Iowa State Agricultural Business Club Meeting Minutes November 10, 2011

The regular meeting of the Iowa State University Agricultural Business Club was held Thursday, November 10, 2011 in 2050 Agronomy Hall. President Andy Chamra called the meeting to order at 6:07 p.m.

Officer Reports

- *Secretary:* Minutes from the October 6 meeting were read by Bethany Olson and approved as read.
- *Treasurer:* Tory Mogler reported the current balance on hand as \$10,041.21. Club polos and the golf tournament were recent major expenses.
- Ag Council: CALS Council elections are quickly approaching.
- *Historians:* Members were thanked for helping to bring food in at meetings this year.

Committee Reports

- Banquet: Chelsy Sonnichsen informed members to expect invitations to come in the mail over Christmas break.
- *Career Day:* Jordan Vittetoe announced that there was a record number of companies at this year's Fall Ag Career Cay. The event went smoothly and was a success. He asked members to give any comments or concerns to Mike Gaul or Career Day committee members.
- *Finance & Fundraising:* Jacob Aizikovitz thanked everyone who came out to the golf tournament. He also took a poll to see if Friday was a day more preferred by members instead of Saturday for future club golf tournaments.
- *Publicity:* Caleb Martin announced that the club's jackets are in 174 Heady. Sizes for jackets are running small; see Carol if you need a different size than what is there, and the deadline for getting a jacket is next Friday, November 18. Pay when you order.
- Recruitment & Retainment: Bria Vogt thanked members who came to the Haunted Forest and Pizza Ranch outing.
- Special Projects: Kelsi Guinn thanked everyone who helped with roadside clean-up.

-Julie Haugen introduced Dr. John Schroeter (Professor and Interim Chair of Economics Department). Dr. Schroeter gave a background on himself and invited students to stop in to his office to say hello. Members discovered that he enjoys hiking and backpacking when he shared with us a few of his adventurous stories.

New Business

- President Andy Chamra informed the group that Committee Chair Applications are due Friday, December 16 in 174 Heady
- November Member of the Month: Jordan Vittetoe for his work on Career Day and Career Day Panel Discussion
- New/Old Member Introductions: New member of the month was PJ Frederick & Old member of the month was Evan Siek
- Quiz Bowl: Dr. Deiter facilitated the quiz bowl contest during officer election "down time"
- Officer Elections:
 - 2011-2012 Ag Business Club Officer Team:
 - President: Andy Chamra
 - Vice President: Julie Haugen
 - Secretary: Kelsi Guinn
 - Treasurer: Jordan Vittetoe
 - Junior Ag Council Rep: Breanne Wagner
 - Reporters: Donna McCune and Marcie Stevenson
 - Historians: Lacey Hankins and Jessica Marty

Advisor Comments

- *Dr. Deiter* thanked the old officer team for a great year...he really meant it when he said they were the best officer team he had ever had.
- Dr Edwards congratulated the newly elected officer team and thanked the old officer team, as well.

Drawings

- Guess the Member: Amy Peyton won \$5 for correctly guessing Kaci Demott in Guess the Member.
 - Wheel of Fortune: Brandon Messer won \$100 in the Wheel of Fortune Game.
 - *Side note: Jordan Neighbor missed out on \$100...his name was drawn originally.

Announcements

- Old/New Officer Meeting Upcoming
- Old/New Officer Picture after meeting
- Golf Tournament prizes in 174 Heady
- Passing of the Gavel: Andy passed the gavel to himself
- Next Meeting: Thursday, December 1

A motion to adjourn the meeting was properly made by Kayla Reiter and seconded. The meeting was adjourned at 8:43 p.m.