

## AAPS Meeting Minutes

February 3, 2011

Members Attending: Liput, Daniel; Eleftheria Tsakalozou; Fugit, Kyle D; Fang, Lei; Joseph Lutz; Milewska, Marta; Modi, Sweta J; Sen, Sucharita; Yuan, Xiaoda

### **E-Day- February 26<sup>th</sup>**

- Sucharita suggested putting microscope as well but then everyone decided there would be too many things. So, decided to stay with the same activity as last year; that is, brain and tablet press.
- Sweta and Xiaoda to take the responsibility of getting the tablet press in place and give the demonstration of making plain and effervescent tablets
- Dan will bring the brain model.
- The event is from 8.30am to 1pm.
- Dan will send an email to check the availability of people available for the event.

### **Eli Lilly Trip- March 22<sup>nd</sup>**

- 22<sup>nd</sup> march is finalized
- Need to start in time and take care not to be late
- Need to take planned restroom breaks while traveling
- Breakfast to be provided by AAPS
- Dinner can be provided by AAPS depending on the funds available with AAPS
- Buy a bottle of Bourbon as a gift for the guy at Lily co-ordinating the trip; engraving on the bottle can be done for additional \$3

### **AAPS Seminar- March 25<sup>th</sup>**

- Phil Empey and Jigna Patel
- Need to have either reception or lunch for them with Grad students
- Tour of new building
- Dan will try to invite other student groups also for the seminar and send out the titles for the seminar
- Dinner and receiving them TBD upon receiving further information from Catina

### **Spring Picnic**

- To be planned somewhere in mid-april
- Sucharita to check the availability of Haggin's field

### **Group Discussions on Qualls and Dissertation writing**

- Two discussion sessions to be planned in April; one for students taking qualls and other for students writing dissertation and transitioning from graduate school to industry

- Post docs to be contacted for talking about the transition period and post-qual students to talk with pre-qual students
- Dayna Hayes and Justin McClain have volunteered

**American Cancer Society Relay for Life – April 16<sup>th</sup> – 17<sup>th</sup>**

[relayforlife.org/Kentucky](http://relayforlife.org/Kentucky)

- People are enthusiastic about it; so we will go for it
- Camping overnight can be one of the option
- \$10 per participants
- Fund raising