

**American Meteorological Society**  
**Iowa State University Student Chapter**  
**Tuesday, January 31<sup>st</sup> at 7:00 p.m., Agronomy 3140**  
<http://www.meteor.iastate.edu/ams/>

**Meeting Start: 7:04**

**Meeting End: 8:03**

**In-Person Attendance: 52**

**Virtual Attendance: 0**

**President – Mark De Bruin**

- Presentation of Senior Thesis Awards by Dr. Patricola
- National AMS Conference Updates
  - Total of 20 ISU students, with four students presenting research
  - Thanks to everyone who came, hope you had fun!
- Cabinet nominations are coming up!
  - These are going to be two months now, at the March AMS meeting, but that will be here before you know it!
  - If you're interested in being on cabinet next year, you should start thinking about which positions you'd like to hold and then go talk to the people currently in those positions
  - Event partner: If you think you'd like to run for president next year, come have a chat with me about the many things the presidency entails!
- Sam Luthi is here to talk about an upcoming GMC CPR training event
  - Contact [stluthi@iastate.edu](mailto:stluthi@iastate.edu) if your name isn't already on the list or if you have questions

**Vice President – Marissa Osterloh**

- FundISU
  - ☞ Our campaign launched on **Monday, January 9<sup>th</sup>** and closes on **Thursday, February 9<sup>th</sup>**
  - ☞ We have already passed our goal of \$1,200 but we are aiming to double it!
  - ☞ AMS Member Responsibilities
    - Share on social media!!!
    - Message 4 people to inform them about the campaign
      - Hello! I am part of a club on campus called AMS. **Insert personal story about AMS.** Each year we launch a FundISU Campaign to help raise money for students attending the National AMS conference. Next year the conference will be in Baltimore, MD. If you would like to give and

help support me and my fellow meteorologists in attending the conference, please go to our website at:

<https://fundisu.foundation.iastate.edu/project/35553>

- To make the most of this campaign, we need your help to spread the word
- T-shirt Contest
  - ☞ Design a unique t-shirt for the chapter
    - Be creative - these shirts are supposed to be fun!
  - ☞ We will use [Custom Ink](#) to design and order the shirts
  - ☞ We will vote for best t-shirt design at the next meeting
  - ☞ IMPORTANT TRADEMARK RULES
    - <https://www.trademark.iastate.edu/sites/default/files/info-for/orgs/Affiliated.pdf>
    - Email me with any questions about trademarking, it can be confusing
  - ☞ Submissions due to osterloh@iastate.edu by **Friday, February 24th**
  - ☞ Winning submission gets a free shirt!
- Event Partner: Interested in running for VP?
  - ☞ I'm happy to show you the ropes! Email me with any questions!

#### **Treasurer – Delenn Palmer**

- Current Balance: \$20,572.23
- Event Partner: contact me if you are interested in being Treasurer next year (or in the future)!
  - Must have done concessions...luckily there are opportunities this semester as well!!!
  - We can go shopping!

#### **Secretary – Douglas Falter**

- ☞ Keep reading the minutes to stay up to date with everything AMS is doing this semester!
- ☞ Be sure to also complete the activity at the end of the minutes for the chance to get a prize!



**Social Chair – AJ Rickman**

- Intramural Sports This Semester
  - ☞ Open Now:
    - Bowling Team
  - ☞ Later this Semester:
    - 9-Ball Pool (Singles)
    - Free Throw Shoot
    - Euchre Doubles
    - NCAA Basketball Pick'em
    - Coed Volleyball
    - Ultimate Frisbee
    - Bouldering Competition
    - Coed Broomball (\$45/team)
    - Top Rope Competition

- Badminton Doubles (2 vs 2)
  - Tennis Doubles (2 vs 2)
  - 8-Player Outdoor Soccer
  - 2-Person Best Shot Golf
- ☞ Sign up [here](#)
- Ice Skating in Des Moines
  - ☞ Brought to you by the Peer Mentors!
  - ☞ **Monday, February 6<sup>th</sup>**
    - Meet in North Agronomy at 5:45 PM
    - Meet at Zombie Burger and then go Ice Skating in Des Moines
    - \$10 Admission
- Assassins
  - ☞ Starts **Monday, February 6<sup>th</sup>**
  - ☞ Basic rules
    - Each person has a target person
    - If you tap target person with spoon when they are not holding a spoon they are out
    - This goes on until there is only one person left
  - ☞ Full list of rules and sign up sheet will be sent out via email tomorrow
- Winter Weather fun!
  - ☞ **Saturday, February 4<sup>th</sup> @1PM**
  - ☞ At [Gateway Park](#)
  - ☞ Potential activities
    - Sledding
    - Snowman Making contest
    - Snowball Fight
- Superbowl Watch Party
  - ☞ **Sunday, February 12<sup>th</sup> @5PM**
  - ☞ Agronomy 3140
  - ☞ Potluck
    - Signup sheet for food [HERE](#)
    - Pizza
- Davenport NWS visit?
  - ☞ Sign up [HERE](#) if you'd be interested in going

