

Society of Physics Students
Penn State Chapter

Minutes 11-19-08

Commence

Projects

Hovercraft- Brandon, meet during the week after break to work on it

Steam Engine- Chris Carson- meeting first or 2nd Wednesday after SPS meeting

Outreach

SOMA after SPS today

Poly science club

Mike Austin suggested a joint panel for things like education, energy, research control by government, climate change, funding.

Sigma Pi Sigma

Recommendations

They should be available in two to three weeks.

We will be voting on them at the 12-3-08 meeting.

Speaker

Mike Vertuli's speech

Grad School

Research grad school early

Grades not good enough, school needs to have openings

Talk to individual professors, see what they are researching and if they have room.

Grad school is a big decision, requires extreme dedication

Modern Quantum Mechanics

Electron spin

Stern-Gerlach Experiment

Announcements

Please read and sign the racism petition on the board

Vote

More speakers before winter break?

9 in favor

Adjourn