Tennessee Sigma Nu

Tennessee Tech University, Cookeville, TN

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Goals for 2008-2009

The goals of the chapter for 2008-2009 were to continue to promote the professional growth and development of its members and non-members, increase membership, and start reaching out to the student body and local community

Activities

Our plans to work with the Habitat for Humanity didn't work out due to University scheduling. We promoted Mechanical Engineering during Homecoming and Engineering Week. The main accomplishment during the year was the opening of a PTS staffed Mechanical Engineering tutoring center. We held our regular meetings, with various speakers, touching on areas such as Graduate School and leadership. In addition to selling Mechanical Engineering polos, we produced PTS chapter t-shirts to increase campus exposure. We also held an end of the year banquet honoring the new initiates. Our speaker for the banquet was Dr. Glenn Cunningham and students from his steam power class talking about alternative energy.

Graduates

Jacob Bentley	Chelsea McCrary
Andrew Bryant	Houston McConnell
Michael Casutto	Micah Murphy
Michael Coradini	Herman Radke
Cory Duggin	Richard Russell
Daniel Forbes	David Schwer
Tristan Laher	Daniel Sims
Matt Lewis	Jeremy Swayze
Nathan Lister	Bradley Thompson
	Oren Yair

Awards & Recognition

Andrew Bryaant, Micah Murphy, Mallory Johnston, and Daniel Forbes- Engineering Joint Council Scholarship

Matt Lewis – Baja SAE Captain, Baja SAE received 4th and 17th place in Auburn, AL

Mallory Johnston ($4000), Richard Russell ($1000), and Bradley Thompson ($1000) – ASHRAE Scholarship

Bradley Thompson – 2007-2008 OVC Scholar Athlete

Names of New Members

Fall 2008 Pledges

Michael Coradini	Andrew Martin
Mitchell Davis	Blair Nicholson
Ruth Diroff	Steven Rosch
Charles Huddleston	Daniel Sims
Jason Hunter	Bradley Thompson
Tristan Laher	Nathan Winslett

Spring 2009 Pledges

Billy Bates	Daniel Morgan
Adam Cox	Justin Newell
Charles Davis	Josh Roberts
Justin Garrard	Jacob Phillips
Nick Hibdon	James Smith
Kurt Hodges	

Transfer of Responsibilities

We have all of our previous data, forms, and reports saved on a jump drive, backed up on a computer, and a hard copy saved in a folder. The new officers sat down with the old officers and reviewed over all of the duties held during the previous year. All of the data was given to the new officers, along with a summary of important details and dates to have specific information, thoughts, details, and paper work completed, along with ideas from the experience learned during the previous year.

Plans for 2009-2010

For the upcoming year, our chapter hopes to reach out more to the community, through outreach and service projects. The new tutoring center will continue to expand and have the staffing process optimized.

We are looking into several new ideas for fundraising, and selling TTU Mechanical Engineering Polo shirts, to promote ME. There are also plans for an end-of-the-year banquet, as well as great speakers for the up-coming school year.

Chapter Officers

President	Cory Duggin
Vice President	Roland DeCicco
Treasurer	Jeremy Swayze
Secretary	Brien Lewis
Webmaster	Oren Yair

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Reporter

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