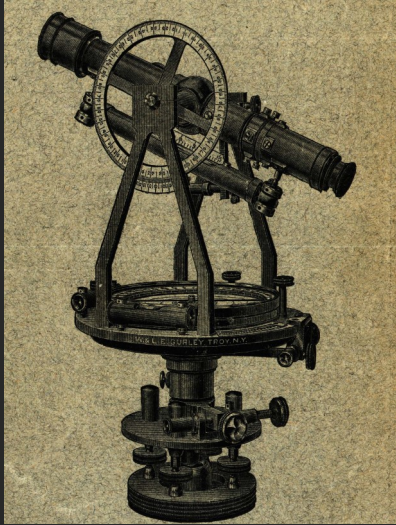


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Northeast Chapter of the Wisconsin Society of Land Surveyors



CHAPTER MEETING

Thursday

April 16, 2020, 6:00PM

Appleton area TBD

Visit us on the web: www.wsls-nec.org



This meeting has been cancelled due
to the Coronavirus.

Stay safe and healthy everyone!

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2020 MEETINGS, SCHEDULE & LOCATION

Annual General Meeting

Rock Garden—Comfort Suites in Green Bay
January 23, 2020 5:00pm Social 5:30pm Dinner/Mtg

Winter Board Meeting

Nicky’s in De Pere
February 13, 2020 6pm Social 6:45pm Dinner/Mtg

Spring General Meeting

CANCELLED
April 16, 2020 6pm Social 6:45 pm Dinner/Mtg

Spring Board Meeting

CANCELLED
May 14, 2020 6pm Social 6:45 pm Dinner/Mtg

Summer Golf/Trap Outing

Hilly Haven & Triple J in De Pere
Area golf course/trap shoot
July 23, 2020 5pm Social 5:30 pm Dinner/Mtg

Summer Board Meeting

Wave Pointe Marina & Resort in Little Sturgeon
August 13, 2020 6 pm Social 6:45 pm Dinner/Mtg

Fall General Meeting

Little Chicago in Kaukauna
October 15, 2020 6pm Social 6:45pm Dinner/Mtg

Fall Board Meeting

After Burners in Sheboygan
November 5, 2020 6pm Social 6:45pm Dinner/Mtg

Annual General Meeting

TBD
January 21, 2020 5:00pm Social 5:30pm Dinner/Mtg

**Newsletter
Online**

Chapter newsletter online

Visit us at - www.wsls-nec.org

The electronic version of the newsletter has been working great. Please let me know if anyone would like anything additional added to the newsletter.

If you would like to sign up for the electronic newsletter email me at

bostedtj@ayresassociates.com

Jill Bostedt - Newsletter Editor

Don't forget to pay your 2020 dues!

2020 OFFICERS:

- Kevin Boyer
WSLS President
- Mark Argent
NSPS President
- Jim Sehloff
NE Chapter Rep to WSLS

2019 Chapter Representatives

- President - Brad Nelson - 715-938-2649
- President Elect - Howard Herrild - 920-498-5674
- Director - Ryan Beltrand - 920-366-7036
- Past President - Ryan Duckart - 920-448-4493
- Secretary\Treasurer - Tom Leslie - 920-448-4495
- NE Chapter Representative - Jim Sehloff - 920-562-6562
- Newsletter Editor - Jill Bostedt - 920-327-7853

2020 NE CHAPTER COMMITTEES

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Chair: Terry Van Hout (448-6224)
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LAND RECORDS COMMITTEE

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LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE

Chair: Jim Sehloff (560-6562)
Justin Smith-Herter

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MEMBERSHIP COMMITTEE

Chair: Brian Frisque (743-7183)
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Larry Miller
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STUDENT CHAPTER COMMITTEE

Chair: Jake Kocken (660-7153)
Adam Herzog

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TRIG-STAR COMMITTEE

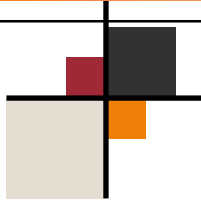
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Lisa Van Horn (360-1812)

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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE:

President's Message:

Dear Fellow Surveyors,

It is with great honor that I am writing my first President's message to you. Thank you so much for the opportunity to serve as your President. I would like to start out by giving you a background of myself. I started out attending NWTC in Green Bay and my first internship was with Oconto County in 2000. You guessed it, I worked with Mark Teuteberg and Brian Gross. I found out fast that two days were never the same in the Survey field. I am currently licensed in Wisconsin and South Dakota for surveying and work for me is based in Sheboygan Falls for an aerial mapping company unless I'm allowed to work from home in the Marinette area.

