

Business Meeting CSAAPT Fall Meeting Oct 24, 2015  
St Mary's College of Maryland, St Mary's City, MD

Presiding: Carl Mungan, CSAAPT President

Meeting commenced at 2:30 pm

Carl Mungan expressed gratitude to St Mary's University for hosting the event so effectively.

Minutes of the Spring 2015 Business Meeting were distributed and approved.

The treasurers Report was distributed and approved. There was a discussion of investment of funds.

Section Rep Report was presented by Deonna Woolard. She stated that the Council Meeting at the National AAPT meeting will now be called "Meeting of the Members". The Regional Representative position was not created. The Summer 2018 National Meeting will be in Washington, DC.

The following items were discussed:

Cooperation with other sections

Reaching out to High School teachers

AAPT supplying money to bring in speakers

Offering professional development to High School teachers

APS Mid-Atlantic section: Hold a joint meeting or at least avoid conflicting with their meeting.

Regional NSTA meeting in Baltimore in October 2017.

Prizes:

2 year college: Alex Barr, Howard Community College, Transforming Student Learning about Mechanical Waves

4 year college: Rachele Dominguez, Randolph-Macon College, Growth Mindset in Introductory Physics

Student: Dave Eidelman, Howard Community College, Dark Matter Simulation by and for Undergraduate Students

Demo: Charles Adler, St Mary's College of Maryland, Simple Inexpensive Time-of-Flight Speed of Light Experiment

Next CSAAPT meeting will be at Randolph-Macon College on April 23, 2016.

Election: The slate of nominees was presented by David Wright, chair of the nominations committee, and they were accepted by unanimous acclamation.

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Meeting adjourned at about 3:00 pm

Respectfully submitted,  
David Wright  
CSAAPT Secretary