Public Health Graduate Student Organization
Thursday, March 18, 2010
6:30, Allied Health Building, Room 1335

I. Call to Order

II. Special Orders
a. Welcome Dr. Lloyd Novick, Department of Public Health Chair
   - Number of graduates have been finalized
   - Certification in Public Health Exam - Offered in August
     Voluntary to take - receive a certificate
   - End-of-the-year party in May suggestions for place: David's house or Treybrooke Lawn
b. Welcome DPH Faculty Attendees Dr. Novick and Dr. Jilcott
   Dr. Novick -
   Dr. Jilcott -
   - New course - MPH 6027- Analyzing data
     - Very useful course - if you are taking 6991 or 6992 in the fall
     - Dr. Bethel will be teaching a new course - Fundamentals of Agro-Medicine
     - Registration opens on Monday

III. Officer Reports
a. President Becky Merrick
   i. Elections for 2010 – 2011 Officers (except Parliamentarian)
      1. President - Chelsea Stowe
      2. Vice President - Caitlyn Warren
      3. Treasurer - Amber Moore
      4. Secretary - Cameron Lloyd
   ii. Graduation: May 8th, 10am
      1. Practice: 5:30, Thursday, May 6, Brody Auditorium
      2. Speaker: Dr. Jeffrey Engle, State Health Director
      3. Committee Status - Next Meeting April 16
b. Vice President Brian Loveland
   i. Intramural Update
   ii. GPSS Annual Funding
      1. PHO exec is meeting Sunday, March 21, at 1:00 to complete annual funding packet
   iii. T-shirts

c. Treasurer Chris Green
   i. Dues - $10/semester
   ii. Caps, Gowns, and Cords - Order them at the Student Store
d. Parliamentarian Chelsea Stowe
   i. GPSS Update
   ii. Dr. Weeden, UNC Wilmington
      1. March 25th, 6:30pm, Allied Health Sciences Room 1335
      - April 5-9 Research Creativity Week
      - Dr. Gemperine would like input about the Graduate program- speak with
        Chelsea Matt Thompson:
        - Conferences:
          - NCPHA spring 1st Annual Spring Education Conference April 23rd in Durham
          - US Conference on African Immigrant Health April 7-11 in Atlanta
          - Fundraising- get items donated for conference in October


e. Secretary Cameron Lloyd
   i. Roll Call
   ii. Slideshow- Need pictures of graduates- Please send them to Cameron

IV. Special Reports
   a. Volunteering, Jared McGuirt
   b. End-of-Year Social Committee
   c. Relay 4 Life, Britany Locher and Becky Merrick
      i. Sign up www.piraterelay.com (Team Name: Public Health Organization) Camp site 32
      ii. North Campus Recreational Fields, April 9, 2010- receive wrist bands before the event
      iii. Theme Country: Ireland
          1. Fundraising ideas- Guinness Cupcakes, Root Beer floats
          2. Call for volunteers: Signs, Table/Chairs, Tent Set-up

Email Becky

V. Old Business

VI. New Business (No Faculty Present)
   a. Open Session

VII. Announcements
   a. Important Dates:
      i. Graduation
         1. Ceremony: Saturday, May 8th, 10am, Brody Auditorium
         2. Practice: Thursday, May 6th, 5:30pm, Brody Auditorium
      ii. Public Health Grand Rounds
         1. Dr. Weeden, March 25, 6:30 – 7:30, Allied Health Sciences 1335
         2. Dr. DeFreise, April 13, 5:30 – 6:30, Brody Auditorium (Reception to follow)
      iii. Registration
         1. Monday, March 22
   b. Activities:
      i. 3rd Annual Jones County Walk-A-Thon
         1. Saturday, April 17th, 9am – 1pm
         2. Contact: Atha Cutler (atha.cutler@jones.nc.gov)
      c. Upcoming Conferences
         i. 1st Annual NCPHA Spring Educational Conference
            1. April 23rd, Hilton, RDU Airport, Durham, NC
            2. Registration $25 until April 16th

VIII. Adjournment