It has been a very interesting start of the year to say the least. From schools closing, airlines canceling flights, stores running low on inventory, it has been a struggle for all involved. I visited with family members in Arizona in the middle of March, it was difficult to see Las Vegas airport empty and less than 30 passengers riding on a 737 aircraft. I almost can't believe how much things have changed in less than 3 months.

In March we had scheduled to have Lisa Petersen and John Matonich speak about *Title Insurance and Business Ethics* but this event was cancelled due to the pandemic. A special thanks to Terry Van Hout in setting up this Spring Seminar.

Tentatively scheduled in April, a day long forum in Marinette called "Yesterday, Today, and Tomorrow" discusses the Public Land Survey System in Wisconsin. This forum focuses on the how the PLSS evolved over the years and a field trip to a PLSS section corner. This event has also been cancelled due to the coronavirus and the uncertainty of knowing when we will all be "back to normal".

The Day in the Life is coming up in May 5th-8th. I have noticed that the railroad museum is currently closed (per website) and I anticipate that this event will probably be cancelled due to the coronavirus.

You may have noticed a trend by this time of events being cancelled due to the coronavirus. I believe that we will probably need to make some changes by using video and telephone conferencing platforms to hold meetings and possibly use webinars for guest speakers. None of us know what the coming days will bring but I am hoping that we can still have great discussions on topics and we can work through this. We will continue to update you as the situation changes and unfolds in the coming weeks.

Thanks for taking the time to read this note today. Hoping to see everyone soon, stay safe, and let's get through this!

Warmest Regards,

Brad Nelson

Brad Nelson, PLS
President
Northeast Chapter of WSLs



~ GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING ~

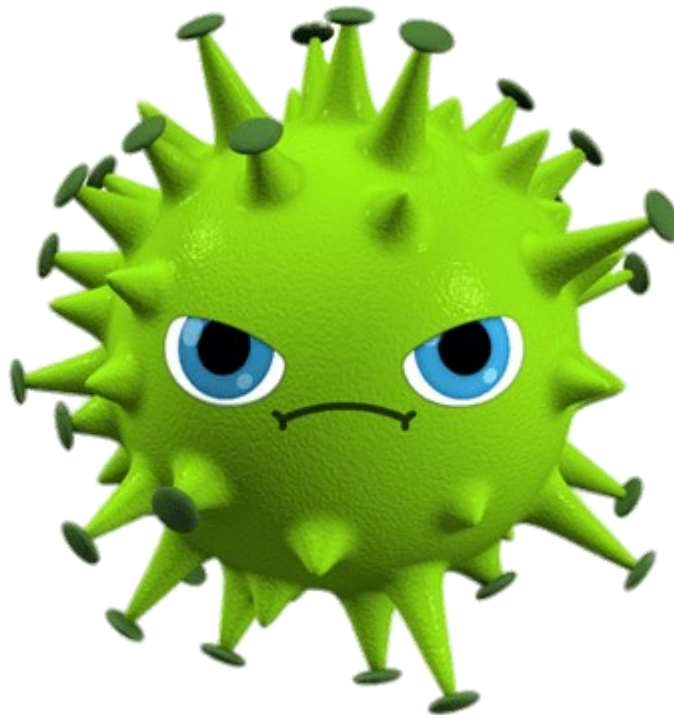
Northeast Chapter of the Wisconsin Society of Land Surveyors

Attitude adjustment is at 6:00 pm and Dinner is at 6:45 pm. Dinner will cost \$20.00.

If you plan on attending the meeting please RSVP so we can get an accurate count for the meal.

