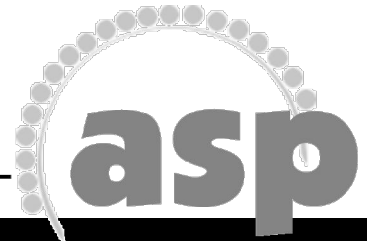


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MARK YOUR
CALENDARS!

March

14-17 Annual Meeting
in San Diego! See you
there!

24 Exec Elections
Interest Session

25-27 Exec
Candidate Interviews

April

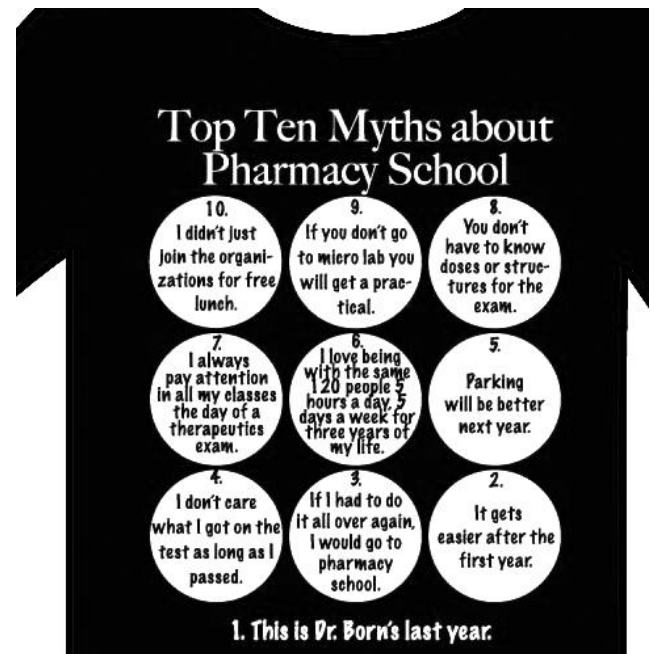
2 Chapter Meeting
Elections and End of the
Year Awards!

5 ADA Diabetes Walk
Screening

19 La Casa Health
Screening

**That's
right, a
new
tshirt is
coming!**

Watch out for our
upcoming t-shirt to
be on sale soon!



Zack Goldman, February's Member of the Month and Hillbill Chili Cookoff Champion, is always willing to help out with all APhA-ASP

february member of the month

Zack Goldman, P2

related things. At MRM, he was active in the policy process by voicing his opinion at our chapter caucus. Last month at Hillbill Chili, Zack arrived early to help set up tables and

chairs. He can often be seen pushing a drink cart to our meetings each month. Thank you, Zack, for all of your hard work—you are a valuable asset to APhA-ASP!

Become an exec member!

A GREAT WAY TO BE INVOLVED IN YOUR SCHOOL, CHAPTER AND PROFESSION!

It is time for Executive elections again. If you are interested in applying, fill out the application and turn it in ASAP to the envelope on Dr. Dunn's door, at the interest session, at your interview, or to Cristina Broomas (President-Elect). Also, attend the interest session on March 24 at noon to get a better understanding of how Exec works as a team and all of the duties of an Exec member. Interviews with outgoing executive officers on March 25 or 27, and two people will be slated for each position by the outgoing executive officers after the interviews. The Chapter will vote from the 2 people slated for each position during the meeting by secret ballot.

Download an application on our website on the officers page. Applications are due at the interview, but it is best if you turn them in early. Following is a description of each position's responsibilities. In addition, exec members are required to contribute articles as needed to the chapter Capsule (newsletter), attend MRM and Annual meeting, attend fall and spring exec retreats, and attend one lunch and one night meeting each month.

VP Logistics and Operations

Overall responsibility for Logistics, including chapter meetings, Awards Convocation and Patient Counseling Competition, Picnics, Serves as President in the event of absence or incapacity of the President, Coordinator for Patient Counseling Competition, Fundraising

VP Professional Projects

Develops and coordinates professional projects for the Chapter (Operation Immunization, Operation Diabetes, Heartburn Awareness Challenge; Legislative Health Fair; State-wide Health Fairs), Coordinates ASP participation in projects with other COP organizations

VP Policy and Legislation

Develops policies for MRM, Plans and coordinates the Legislative Health Fair in conjunction with the Arkansas Pharmacists Association (APA), Keeps membership up-to-date on State and National Legislative issues, Coordinate letter writing campaigns to Legislatures, Coordinates Chapter Calls to Action when necessary

VP Membership

Coordinates Spring P4 Membership Drive, Coordinates New Student Membership Drive, Maintains membership records, Maintains Chapter Membership Recognition Program

VP External Affairs

Take photographs of all chapter functions, prepares publicity for Chapter meeting, maintains Chapter Bulletin Board, Assists in preparation of Chapter Achievement Reports, Prepares publicity for local and statewide newspapers

IPSF Officer

Form an IPSF Committee, Facilitate periodic committee meetings, Promote IPSF platforms i.e.. Tobacco Awareness, AIDS Awareness, TB Awareness, Organize & participate in fundraisers, Organ-

ize and manage projects, Communicate with national officers for IPSF and SEP (Student Exchange Program), Develop SEP

VP Communications

Assists in preparation of Chapter Achievement Reports, Prepares Chapter correspondence with off-campus individuals, Prepares the monthly newsletter; mails newsletter to region chapters, Maintains Chapter Website, make sure site is compliant with national style guide, create year-end picture cd, assist with any graphic design needs of chapter (t-shirts, posters, literature, etc.)

VP Social Events

Suggests, develops and coordinates Social Activities for the Chapter, Works with VP for Logistics and Operations on Picnics, Fundraising, etc., Plans activities at annual and mid-year meetings, Bowling, golf tournament, etc.

Don't forget to check out different workshops and meetings in San Diego...you never know what area of APhA-ASP you might be interested in getting more involved in. Being a member of APhA-ASP exec is a great way to do that. And if don't want to be on exec, there is always other opportunities such as Vice-Chairs and committees.

More information and applications can be found on arstudentpharmacist.com and by clicking on the officer page.

