

Members Present

Brad Olson*	Chris Soper	Nate Trunnell
Byron Clark*	Monte Fronk	Matt Saari

*indicates partial attendance

Recorded by Chris Soper

I. Aurora

The status of the Aurora was discussed. It was determined that the majority of the people on the call have not received and Aurora on one year. The status of the 13 page Aurora that was scheduled to go out last spring was questioned. Monte Fronk will follow up with Justin Abrams, Brad Olson, Shawn Johnston and others to see where the process is breaking down. The dates for the next Aurora have been scheduled as follows:

Article and Picture Deadline: Feb 18

Aurora Complete: Mar 5

Aurora Mailing: Mar 19

II. Scholarship Fund

The Scholarship fund was discussed. Nate Trunnell reported that 19 people are eligible this year and that we would know in January after grades are announced. \$475 will be required to fund the first year. The Association agreed to fund the \$475 through member donations. Nate was instructed to prepare letters to the eligible staff members to prepare their paperwork in preparation for receiving a \$25 scholarship.

Chris Soper will follow up with Steve Lyman to get a letter out to members to donate money. The letter will go out in early December with funds back at the end of February. Follow up calls will be made.

III. Nalgene Bottles

No alternate logos were presented in the allotted time frame so the logo that Monte Fronk developed will be used for the nalgene bottles. Monte and Brad will work together to get these ordered. 100 will be ordered in order to give to staff member and for alum to purchase.

IV. New Business

Byron Clark volunteered to look into bank drafts for people who want to donate to The Association.

Matt Saari will look into alternative means of printing and distributing the Aurora.

The membership binder was discussed. Chris Soper will begin work and tentatively complete by January 2005.

Discussion occurred regarding the placement of Adam Jones and Executive Secretary. It was agreed that Adam would perform well in this position.

The telephone conference was tentatively set for January 22nd at 9:30 am.