Tom Leslie Secretary\Treasurer (920) 448-4495 Leslie_TL@co.brown.wi.us

Brad Nelson President (715) 938-2649 bnelson@quantumspatial.com



Appleton area TBD

Meeting was cancelled due to Coronavirus.



Northeast Chapter
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General Meeting Agenda



April 2020 | TBD | Meeting location: To Be Determined

President	Brad Nelson
President Elect	Howard Herrild
Past President	Ryan Duckart
Director	Ryan Beltrand
Secretary/Treasurer	Tom Leslie
NE Chapter Rep	Jim Sehloff

AGENDA TOPICS

CALL THE MEETING TO ORDER	
ADDITIONS TO THE AGENDA	
APPROVE THE MINUTES FROM THE JANUARY 2020 GENERAL MEETING	
APPROVE THE TREASURER'S REPORT	Tom Leslie
NEWSLETTER EDITOR'S REPORT	Jill Bostedt
WSLS REPORT	Jim Sehloff
NSPS REPORT	Lisa Van Horn
YOUNG SURVEYORS NETWORK	Dave Spielbauer

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Auditing Committee	Terry Van Hout
Business:	
CST Committee	Howard Herrild
Business:	
Ethics and Practices Committee	Tom Leslie
Business:	
Land Records Committee	Kory Rentmeester
Business:	
Legislative Committee	Jim Sehloff
Business:	

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Membership Committee

Brian Frisque

Business:

Nominating Committee

Ryan Duckart

Business:

Program Committee

Andy Cleveland

Business:

Public Relations Committee

John Sleik

Business:

Scholarship Committee

James Cappeart

Business:

Seminar Committee

Terry Van Hout

Business:

Student Chapter Committee

Jake Kocken

Business:

Trig-Star Committee

Ryan Duckart

Business:

OLD BUSINESS

A Day in the Life

Audit Report Recommendations

NEW BUSINESS

Life Membership Award

“Yesterday, Today, and Tomorrow” PLSS Forum – Cancelled

NE Chapter Scholarship Dedication

Seiler Scholarship

Discuss Chapter Meal Cost

Any other new business?

Adjourn



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2019 AUDITING COMMITTEE REPORT

The Auditing Committee met January 18, 2020 to review the financial records of the Northeast Chapter of the Wisconsin Society of Land Surveyors for the year 2019.

We have examined the receipts, bank statements, ledger and other pertinent records. The Auditing Committee reports that the financial records appear to be in good order, and submit the following:

Opening Checkbook Balance as of 01-01-2019 \$14,280.53

Deposits

Dues and Miscellaneous Receipts \$11,080.00

Total Deposits \$11,080.00

Sub Total \$25,360.53

Expenditures

Checks Returned (24) \$15,419.12

Total Checks Written (22) \$12,712.47
(Checks #2538 Not Returned)

Service Charge \$ 24.80

Total Expenditures \$ 15,443.92


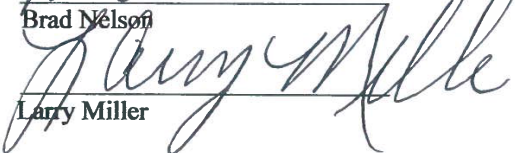
Checkbook balance as of 12-31-2019 \$ 9,916.61

Certificate of Deposit (will mature on 04-25-2020) \$ 2,252.49

Total Chapter Assets \$12,169.10

Respectfully Submitted:


Terry Van Hout – Chair


Brad Nelson

Larry Miller

NEW BUSINESS...

Emily Peirce has joined Berntsen as Business Development Manager



Emily Peirce Joins Berntsen

Berntsen International Inc. Focuses on Marking the Infrastructure of the World

Emily Pierce Joins Berntsen as Business Development Manager

MADISON, WI – April 20, 2020 Berntsen International, Inc., is pleased to announce that Emily Pierce, former president of the Wisconsin Society of Land Surveyors, is Berntsen's new Business Development Manager. With decades of experience as a surveyor and leader, Emily brings in-depth knowledge of the art of surveying; her on-going contributions to the profession of surveying are welcomed and supported by Berntsen.

