

University of Southern Indiana

Master of Public Administration Society

Meeting Minutes – October 15, 2015

Present: Tara Riggs, Jennifer Sharp, Ashley Hughes, Mpho Mashabe, Shadrach Menrah, Sally Gries (6)

Exec. Updates:

Secretary: none

Treasurer: Over \$160 in account and more coming! Some people still need to pay dues, dues are \$10 a semester.

President: We are still selling t-shirts for \$10, checks can be made to USI MPA Society

Old Business:

Dates for future meetings:

- Thursday, Oct. 29 at 5:30pm
 - Jen will reserve room, email MPA Society, and email second reminder
- Monday, Nov. 16 at 5:30pm
 - Jen will reserve room, email MPA Society, and email second reminder

Rotary Santa Run:

- Still in need of volunteers for Santa Run on Dec. 5 at 10:00am, volunteers will likely be needed around 8:30am
- If interested in volunteering, contact Dr. Hanka, please provide him your name, email, and address

Mayor's Clean Up every first Saturday – Next one on Nov 7

- Jen will send out email seeking volunteers

New Business:

Announcements:

- MPA Speaker Series – Jerry Linzy
 - October 20th at 4:30pm
 - Kley Meyer Hall (basement of LA)
- GSPN: next meeting October 22nd at 5:00pm in UC 2213, all are invited

- Still seeking a Vice President for the MPA Society!
 - If interested, contact Tara Riggs (tarariggs2487@gmail.com) for a copy of the MPA Society Constitution & Bylaws

Foosball Fundraiser:

- If we are going to do this, we need to put a committee together, will likely be a spring event
- If interested in this committee, please email Tara Riggs at tarariggs2487@gmail.com

Empty Bowls 2016:

- We missed out on the opportunity reserve a spot in the Ceramics Lab for this year, but we can reserve a spot for next year
 - Lauren will work on reserving a spot to make bowls next year

Upcoming Speaker for MPA Speaker Series: Scott Wiley with the Community Foundation

Gingerbread House Competition:

- Dec. 5
- Volunteer opportunity only, we will not be forming a team
 - Contact Jen (jmsharp@eagles.usi.edu) if interested in more information

Reminders:

- The MPA Society has a Facebook page! Please like/follow us. Search “MPA at USI”.
<https://www.facebook.com/MPA-at-USI-682181135161299/timeline/>

The meeting was adjourned at 5:49pm.

Respectfully submitted,

Jennifer Sharp