

**IUP CHAPTER
SOCIETY OF PROFESSIONAL JOURNALISTS
REGULAR MEETING MINUTES**

April 27, 2015, 6 p.m., Stabely 101

Attendance:

Adam Harring, Dr. Loomis, Kayla Ihrig, Juliette Rapp, Kandace Mecham, Sean Yoder, Maurice Daniels.

Convened: 6:05 p.m.

Agenda:

1. J-Jobs Boot Camp with Michael Henninger and Megan Guza
 - a. Wednesday, April 29 at 5 p.m. in Davis 418
 - b. Word of mouth, invite and tell fellow journalism majors about it
 - c. Faculty have been made aware
 - d. Really like to make it a successful and well-attended event! (end with a bang)
 - e. Post-event dinner venue be determined and will be emailed

2. Elections
 - a. Kandace Mecham nominated for President
 - i. Elected by unanimous voice vote
 - ii. Need for new leadership members
 - iii. New member recruitment bash
 1. Entice with scholarship funds (used for conferences in the hundreds of dollars) (apply through J Dept.)
 2. Jake Williams memorial library of re-used textbooks (started by Sean Yoder, a Loomis hero)
 - a. Bill Harder
 - b. Jake Williams
 3. To be held at Kandace Mecham's house (269 Nixon Avenue) with food and socializing
 - a. May 1, 5 p.m. start time until roughly 7 p.m.
 - b. Hot dogs, corn and condiments
 - c. Media release of Wednesday
 - d. SPJ TBA

3. New ideas:
 - a. SPJ cords for commencement regalia
 - b. SPJ tattoos
 - c. SPJ Graduation button pins (TBD)

4. End of the Year
 - a. President Harring:
 - i. Thanks for a great semester as President!

- ii. Hope you got something out of this semester, and I appreciate those who attended with some regularity and contributed.

Adjourned: 6:45 p.m.-ish