"Emily's deep understanding of the surveying profession, her knowledge of the challenges faced by surveyors, and her ability to connect with the community is truly remarkable," said Mike Klonsinski, president of Berntsen International. "Her knowledge and vision will help drive business development efforts for both our traditional surveying products and our innovative InfraMarker® connected RFID marking product line."

Prior to joining Berntsen, Emily served as Director of Surveying Operations / Senior Land Surveyor for Steigerwaldt Land Services, LLC in Tomahawk, Wisconsin and previously served as the County Surveyor for Marathon County, Wisconsin. She also served as the Wisconsin Director on the National Society of Professional Surveyors Board in 2017.

"Throughout my sixteen years of surveying, I came to appreciate the quality of Berntsen products as well as the amazing customer care," said Emily. "Because of my involvement in professional surveying associations, I've also appreciated Berntsen's support of the profession, including affiliation support, sponsorships and scholarships. Berntsen gives surveyors the tools to succeed, both through the products they sell and the support they've given."

Emily continued, "Berntsen provides solutions that help their customers work smarter, not harder. I'm delighted to be joining a strong team that is emerging as a technology leader by incorporating science and resourcefulness into its solutions. I can't wait to help make that happen."



Northeast Chapter of WSLs

2020 WINTER GENERAL MEETING MINUTES

January 23, 2020 – Rock Gardens in Green Bay, WI

The 2020 Winter General Meeting was held on January 23, 2020 at Rock Gardens in Green Bay, WI. There were 70 members present, including 9 students, when Chapter President Ryan Duckart introduced:

Presentation

Several members of the NWTC 2020 NSPS Competition Team were in person to “practice” part of their team competition presentation as required by the competition rules



Rebecca Deau, Aaron Lischka, Zac Halbach
Austin Guliani

EXCELLENT JOB TEAM!!

President Duckart thanked the students for their presentation and wished them “Good Luck” in the competition

A motion was made, seconded and approved to accept the General Meeting minutes of October 17, 2019 as presented in the latest Chapter newsletter

A motion was made, seconded and approved to accept the Treasurer’s Report as presented in the latest Chapter Newsletter

The following reports were given (* by email):

Newsletter Editors Report (Jill Bostedt)

- No report at this time (but she is here!)

WSLS Report (Jim Sehloff)

- Last meeting was December 7, 2019 in Rothschild
- Website improvements were discussed

- Scholarship applications were very high this year (31)
- Several bills affecting surveying are in the legislature, including: AB 213 (online notary bill), AB 262 (construction zones), AB 598 (condominiums), SB 501 (presumption of riparian rights) and AB 605 (licensing)
- Revisions to Chapter 12 of the Facilities Development Manual have been published. A session will cover this at the upcoming Institute
- Much discussion on WRS2020 Task Force and all the related layers, zones, system to use
- Diggers Hotline will be at this year’s Institute
- Always looking for sponsors for student Bucky teams
- Possible name change for WSLs??

NSPS Report (Lisa Van Horn)*

- Lisa is in New York for their State meeting
- Licensure is under review by several states (Ohio, Florida) to get rid of all licensing altogether or a “one covers all” type of license

Auditing Committee (Terry Van Hout)*

- Audit is complete and presented in next newsletter

CST Committee (Howard Herrild)

- There will be a Spring CST Level 1 exam on March 27, 2020 at NWTC. There are up to 24 spaces available so contact Howard Herrild if interested

Ethics and Practices (Tom Leslie)

- No report at this time

Land Records (Kory Rentmeester)*

- No report at this time

Legislative (Jim Sehloff)

- Bills for the maintenance of private roads & landlocked parcels are being reviewed
- No news on WISCORS fee
- Newly revised Condominium statutes barely, if at all, address the many concerns brought forth by surveyors
- License renewal fees have been reduced by the State
- Draft is looking for co-sponsors relating to licensing of Veterans (reciprocity too?)

Membership (Brian Frisque)

- Total Membership at end of 2019: 170 Members
- Tom L will check with Frank @ WLSL to see if they would share the latest list of State Licensed Surveyors for use in an upcoming membership mailing

Nominating Committee (Ryan Duckart)

- Elections are tonight

Program Committee (Andy Cleveland)

- THANK YOU! to the students for their presentation

Public Relations (John Sleik)*

- “Day In The Life” is coming up in May. Chapter website has details – always looking for volunteers!!

