



Central Iowa NWA Meeting Minutes

Wednesday, September 1, 2021 | 7PM

Google Meets

Opening: 7:03PM

I. Welcome Back!

- New member and current member fees:
 - New members **[\$10]**—Pay via PayPal as soon as possible to participate in activities and voting.
 - Current members—membership good until January 2022.

II. Officer Nominations

- **Multiple positions open soon.** A Google form will be sent out for nominations.
- President, VP, Treasurer, Secretary and AMS Liaison.
- Voting takes place at the October meeting.

III. 26th (25th) Central Iowa NWA Conference

- Sign up for Conference Teams and Team Chairs!
- **TEAMS, (TEAM Chairs), and description of teams from previous years:**
 - **Agenda (Bill Gallus)**—responsible for inviting 7-8 speakers for the conference. Assist with finding appropriate speakers for topics of interest at the conference.
 - **Registration (Clair Womack)** – *New registration chair needed.* A form will be sent out for those interested in being on registration. Help conference attendees register. Team members will work registration table at the conference.
 - **Scholarship (Mike Fowle)** – Two scholarships will be offered (both \$1500). Pam Daale Scholarship open for those interested in broadcast and or operational meteorology. Tim Samaras scholarship open for those interested in research meteorology. All encouraged to apply.
 - **Radar Workshop (Rod Donovan)** – Radar Workshop occurs on the first day of the conference. Team will choose a severe weather case and simulate that event occurring over Iowa in which participants will be on teams and attempt to issue warnings for the best score.
 - **Travel (Kristy Carter)** – Help speakers chosen by the agenda team travel to and from conference with budget set aside by the Central Iowa NWA.
 - **Electronics (Jon Thielen)** – *New electronics chair needed.* Primary role will be to assist with physical and electronic needs at the

conference. Recently, this team has been in charge of finding a platform for virtual conferences.

- **Promotions/Vendor (Mike Cox)** – Sell ad space to vendors. For example, Midland Weather Radio was used in the past.
- **Sessions (Kyle Hugeback)** – Poster session at conference. More details/logistics to come.
- **Hotel** – Need 3-4 people. Dates have been set for the 2022-2023 conference, which will be held at the Marriot Courtyard in Ankeny, IA.
- **Social Media** – New team which will be responsible for the Facebook and Twitter accounts for the Central Iowa NWA.

IV. Congrats to Central Iowa NWA for Chapter of the Year!

V. Symposium Recap and Spring 2022 Conference

- As of now, plan on having an in-person/online (hybrid) conference in 2022.
- Date: March 31—April 2, 2022
- Will be watching to see how National AMS handles their upcoming conference.

VI. AMS Liaison Update – ISU AMS is back to business! Many new students, social, and outreach activities underway. Cy's Eyes on the Skies is also underway.

VII. New Business

VIII. Treasurer's Report

- **Bank Account:** \$13,524.52
- **Papal:** \$2,753.91

IX. Next Meeting: October 20 (more details on location/format TBD)

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