

IMA Student Chapter Meeting

9/24/2013 at 5:00 PM in Pound Hall room 301

Members in attendance: Dr. Tanya Lee, Taylor Fletcher, Christina Howell, Brittany Roberts, Stacy Godwin, Alan Pratt, Kella Kicklighter, Chance Windham, Shanequa Robinson, Kylani Austin, Tammara Atchison, Sherita Gregory, Chardonnay Crawford, Marhabo Kasimova, Courtney Stephens, Kris Lewis, Megan Schoenberger, Darius Guillory, Trey Davis, Jennifer Castleman, Kirsty Douglas, Cherriene Huntley and Dr. Gupta.

-Sherita Gregory announced our chapter's award of the Gold Certificate of excellence for the 2012-2013 school year. Congratulations to all who helped Valdosta State's IMA student organization achieve this!

-The deadline for VP applications has been extended until October 11th. Please be sure to return your application to Dr. Gupta if you are interested.

-The IMA 14th annual student leadership conference will be held this year in Charlotte, North Carolina on November 14th-16th. Congratulations to our 2013 scholarship award winners:

Chance Windham	Brittany Roberts	Tara Fletcher	Kris Lewis
Darius Guillory	Stacy Godwin	Sherita Gregory	
Sarah Holder	Christina Howell	Megan Schoenberger	
Marhabo Kasimova	Jae Park	Courtney Stephens	

**Prior to registration, visit imastudentconference.org to get more information on the conference. Start arranging flights and hotel reservations at the Westin.*

-Courtney Stephens announced the date for the upcoming ropes course. We will be doing the high and low course elements on October 19th from 1pm to 5pm. Please let Courtney know by October 4th if you would like to attend since this will be a first come, first serve basis.

- The Saft plant tour is scheduled for October the 11th at 3pm. We will meet in the plaza at 2:30 pm to carpool. If you are interested please contact Courtney ASAP as a background check will have to be done for all who plan to attend.

- Make a difference day at Second Harvest will be Saturday, October 26th from 8am to noon. Please let Courtney know if you are interested in being a part of our community service event this semester.

-T-shirts are in! They are \$10 and can be picked up from Dr. Gupta's office. Be sure to wear your IMA t-shirt to all plant tours and community service events.

-Guest Speaker: Clarence Dean, Professor Relations Coordinator for Gleim Publications, Inc.

Meeting adjourned at 6:00 pm

Important dates to remember:

-October 11: Saft Plant Tour (VP applications due!)

-October 19: Ropes course

-October 22: Third chapter meeting

-October 26: Make a Difference Day at Second Harvest

-November 14-16: IMA student leadership conference

-November 19: Last chapter meeting of the semester