Scholarship Committee (James Cappeart)*

- Chapter Scholarships have been decided and are as follows:



*Don Rhode Leadership Scholarship
Zach Halbach*

*Northeast Chapter Scholarship
Sara Braun*

(Sara could not make tonight's meeting as she was ill)

Seminar Committee (Terry Van Hout)*

- John Matonich and Lisa Petersen are set up to present on March 27 – seminar flyer will be going out soon!

Student Representative (Jake Kocken)

- A request from the students to the Chapter to renew last year's donation of \$1000 to help support the NSPS Competition team (see “New Business”)
- Students introduced themselves
- Fundraising candy bars are available – talk to a student if interested

Trig-Star (Ryan Duckart)

- Getting ready to start sending out info to the schools
- BayPort, Denmark & Two Rivers are in, with possibly Pulaski & De Pere joining the group

Young Surveyor Network (Dave Spielbauer)*

- No Report at this time

Old Business

- A-E 2, A-E 6 and A-E 8 ad hoc committees are starting to meet – reports at next meeting. Always looking for volunteers!
- BIG “Thank You” to Tony Gromacki for all the hard work he has put into keeping us updated on A-E 7 from beginning to end – rough road but Tony handled it well!
- Constitution & By Laws have been updated to new Chapter name (available on Chapter website)

New Business

- Larry Miller from the Institute Planning Committee discussed the upcoming event: The Kalahari has been updated and expanded, 943 people have already signed up, a mobile app (new this year) will be made available (UW-SP should be sending out info emails), a new Solutions Desk to help w/ any questions and the NCSA will be holding their Annual Meeting at the Institute
- Ryan D presented a power point of the Chapter's Annual Report to WLSL



- Engineering Open House will be held at NWTC on March 3-4. See NWTC website for more info. Newsletter also has the flyer w/ info. Any volunteers to help out with Foundation booth? Great PR for your company – maybe get a booth as well
- All those in attendance were asked to join the Chapter Bucky's Challenge Team – an email to all members will also be sent and asking for volunteers
- Committee sign up sheets are making their way around the meeting – PLEASE consider joining a Committee

- A Special plaque was given to Jill Bostedt for her excellent work on making our newsletter look so good!



Chapter Free Meal: Joe Lett Jr (Donated to student meals)

Being no further business, *a motion was made, seconded and approved* to adjourn at 8:09 pm.

Respectively Submitted,

Thomas Leslie
Secretary/Treasurer

- *A motion was made, seconded and approved* to accept all officer nominations as presented.

The 2020 Northeast Chapter Board is:

- President – Brad Nelson**
- Past President – Ryan Duckart**
- President Elect – Howard Herrild**
- Director – Ryan Beltrand**
- Chapter Rep – Jim Sehloff**
- Secretary/Treasurer – Tom Leslie**



Passing of the gavel from Ryan Duckart to 2020 President Brad Nelson



Brad Nelson presents a Past President Award to 2019 President Ryan Duckart

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TREASURER'S REPORT
April 27, 2020

Checking Account

Starting Balance 1-1-20 **9,916.61***

Deposits

3-10-20	Winter General Meeting/Dues	3,555.00
4-24-20	Dues	<u>1,715.00</u>

+ 5,270.00

Checks

Comfort Suites-Room for 2019 seminar	2538	120.12
Chapter Scholarship (Halbach)	2539	750.00
Appleton Trophy - Prez & Jill plqs	2540	149.31
Secretary/Treasurer Dues	2541	600.00
WLS Bucky's Team	2543	250.00
WLS Foundation	2544	1000.00
Secretary supplies	2545	120.86
Newsletter Editor dues	2546	400.00
WLS Foundation-CST donation	2547	450.00
VOID	2549	0.00
NWTC NSPS Competition donation	2550	1,000.00
Service Charge		<u>15.00</u>

-4,855.29

+Outstanding checks:

Scholarship (Braun)	2542	750.00
Comfort Suites (Winter Mtg)	2548	1,639.32

Chapter Checking Acct: *10,331.32

* Checking Acct contains \$1170 for donated student meals -1,170.00

+ Outstanding Checks -2389.32

Available Chapter Funds: 6,772.00

6-Month Certificate of Deposit

Last Maturity Balance	4-25-20	2,256.74
Current Interest Rate (0.40%)	Next Maturity Date: 4-25-20	

Spring 2020 Newsletter
Tom Leslie
Northeast Chapter Treasurer

TOTAL ASSETS: \$9,028.74

NEW BUSINESS...

