

## THE WIDE WORLD OF UPDATES – October 11, 2006

This is the first of many emails from the CSLA. On behalf of all the officers, I would like to thank everyone that made an appearance at our first meeting of fall quarter. It was great to see so many new faces and, as always, a pleasure to see a number of returning faces. I hope everyone is settling into his or her classes well. I have a number of updates and reminders to pass along. Here it goes....

### **COMMITTEES**

Many committee chairs were assigned at the meeting. We still need a few people to help with these committees. The members will assist the chair in organizing the event, creating fliers/signs/posters, recruiting volunteers to help at the event and a variety of other activities. Don't worry, nothing is extremely difficult – you may actually have some fun doing it! I mentioned that volunteers would be recruited; this is a big part of the organization. Even though we have chairs and committees, we still need a bunch of people to work the events. If you are interested in attending this spring's PLANET Competition (or other events held by the CSLA) we really need you to help at these events. Below is a list of committees and chairs. If you would like to be added to a committee, or if I have incorrect information, please contact me.

#### CHARITY COLLECTION

Time frame: Held in early November

Chair: Emmy Morrow

Committee: Frannie Johnson, Jamie Jeffrey

#### POINSETTIA / BULB SALE

Time frame: Late October thru late November

Chairs: Nanette Welch and Kathy Andres

Committee: Bela Chavda, Frannie Johnson

#### ROSE SALE

Time frame: Held in February

Chairs: Bela Chavda and Brian Keith

**Committee:**

#### PLANET CAREER DAYS

Time frame: Occurs at the end of March

Chairs: Bob Moreen and Crystal Morter

**Committee:**

#### GOLF OUTING

Time frame: Summer of 2007

Chairs: Matt Mayle and Brian Nelson

**Committee:**

#### “STICK” NEWSLETTER

Time frame: Ongoing

Chair: Crystal Morter

Committee:

### FIELD TRIPS

Time frame: Spring 2007 and others

Chair: Frannie Johnson

Committee:

### BUDGET

Time frame: Ongoing

Chair: Dean Karbler

Committee:

### BARLEY'S SOCIAL

Time frame: January CENT'S Show

Chair: Jason Douglas

Committee:

You may be wondering why we need to start the process for some of these events when they don't occur until next year. For example, the Golf Outing, that's almost an entire year away. Well, as soon as the event ends, we immediately begin the process for the following year. There is a lot of time put into these fundraisers and community events. We are continuously coming up with ways to improve the previous year's performance. The new committee begins their day after the previous committee is complete. This is why it is so important to form them early and to stay committed.

### **ON WITH THE UPDATES**

It was decided that along with the Poinsettias, we will also be selling Amaryllis, Jacobenia and Paperwhites. We have a new room reserved for the storing of the plants. It will be in the basement of Nester and it will provide us with much more space than last year's location.

If you applied for the GIC Student Ambassador Program - students should be notified by October 13<sup>th</sup>, via email, if they have been accepted.

If you have volunteered to help at Franklin Park Conservatory tomorrow night, please refer to the additional email for further details about the event.

The Student/Employer Roundtable session at the GIC will be held Friday November 3<sup>rd</sup> with a dinner (or snacks) beginning at 6:00. If you have not signed up, and would still like to attend, please contact Mike Legates (csla.vp@gmail.com) for more information. The deadline has passed, but we may still be able to add you to the list.

Winter Registration starts on Monday October 23<sup>rd</sup>! That is less than 2 weeks away. The class schedule has been posted online (and catalogs are available on campus) so be sure to find the classes you need and register early! We have had a number of landscape courses canceled over the last few quarters due to people not registering

early. Please do not let that happen this quarter! If you have questions or concerns about your schedule, please schedule an appointment with your Advisor (Prof. Ansley or Prof. O'Neal).

Wednesday October 25<sup>th</sup> is an In-Service Day. What does that mean to students?? It means day classes are canceled!!! If you have a class that begins before 5:00, more than likely you won't be having it. Please check with your teachers to be sure you are not having class (I may have the cut-off time incorrect).

Our next meeting will be Tuesday October 31<sup>st</sup> at 5:00 in Davidson 204. There may be a possibility of having a duplicate meeting occur on the following Saturday morning to accommodate anyone not able to attend the Tuesday meeting. Please let me know if you would be interested in attending a Saturday one instead. It will only be held if we have a high enough demand.

I sure hope you made it all the way thru this email. I know it was long, but there was so much info to share. If you have any questions or comments, please don't hesitate to talk with any of the officers.

HAVE A GREAT DAY!!!  
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CSLA Secretary

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