- ☞ Trip will likely be sometime in March or April
- AMS chapters speed networking event?
- Event partner: reach out to me and we can plan a social event together

### Outreach Chair – Maggie Zoerner

- Reaching back out to schools that didn't respond last semester, coordinating with schools that wanted to wait until this semester
- First two visits happened last Tuesday at Story City Preschool and today (virtual) for Iowa City 5<sup>th</sup> graders
- Go Further spring registration complete (**Tuesday, March 28<sup>th</sup> and Wednesday, April 5<sup>th</sup>**)
- Goal for this semester: do more visits than we did last semester 🙌
- Event partner: Reach out to me and we can plan a school visit together (elections will be here soon!)

### Academic Chair – Ada Ellingworth

- Class Review Session Lists: [Link here!](#)
- Thesis Information Session and Q&A
  - ☞ Agronomy 3128
  - ☞ When: **Tuesday, February 7<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 PM**
  - ☞ Seniors: come share your experiences!
- Scholarships
  - ☞ Central Iowa NWA Scholarships
    - [Tim Samaras Scholarship](#)
    - [Pam Daale Scholarship](#)
    - Both due March 3rd
    - Available to current sophomores/juniors
  - ☞ Other opportunities included on the ISU AMS website!
- Internships/REUs/Jobs
  - ☞ Many application deadlines come in the month of February, particularly for REUs
  - ☞ Helpful Links
    - [ISU AMS Internship/REU Page](#)
    - [REU Sites | NSF](#)
    - [REU Masterlist](#)

- [Meteorology Internships on Indeed](#)
  - [Glass Door \(requires sign-up\)](#)
  - [TV Jobs \(broadcast\)](#)
- ☞ Feel free to ask me if you have any questions regarding internships/REUs
- Event partner: Reach out to me if you're interested in being academic chair next year!

### Forecasting – Charles Pekar

- ☞ WxChallenge
  - Started back up last Monday forecasting for Denver, CO
  - Please remember to forecast and get back into the rhythm
  - Iowa State is currently ranked #19
- ☞ Kyle Hugeback is here to talk about [Tornado Target Contest!](#)
  - If you register with your ISU email, only include your netid
- ☞ Event Partner: Reach out to me at [cpekar@iastate.edu](mailto:cpekar@iastate.edu) if you are interested, and I can pass along more information and set up times to discuss the position.

### Female Engagement Officer – Grace Hansen

- **Galentines Day!!**
  - Please vote [HERE](#) for the kind of event you want to have for Galentines Day (PLEASE DO BY THE END OF THIS WEEK)
    - **Oak Lane Candle Co. Candle Making (\$35 per person)**
      - Would need a reservation and so this would be **Saturday, February 11<sup>th</sup> at 12pm** (based on availability online)
    - **Memorial Union Workspace(\$8-14)**
      - **Monday, February 6<sup>th</sup> – Monday, February 13<sup>th</sup>** we would plan for something around 5pm on a day that works for most people.
    - Galentines Movie Night
      - **Monday, February 13<sup>th</sup> at 7pm**
- **Talk with Liz Leitmann from the STORM PREDICTION CENTER**
  - **Thursday, February 23<sup>rd</sup> at 6pm**
  - Please come!! Will be talking about her experiences as a woman working at the SPC
  - Good to ask questions about grad school, working in operations/government, research, etc. Even if you aren't sure what you are doing in the future this would be an AMAZING connection to have. So please come!!