Brenda Hemsted has retired from
State Cartographer's Office after 40 + years!
Congratulations Brenda!



BRENDA HEMSTED

RETIRED

hemsted@wisc.edu

Madison, WI

Brenda has been with the office since 1979 and manages a variety of technical and outreach projects for the office, many of them providing direct services to Wisconsin's surveying community. She has a long-standing role facilitating access to Wisconsin's survey control networks – currently accessible through the office's Survey Control Finder application – a cooperative effort between the office and federal, state and local agencies. In addition, she organizes events and forums for the geospatial community and is a member of various professional geospatial organizations. Her work continues to push the envelope in forward-looking online delivery of survey-related information throughout the state. As one of the most senior employees of the office, Brenda also provides collective memory and long-range planning support.



2020 NORTHEAST CHAPTER OF WSLS MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

Name: _____ Registration Number: _____

Mailing Address: _____

Place of Work: _____ Work Phone: _____ Cell: _____

Work Email: _____ Personal Email: _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____

MEMBERSHIP DUES

- () **Professional Member**
\$40.00
Any person currently registered as a Professional Land Surveyor in the State of Wisconsin
- () **Affiliate Member**
\$20.00
Any person not registered, who is interested in land surveying
- () **Lifetime Member**
No dues
Any person having reached the age of 65, retired from practice, having been a member for two years prior to the date of retirement, having been recommended by a member and application approved by the Board of Directors
- () **Student Member**
\$20.00
Any person currently enrolled in a surveying curriculum
(Membership will be from start of program to January following graduation)
- () **Sustaining Member**
Any commercial or professional institution or individuals interested or affiliated with the surveying profession
\$80.00 _____ Membership includes a display of their business card in Quarterly newsletter and on website
\$120.00 _____ Membership includes a **full** page ad, display of their business card in quarterly newsletter and on the website

MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO: "THE NORTHEAST CHAPTER OF WSLS"

Return application and dues to: Tom Leslie 1951 Andraya Lane De Pere, WI 54115

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PAID MEMBERSHIP

As of April 27, 2020

PROFESSIONAL	60
AFFILIATE	14
STUDENT	29
SUSTAINING	2
LIFETIME	<u>28</u>
TOTAL	133



Northeast Chapter of WSLs

2020 WINTER BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING

February 13, 2020 – Nicky's in De Pere, WI

There were 9 members present, including 2 students, when President Duckart called the meeting to order at 6:28 pm

A motion was **made, seconded and approved** to accept the Board meeting minutes from November 6, 2019

Treasurer's Report was accepted as presented

The following reports were given: (* via email)

NEWSLETTER EDITOR REPORT (Jill Bostedt)*

- Jill expressed gratitude for the plaque she received at the Winter General Meeting

WSLS REPORT (Jim Schloff)

- Institute facts were given: 1021 paid attendees, 640 app downloads and next Institute will focus on Datum 2022

NSPS REPORT (Lisa Van Horn)*

- No report at this time – next meeting in March

AUDITING (Terry Van Hout)

- 2019 Audit is complete and in next newsletter

CST (Howard Herrild)

- 17 people have signed up for upcoming CST exam on March 27 at NWTC
- Tom L gave Howard H a check from the Chapter for partial sponsorship of the CST exam for participating students
- Exam cost is \$120
- A motion was **made, seconded and approved** to revise the CST donation limits to allow up to 18 students @ \$30/each for a max of \$540

ETHICS AND PRACTICE (Tom Leslie)

- A-E 2, 6 & 8 Ad Hoc committees are beginning to meet and discuss revisions – more volunteers are always welcome!

