

# **Central Iowa NWA Meeting**

February 11<sup>th</sup>, 2014 National Weather Service - Johnston, IA

# **AGENDA**



- 1. AWIPS2 overview and review of winter forecasting within the GFE environment
  - 2. 18<sup>th</sup> Annual Severe Storms and Doppler Radar Conference March 27<sup>th</sup>-29<sup>th</sup>, 2014
    - A. Team Updates
      - Agenda
      - Registration
      - Travel
      - Vendor
      - Electronics
      - Radar Workshop
      - Scholarship and Awards
    - B. Split Registration Discussion and policy
    - C. Team Chair waived registrations
    - D. Conference location 2015-2016
      - Would like to get 4 bids, Current location, 1 in Ames and 2 Des Moines metro
      - Will form a team soon. Plan to have site and dates determined by this year's conference.
    - E. Conference Registration Fees
      - Students \$80, Regular \$150
      - Members: Students \$48, Regular \$95
- 3. Social Media Team
  - Plan to form a team that will submit chapter news for the NWA newsletter
- 4. Treasurer Update
  - A. Account Balance \$21,648.87
    - \$250 donation to scholarship from WeatherCall not included
  - B. Claim sent to Great Iowa Treasure Hunt for \$600 vendor fees nothing heard yet
- 5. Secretary Notes
- 6. Chapter Activity Proposals
  - Helping hearing impaired with NOAA Weather Radio adapters
  - Serving at a food bank
  - Other Ideas?
- 7. Past Notes and Reminders
  - Brenda Brock and Karl Jungbluth will be invited to the conference as our guests in appreciation for their service to the chapter
  - Email Addresses Google for Non-Profits Update

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#### 8. Other Items

- A. Next Meeting Date March 11<sup>th</sup>? Location TBD
- B. Officer and Team Chair meeting the following week?

# 2013 – 2014 Conference Committees

# **Registration Team**

Mindy Beerends (Chair)
Corey Harguth
Lyndee Clark
Tom Maaske
Rachel Duebner

# **Agenda Team**

**Kevin Smalley** 

Dr. Gallus (Chair)
Brian Squitieri
Dave Flory
Karl Jungbluth
Aubry Bhattarai
Ken Podrazik
Mindy Beerends
Chris Maiers
Rod Donavon
Jeff Zogg

#### **Travel Team**

Aubry Bhattarai (Chair) Jimmy Cayer

## **Vendor Team**

Chris Maiers (Chair)
Jim Orlando
Rachel Duebner
Mindy Beerends
Kevin Smalley
Tom Maaske

## **Electronics Team**

Willard Sharp (Chair)
Dave Flory
Chris Maiers

# **Pam Daale Scholarship Team**

Rod Donavon (Chair) Ken Podrazik Bill Gallus Jeff Zogg Aubry Bhattarai Brian Squitieri

## **Radar Workshop Team**

Kevin Skow (Chair)
Dave Flory
Chris Maiers

# **Hotel Team**

Rod Donavon (Chair) Ken Podrazik Chris Maiers Mindy Beerends