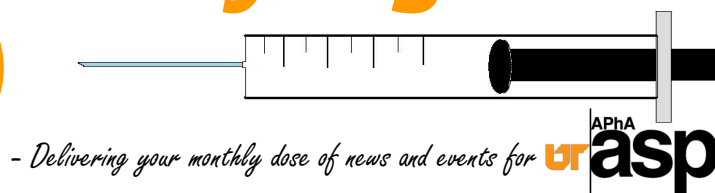


The Syringe



Becoming an Active APhA-ASP Member

It should go without saying; yearly membership is the first step to becoming an active APhA-ASP member. As a first year student, you hope to dive into a nationally recognized organization and search out how to fit in the large puzzle of positions and participation. Second years, you look to build upon the previous year and apply new knowledge and experience. Third years, you pass down wisdom and guidance, offering key leadership and initiative. Our soon to graduate fourth years, you are an invaluable resource as educators and participants at key events, contests, and meetings. For all classes, APhA-ASP can offer a way for you to develop as a student and a leader, advocate for the patient and the profession, and serve the college and the community.

Monthly meetings are held on both campuses for our chapter. This is the chance to take a break, grab a bite to eat, listen to guest speakers, and socialize with the membership body and the officers. We are open to many ideas and/or suggestions. If you have a topic or know a speaker, contact one of the officers. Get involved and give feedback. We cannot accomplish excellence in our chapter without member involvement and ideas.

Service events not only give you experience and professional development; it also gives back to the community. Our chapter has a great opportunity on both campuses to reach underserved popula-

tions and be a beacon of light in the healthcare community. What better way to put your education to action! Numerous committees exist for outreach, and this is where we like to shine. Keep an eye out for upcoming events, contact the committee chairs and vice-chairs, and don't miss the chance to sign up.

This academic year is a great opportunity to participate on a regional and national scale. Mid-Year Regional (Oct 28-30) is in Orlando, and Annual (March 9-12) will be hosted in New Orleans. We are looking for individuals in our membership body to fill important roles in both regional and national positions. Ask an officer how you can get involved.



Finally, one way to stay involved is to just keep up with all that's going on. Look for ways to work with numerous projects. This year, along with the newsletter, we are rolling out a new website (www.utasp.org) and a new method for event sign-ups. Browse to stay abreast of activities in the organization. Check the website often and save the noted dates on your calendar for up and coming opportunities.

Happenings

Recent Events and Future Plans

KNOXVILLE CAMPUS

August 22nd

Undergraduate UTK Health
Organization Meeting
(Promoting Pre-Pharmacy)

September 22nd

Maryville College
Freshman
Women's Health Education

MEMPHIS CAMPUS

August 20th

Turning Point Conference
Women's Health/Pediatrics

August 25th

New Building Dedication

August 31st

Committee Showcase

September 6th

Q & A
P1 MAL and Vice-Chairs
6pm Central, Room M101
Applications due on 12th,
Interviews on 14th and 15th

September 8th

Arc Mid-South Health Fair
Diabetes and BP Event

September 17th

Agricenter International
on Walnut Grove
Heartburn Awareness

October 4th

PARscription Golf Tournament
Stonebridge Country Club

October 5th

U of M Health Fair

MEMPHIS and KNOXVILLE

September 14th

Chapter Meeting

September 21st

Fall Picnic

September 31st

ASP Membership Deadline

October 20th

Bowling Tournament

Visit www.utasp.org for specific times,
locations, and updates

Introducing the 2011-2012 APhA-ASP Executive Committee



Memphis Campus

Knoxville Campus

President

Whitney Van Cleve Elliot

I'm a Nestle addict.



Executive Vice President

Hamilton Borden

I played football, threw the shot put, discus, javelin, and hammer in undergrad.



President Elect

Cole Larson

I once spent a summer living in a tent in Hawaii.



Executive Vice President Elect

Lindsey Plogger

I love NASCAR races.



VP of Fundraising

Kim Kleinaitis

I'm deathly afraid of cockroaches!



Rachel Wilkinson

I am addicted to school supplies.



VP of Operations

Sabrina Groves

I once was asked "How do you walk?" because my toes are so short!



Bethany Shoulders

One of my top goals in life is to be on the CBS show, "The Amazing Race."



VP of Membership

Anna Dutton

With a height of 4'11, I just miss being classified as a little person by one inch according to Little People of America.



Brian Winbiger

I once sat face to face for two hours with Pat Summitt on the UT-Plane...she is not as intense off the court!



VP of Patient Care

Lindsay Hubbard

I can lick my elbow, it is not impossible!



Amy Richardson

I taught English for a year in Korea before coming to Pharmacy School.



VP of Public Relations

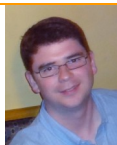
Zach Drabick

I have been to over 30 concertsand counting.



Nathan Cope

I have three older brothers that are triplets, and their birth on New Year's Eve gave my parents quite a tax break.



Representing Memphis and Knoxville Campuses

VP of Legislative Affairs

Will Ireland

I own a pair of cookie monster socks.



Historian

Brooke Crocker

I went to the University of Tennessee because Hogwarts didn't accept FAFSA.

