corn & flour tortillas, and chips & salsa. Maybe black beans if it doesn't cost too much.

Fundraising Chair –

- No new business

Advisor –

- The faculty members would like for coffee and cookies to be at 1 pm on Fridays before the faculty meetings.
- Three coffee and cookie events seem to work well. Maybe have 1 in January, 1 in February, and 1 in late March/early April.
- Give bookmarks as gifts to graduating seniors this semester.
- Should make Psi Chi bookmarks for graduating seniors next semester.

New Business: The next meeting on December 9 will be the end of the semester party with a taco bar from El Rancharito. Members can bring blankets to donate and candles will be in. Graduating active seniors will also receive their cords.

Adjournment: The meeting was adjourned at 6:45 pm.

Natalie Goodwin,
Psi Chi Secretary
11/18/15