

### BSGSA meeting minutes 3-6-03

Present: David Rogowski, Mike Collyer, Jeremy Guinn, Dan Moen, Mark Davis, Matt Smith, Jim Church, Wendy Reed, Lisa Montplaiser, Mark Clark, Greg Forcey, William Bleir, Susan Spinar, Deb Harstad, Shawn Hawks, Bryan Safratowich, Evan, Sateesh Tador

The winner of the BSGSA Equipment Grant was Matt Smith. Thanks to Dr. Penelope Gibbs in Veterinary and Microbiological Sciences for judging the entries. We had twice as many entries as last year!

Matt Smith handed out ballots to vote on a topic for the fall symposium.

Get your Sheila Kath nominations in to Bryan for this year. Remember this is to honor someone (Staff, faculty, student etc.) that has helped graduate students.

Mark your calendars; our big fundraiser at the Memorial Union Recreation Center is scheduled for April 2nd, 7-10 pm. Sell your tickets. If people tell you they can't make it, they can still make a donation by buying a ticket.

Governor's school is scheduled for June 14th, 2003. The Governor's school is a group of the top high school students from around the state that spend a number of weeks at NDSU taking classes and learning. They get to spend a day out in the field at the Science center ^ and this is where we come in. Mark Davis, Matt Smith, Greg Forcey, and Jim Church, have volunteered for the event. I believe the stations will be herps, birds, and aquatic invertebrates. It is a lot of fun and I am sure they could use some help if you are around this summer.

Dave suggested that we should come up with some judging guidelines for our annual equipment grant. Dave volunteered to work on a draft and circulate it.