- **Women's Study Hours**
  - Please fill out poll [HERE](#) with availability for study hours
- Event Partner☺

### **Webmaster – Zach McDaniel**

- Goals for Next Chapter:
  - Finish updating individual pages
  - Add some new pages to the website (Avery Anderson Scholarship Page, POTM on Homepage)
  - Update Meeting Minutes since last February (should have all of them in my email)
- Links:
  - The AMS website: <http://www.meteor.iastate.edu/ams/> - just make sure new photos look good
  - AMS Calendar: [CLICK HERE](#)
  - ISU AMS Facebook Group: <https://www.facebook.com/groups/ISUAMS/>
  - Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/ISUAMS>
  - Twitter: <https://twitter.com/ISUAMS>
  - Instagram: <https://www.instagram.com/isuams/>
  - Website Feedback Page: [CLICK HERE](#)

### **Historian – Sam Johnson**

- Continue to upload club or weather photos/videos to photo circle!
- If you are interested in running for historian, let me know!
- Scrapbook - submit to PhotoCircle, LABEL IT if it's specifically for the scrapbook
- Club Photo of the Month: [here](#)
- Weather Photo of the Month: [here](#)
- Video of the Month: [here](#)

### **NWA Rep – David Hultman**

- **Next meeting - Thursday, February 16th at 7:00pm**
  - ☞ Final Meeting before conference
    - If you need one more meeting for discount PLEASE GO
- **Central Iowa NWA Teams still have spots**
  - ☞ Registration Team (Grace Hansen)
  - ☞ Sessions Team (Kyle Hugeback)
- **NWA Conference**

- **Thursday, March 23rd – Saturday, March 25th, 2023**
- Courtyard by Marriott, Ankeny, IA
- Regular Registration: \$195  
Student Registration: \$90
- [List of Speakers](#)

### **Past President – Nathan Erickson**

- € Consider running for a cabinet position! I started off as the lowly webmaster and eventually made my way up to president! If you want to run for something, go for it!
- € Keep on looking for internships. I know it's still tough, but the earlier you start the better!
- € Event partner: Just reach out to me if interested in being past president!

### **Cy's Eyes Update – Trevor Roubadeaux and Lucas Prokosch**

- New this semester: We will have a new studio this semester! Sign-up sheet will be sent out.
- Reel building session: **Thursday, February 2<sup>nd</sup>** at 6pm in Hamilton 171.
- TBD: Tape Swap During NWA Conference??
- If interested in becoming Cy's Eyes Chair (Current Sophomores only) sign up for shows, talk to Trevor and Luke.
- Find us online:
  - [Subscribe to our Youtube channel](#)
  - [Like us on Facebook](#)
  - [Follow us on Twitter](#)
  - Follow Iowa State Weather on [Facebook](#) and [Twitter](#)
- Questions/Concerns? Contact Trevor ([trevorr@iastate.edu](mailto:trevorr@iastate.edu)) or Luke ([prokosch@iastate.edu](mailto:prokosch@iastate.edu))

### **Sophomore Chair – Austyn Hartwig**

- € Hope you all have had an AMAZING start to the new semester :)
- € Still going to have the research/internship workshop
  - Super good information about opportunities on and off campus.
  - LINK TO SCHEDULING
    - <https://forms.gle/pgZ4TmNKaHYcu19LA>
- € If you have fun ideas for events let me know! I love to hear your perspective!
- € New Student Spotlight
  - NEW STUDENTS: Please fill out this form if you have not done so yet  
<https://forms.gle/1he4r137eLtRuNtE6>



€ This meeting, the New Student Spotlights are.....

€ **Hope Heyerholm**

- ☞ From: Hartland, Wisconsin
- ☞ Favorite Type of Food: Mexican
- ☞ Favorite Movie: Monsters Inc.
- ☞ Favorite Sport / Sport Team: Milwaukee Brewers
- ☞ Could Be Anyone in the World: Member of the Royal Family
- ☞ Favorite Weather Phenomena: Tornadoes/Thunderstorms
- ☞ Fun Fact: Took French for four years and still does not know how to speak it.

€ **Kyla Oelkers**

- ☞ From: Byron, Minnesota
- ☞ Favorite Type of Food: Greek
- ☞ Favorite Movie: Ace Ventura: The Secret Life of Walter Mitty
- ☞ Favorite Sport / Sport Team: Trapshooting
- ☞ Could Be Anyone in the World: A park ranger for Yellowstone
- ☞ Favorite Weather Phenomena: Wall Cloud Formations
- ☞ Fun Fact: Once read 50 books in one month!

**Next Meeting:**  
**Tuesday, February 28th at 7 PM**

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## End of Minutes Activity

### Eagles or Chiefs??

Email the Secretary (Douglas Falter) at [dfalter@iastate.edu](mailto:dfalter@iastate.edu) with your Super Bowl Champions prediction! If your team wins, you get a prize!