LAND RECORDS (Kory Rentmeester)*

- No report at this time

LEGISLATIVE (Jim Schloff)

- Tony Gromacki is the new WSLs Legislative Committee Chair
- Committee is non-committal to the proposed presumed riparian rights issue (SB 501)
- AB 598 (condos) will be signed into law soon

- Private roads and maintenance agreements are still being discussed – possibly following what Minnesota did a few years back
- No news on WISCORS user fees
- DSPS licensure fees have been reduced to \$68

MEMBERSHIP (Brian Frisque)

- Database will be updated soon
- Committee has taken on contacting ALL licensed surveyors in our Chapter to offer a membership to the Chapter. An overall list of licensed surveyors will be obtained by WSLs and sent out to the Chapters for use as needed
- New Registrants in our area will be contacted and offered a free year's membership

NOMINATING (Ryan Duckart)

- No report at this time

PROGRAM (Andy Cleveland)*

- No report at this time

PUBLIC RELATIONS (John Sleik)*

- No report at this time

SCHOLARSHIP (James Cappeart)*

- Seiler Scholarship will be presented by Seiler at the Spring General Meeting. Any Seiler Scholarships not given out will possibly be given to those Chapters who had "extra" applicants
- Sara Braun (scholarship winner) was not able to attend the Winter General Meeting in January, so we will try to get her to the Spring meeting in April

SEMINAR (Terry Van Hout)

- Seminar is good to go

STUDENT REPRESENTATIVE (Jake Kocken)*

- 28 NWTC students attended the Institute this year
- Chapter donation for the NSPS Team Competition was given to Howard
- Students are back in classes

TRIG*STAR COMMITTEE (Ryan Duckart)

- Everything is progressing nicely with school visits coming soon

YOUNG SURVEYOR COMMITTEE (Dave Spielbauer)*

- No report at this time

OLD BUSINESS

- No update on the signing of the Condo revision

NEW BUSINESS

- *A motion was made, seconded and approved* to approve the 2020 Chapter budget, which will be in the next newsletter (updated CST costs)
- Marinette County will be hosting the “Find a Corner” event co-sponsored by WCSA and NE Chapter – more details will be sent to membership
- Berntsen’s “Design a Monument” contest is now open. Email will be forwarded to membership
- Current member has been nominated and accepted as a Lifetime Member, with presentation of plaque at the Spring General meeting
- Donated student meals are coming in nicely and should get us through the year, depending on student attendance of course
- “Day in the Life” info is on the Chapter website – please volunteer if possible
- Howard H will fill in for Jim S at next WSLs Board meeting (3-14-20)
- Chapter scholarship will be named in honor of Ken Wolf for 2021
- 2020 Meeting venues were discussed and will be posted on the Chapter website

Being no further business, a *motion was made, seconded and approved* to adjourn at 8:22 pm

Respectfully submitted,

Thomas Leslie, Secretary
Spring 2020 Board meeting

The Northeast Chapter of the Wisconsin Society of Land Surveyors

2020 Sponsor A Student Meal Program

Sponsorships are for a free meal at any of the 4 Quarterly Northeast Chapter General Meetings. Any student or person interested in the profession is eligible. If you have someone that would like to participate, please bring him or her along to the next meeting.

Thank you to all who participated in the past 13 years, it has been a HUGE success!

We are again asking for your support in sponsoring student meals in 2020 and beyond. Your donation will encourage students (and potential employees) to take an interest in the surveying industry and perhaps Chapter involvement.

-- Please fill out form below as you would like to be acknowledged for your free meal donation --

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2020
WSLS Bucky's Challenge
~ BEST DRESSED ~
"Bucky Night Live"
Northeast Chapter Team



Left to Right:

**"Franz" Nelson, "Hanz" DeZeeuw, "Garth" Leslie
"Samurai" Sehloff, "Wayne" Duckart, "Craig" Herrild
"Ditka" Cleveland and "Matt" Raisleger**

Northeast Chapter of WSLS,

I had no idea that you were considering me for this award, so it comes as a complete surprise! I am very grateful and can only express my sincere thanks.

We have an awesome group of people in this chapter that I work with that help make this newsletter great.

Thank you again!

Jill Bostedt



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