Food Science Club Minutes
February 9, 2009

Service - Michelle Tam (mkt136)
- Food Bank, February 2 - March 6
  - Attached is the Food Drive flier with the list of items needed
- Blood Drive, March 24 & April 8
  - We are making food for the people that donate blood to the PSU Blood Drive.
    More details will be emailed out later.
  - If you did not sign-up to help at the meeting, please email Michelle
- THON - food donation
  - Making food for the THON dancers, hospitality, and THON families on Feb 19th
    and 20th in the sensory kitchen
  - If you did not sign-up to help at the meeting, please email Michelle

Social - Alex Youst (ajy5029)
- Broomball (against IST special living), Saturday, March 21st (11pm-12:30am)
  - We will meet at the Food Science Building for drinks and snacks before we go to
    the ice rink
  - Cost: $5 for members or non-members (Bring your friends)
- Snow Tubing - more details at the next meeting

Ag Student Council - Hilary Peterson
- Congratulations to Dr. Naveen Chikthimmah for taking on the role of Ag Student Council
  Advisor!!
- Harvest to Household - HUB Lawn, April 22 from 11am-4pm (rain date: April 29th)

Phi Tau Sigma (PTS)
- Dr. Cutter sent an email about joining Phi Tau Sigma, which is the honorary food science
  society. This is only for seniors and graduate students.
- Please print out the form (attachment) and hand it in to Dr. Cutter along with your $10.00
  check.

IFT Annual Meeting & Food Expo - June 6-10 (Anaheim, CA)
- Point system
  - 1 point per meeting/event
  - The 15 students with the most points by April 1st will go to IFT
  - Students are required to participate in the fundraisers
- The FDSC Club will cover the hotel rooms and registration
- Students are responsible for booking their own flights - The club will allot each student
  $100-$200 for their flight depending on our funds
- More details about the trip will come later

Fundraisers
- Spaghetti Dinner & Bake Sale - Chairs: Samantha Palin and Elise Glass
  - More details at the next meeting
- Soft Serve Blue and White Ice Cream - Chair: Cameron Prescott (ccp5006)
  - We voted on the flavors for formulation
    - White: vanilla, cheesecake, lemon tart, and honey
    - Blue: blueberry, blue raspberry, and plum
  - Sell blue and white twist on Blue and White Weekend

**For the Love of Chocolate** - Thursday, February 12th from 1:30-2:30pm in the Keeney Commons

**Penn State Exploration Day @ Bryce Jordan Center**
- Saturday, April 18th 10:00am-3:00pm
- If you would like to volunteer for a shift (10:00-12:30 or 12:30-3:00), please email Lyndsay (lcb5016)
- We will be teaching ages K-12 about food science

**Food Industry Day** - Monday, April 20th
- More details later

**If anyone has a BLOG, please email Dr. John Coupland** ([jnc3@psu.edu](mailto:jnc3@psu.edu))

**Elections** - March 23rd
- If you are thinking about running for a position, please talk to the current officer(s).
- Positions: President, Vice President, Secretary, Treasurer, Ag Student Council Reps (2), Undergraduate Student Liaison, and Graduate Student Liaison

**Next Meeting: Monday, February 23rd**
From February 2nd – March 6th, 2009 the **Penn State Food Science Club** will be holding its 2nd Annual **Food Drive** to benefit the **State College Area Food Bank**. Labeled bins will be kept in the hallway outside of the Food Science main offices to collect donations. Any monetary donations should be clearly marked and can be given to Juanita Wolfe in Room 203 Food Science Building.

Current needs of the Food Bank include, but are not limited to:

**Food Items:**
- Dried fruit (e.g. cranberries, raisins)
- Cream soups
- Canned chili or beef stew
- Canned meat (e.g. Spam, chicken)
- Flour – all purpose
- Granulated sugar and/or sugar supplements (no confectioner’s sugar)
- Mayonnaise/Salad Dressing
- Cooking Oil
- Tea/Coffee (regular and decaf)
- Baby food and/or formula

**Non-Food Items:**
- Hand soap
- Laundry soap
- Shampoo/Conditioner
- Deodorant
- Toothpaste

Let’s try to beat last year’s total of 125 lbs!

On behalf of the Penn State Food Science Club, thank you for your generosity.

If you have any questions concerning the Food Drive please contact the Food Science Club Service Chair, Michelle Tam at mkt136@psu.edu
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Name of the Nominee ____________________________________________________________

Last                                           First                            Middle

Date ________________________________

Present Position ________________________________________________________________

Address ____________________________________________________________

Phone ___________________________ Fax ___________________________ E-mail _____________

Degrees Earned
Institution                                    Years                                  Degree                                 Major

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Grade point average (if currently student) ________________________________

Work experience (attach short resume)
Company                              Years                                 Title                               Nature of job

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Membership in the Institute of Food Technologist (circle category)
Professional         Member                                             Not a member

Other professional and scientific societies:

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Nominator (Name and Signature) ________________  Seconder ________________

(Note: both must be Phi Tau Sigma members)

Dues:
Student/Associate $10   Regular $15   Lifetime regular $300   Corporate $100   Corporate sustaining $1500
Carl Fellers Fund $10.00   Guy Livingston scholarship $10.00

Mail application to
Phi Tau Sigma
c/o Dr. Juan L. Silva
P.O. Box 1345, Mississippi State, MS 39762