

## 9-16-2010 SSWA Meeting Minutes

- ❖ Introduction of board members:
  - Johannah Bradle- president [bradlj34@uwosh.edu](mailto:bradlj34@uwosh.edu)
  - Sarah Hader-Vice president [hader86@uwosh.edu](mailto:hader86@uwosh.edu)
  - Lindsey Chike-Secretary [chikel54@uwosh.edu](mailto:chikel54@uwosh.edu)
  - Jean Neal-Treasurer [nealj01@uwosh.edu](mailto:nealj01@uwosh.edu)
  - Jamie Waldvogel [waldvj18@uwosh.edu](mailto:waldvj18@uwosh.edu)
  - Nicole Galarno [galarn00@uwosh.edu](mailto:galarn00@uwosh.edu)
  - Kylie Fitzgerald-Community Chair [fitzgk63@uwosh.edu](mailto:fitzgk63@uwosh.edu)
  - Bailey Smith-Fundraising Chair [smithb13@uwosh.edu](mailto:smithb13@uwosh.edu)
  
- ❖ Guest Speaker: Dr. Quin Sullivan (Social work department chair)
  
- ❖ Faculty advisors introduced themselves
  
- ❖ Ice breaker to get to know everyone's names and where they are in the program
  
- ❖ President Report (Johannah):
  - SSWA purpose and goals: to stimulate professional interest in the field of Social work
  - To establish and maintain interest in curriculum matter and encourage student participation and representation in the SSWA activities
  - To promote communication between students, faculty, and the community
  - To become aware of and involved in local and national social work issues and policies
  - We donate all of the money we make during the year to someone or some place that really needs it at the end of the Spring semester

- We get involved with the community by volunteering
- ❖ What can SSWA Do for you?
  - Give you the chance to get to know others in your major
  - Network with older students, professionals, and professors
  - Have fun!
- ❖ How to be an active member:
  - Attend large group meetings and sign the attendance sheet
    - If you cannot attend meetings, read the minutes and email the account saying you read them
  - Partake in at least one community event and one fundraiser
  - More involvement is always welcomed and highly encouraged
- ❖ Vice president report (Sarah)
  - We will be selling t-shirts and sweatshirts this year
  - Ideas for quotes to go on the shirts can be sent to [hader86@uwosh.edu](mailto:hader86@uwosh.edu)
  - At next meeting we will determine color and quote and also you will be able to order what you would like
- ❖ Community Event report (Kylie)
  - Autumn Adventure-Monday, September 20<sup>th</sup>
    - 5-7pm

- Pierce park in Appleton
- Primary job will be to help with activities
- A day at the Farm – Saturday, September 18<sup>th</sup> through Sunday, September 19<sup>th</sup>
  - 10am-5pm
  - Kumbier Farm
  - Proceeds donated to St. Jude Children’s Foundation and Research Hospital
- Dragonboat Races- Saturday , September 25<sup>th</sup>
  - 6am-8pm (shifts available)
  - Leach Amphitheater

❖ **Email Kylie if you are interested in volunteering!**

❖ Fundraising report (Bailey)

- Open to any ideas, email her if you have some creative ideas
- Looking into a brat fry at the moment
- Stay tuned...many more ideas to come at upcoming meetings

❖ Historian (Jamie)

- If you take any pictures at an event she would be happy to take a look and include them in the SSWA scrapbook
- If you are interested in looking at last year’s scrapbook, it will be located in our cubicle in the SLIC

❖ Secretary (Lindsey): discussed how minutes work

- Checks e-mail daily

- If you don't know what person on board to send an email to, you can send it to the SSWA account, and she can forward it to the appropriate person.
- ❖ OSA rep (Nicole)
  - At last meeting they discussed a new position at UWO, a diversity specialist that is on campus and goes around to various organizations on and off campus and does diversity workshops
- ❖ Treasurer (Jean)
  - Let's Fundraise! We have about \$50.00 in the account right now

Next meeting 9-30-10 @ 11:30 AM in Reeve 220