

Minutes November 9, 2015

Members Present – Matt Krueger, Matt Sheppard, Jane Hata, Tom Leicht, Andrew Deskins

Meeting called to order/**President's Report** – Matt Krueger:

- Read message from University about President's resignation
- Move to accept minutes from last meeting – Matt Sheppard, 2nd Tom Leicht
- Both Matt's attended Leaders' Weekend. Because there was just the two of them, they were unable to attend all of the breakout sessions. Matt K. has asked Jason Meyer for Power Points for the other sessions.
- Matt uploaded video and will send out in an email to all area members. This will serve as our newsletter for the fall
- Matt contacted Tracy Feller to double check on the numbers for the scholarship fund. Matt is not sure the numbers are right.
- Website now allows us to upload minutes.
- New NEFL chapter page on Facebook.
- The "man bags" are placed on hold due to challenges in getting material.

Finance Report – Tom Leicht

- Now with VyStar – began account with \$630.53
- Current balance of \$748.53

Scholarship Report – Jane Hata

- Changes to the scholarship program. Moved up our deadline – now we'll have applicants by Dec. 15. By January 8 we will have the applicants. Deadline for selection is March 1.
- Matt K. wants to send finals care package for Alexa

Events Report – Matt Sheppard

- Mizzou/BYU watch party set for BlackFinn
- No Dave&Busters for Tennessee game. Looking into having it at BlackFinn
- Followed up with Dave&Busters about \$1000 for scholarship fund. Waiting to hear from corporate.
- Alternative Spring Break still a go. Waiting for finalized plans.
- No real good basketball games until January
- "Painting with a twist" – drinking and painting! Looking into possible nights and interest.
- Possible happy hour event – look into inviting other SEC Alumni groups
- Researching possible community service events
- Catty Shack report – our contact has left, so we're in limbo. But not out of the question
- Possible event at zoo – maybe appeal to Alums with children

Membership Report – Matt Krueger

- Hit our objective for 5 new members
- Want to develop a sustained approach for recruitment

- Idea for greeting package for new Alums to the area

Alumni Relations – Matt Krueger

- New member from Philadelphia – extend an invite to join the executive board?
- Idea to present mums to all Alums for Homecoming 2016
- Matt will submit goals and objectives to MUAA

Motion to dismiss – Tom Leicht, 2nd Matt Sheppard

Minutes submitted for review, Andrew Deskins (Acting Secretary)