

American Meteorological Society (AMS) - St. Louis Chapter

Date: Tuesday, September 26th, 2017

Location: Saint Louis University - O'Neil Hall

Social Time: 6:00 - 6:30pm

Meeting Time: 6:30pm - 8:00pm

Officers in Attendance:

- Fred Glass - Vice President
- Kyle Perez - Secretary
- Allison Wreath - Treasurer

Total in Attendance: (25-30)

Introduction: Fred Glass

- Introduction and Welcome to Fall 2017 meeting
- Address potential plans and discuss ideas for Fall of 2017 meetings
- Elections held for all chapter officer positions (look below for results)

Old and New Business: Kyle Perez

- Last Meeting held at KMOV Channel 4 Studio and took a tour of the newstation. Metro St. Louis Storm Chasers Association held their annual summer BBQ in late July that included guests from the St. Louis Local AMS chapter.
- St. Louis Local AMS Emblem updated, new logo appears on website and Facebook
- Upcoming events in St. Louis area include Broadcaster Workshop on November 4th hosted at Saint Louis University
- AMS Annual Meeting will be held in Austin, TX from January 7-11, 2018
- NWA Annual Conference will be held in St. Louis from August 25-30, 2018
- Possible ideas for future meetings
 - Dinner meetings at various locations (Pappy's, Lottawatta Creek)
 - St. Charles County Joint Communications
 - National Weather Service LSX Visit and Meeting
 - Mizzou Chapter interested in joint meeting with KC Chapter (contact Pat Market)
 - Possible trivia night

Meeting:

- Held a taco/nacho bar for the first Fall meeting
- Membership Fees (\$15.00) were collected at the September 2017 meeting. If you would like to become a member still, please bring your payment to the next meeting or send your payment to Treasurer Allison Wreath.

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- Elections were held in the Fall of 2017 - Summer of 2018 for all positions which include President (must be active AMS member for at least 2 years), Vice-President, Secretary, and Treasurer. Refer to AMS Chapter Officers Handbook for more information regarding the duties regarding each of these positions:
<https://www.ametsoc.org/ams/index.cfm/about-ams/ams-local-chapters/chapter-officers-handbook/>
 - The results were as followed:
 - President: Meghan Danahey
 - Vice-President: Fred Glass
 - Secretary: Kyle Perez
 - Treasurer: Allison Wreath

- *Speaker:* Alyssa Otten (Current SLU undergraduate student)
 - *Social Time:* 6:00 - 6:30pm
 - *Meeting Time:* 6:30 - 8:00pm
 - *Topic:* A Non-convective High Wind Climatology For Selected Locations in the Mid-Mississippi Valley
 - *Remarks:* Selected cities mid-Mississippi Valley in LSX CWA
 - Climatological Aspects
 - Wind advisory and high wind warnings
 - Primarily cold season aspects
 - Patterns recognized
 - Daily hour observations
 - Wind direction analyzed
 - Duration of events

Closing Remarks:

- Next meeting: Looking to be held in early November. Check back on our Facebook page or Local AMS website for more details on future meetings when they become available!
- <http://www.eas.slu.edu/Weather/AMS/>