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APHA-ASP SEPTEMBER NEWSLETTER

Welcome Back!

The school year is underway! Our ASP chapter is busy planning for the year and gearing up for some key events!

Membership

Hopefully everyone remembered to renew your membership for this year! If not, please contact Megan Sauer for more information or with any questions.

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Fundraising

Our fundraising committee is planning to sell t-shirts and hoodies this fall. It will likely be the same design that has been used in previous years with Billy Bluejay and the Creighton Pharmacy logo. This is a great way to get some Creighton clothes and help our organization raise funds that we use to put on events, buy pizza and drinks, and raffle off TVs at monthly meetings. Please watch for more information to come. If anyone is already interested in ordering or has any questions about the design, please contact Brittany BaDour or Mel Marin. [BrittanyBaDour@creighton.edu, MelchorMarin@creighton.edu]

Katy's Kids

Katy's Kids is busy setting dates for presentations for this fall. A presentation was given on September 15th with one P3 student and two pre-pharmacy students for a kindergarten class, and it went really well! Please volunteer if you can for upcoming presentations! We want 3 participants per presentation, with at least one pharmacy student. These presentations count for IPPE and EPE credit!

New this year for this committee is coordination with the undergraduate pre-pharmacy club. If you go on a presentation, you may have the opportunity to be a mentor to a prospective pharmacy student for a few hours.

Operation Diabetes

Next Saturday, September 24th is the American Diabetes Association annual walk—Step Out: Walk to STOP Diabetes. This event is a 1-3 mile walk which raises money for diabetes education and research. Register to participate on www.diabetes.org/stepoutnebraska under the team name, Creighton Dundee Clinic.

It will be held at Stinson Park in Aksarben Village. Registration/check-in begins at 8:00am and the walk begins at 9:00am.

If you can't participate that day, you can still be a VIRTUAL WALKER and collect donations. There is no reason not to participate! Every little bit helps. According to ADA, diabetes affects 25.8 million children and adults in the United States. It has many complications and greatly affects health care costs. This is why appropriate education, disease management, and research is so critical for Type I, Type II, prediabetes, and gestational diabetes! It's a great cause for us to support as an organization and future pharmacists! Contact Aimee Dassner with any questions. [AimeeDassner@creighton.edu]

Go get involved!!!!

National Patient Counseling Competition

Please see the next page for more information....

National Patient Counseling Competition

When: Friday, September 30, 2011

Where: Brandeis Lab

Time: 3:45pm

Who: EVERYONE! PIs-P4s are eligible!

Miscellaneous: Participants **MUST** be a APhA-ASP member (be sure you've renewed your membership and paid your dues!) and must be able to attend APhA 2012 National Meeting in New Orleans, Louisiana, on March 9-12, 2012, to participate in the National Competition.

Mark your calendar with this information! An email should be coming with more details soon. If you'd like more information or details about the competition, please contact Leslie Southard. [LeslieSouthard@creighton.edu]

This is just another great way to get involved in our chapter and practice our professional communication and counseling skills!

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Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
18	19	20	21	22	23	24 ADA Walk Stinson Park Aksarben Village 9am
25	26	27	28 GENERAL MEETING HLS G04 at noon	29	30 Patient Counseling Competition Brandeis Lab 3:45pm	

**Our next general meeting:
Wednesday, September 28th
HLS G04 12pm-1pm
See you there!**

**OCTOBER IS
NATIONAL
PHARMACIST MONTH!**