

American Scientific Glassblowers Society

Directors Report

Section: Northeast

Section Officers

Director: Patrick J DeFlorio

Alt. Director: Sally Prasch

Chair: Daryl Smith

Vice Chair:

Secretary: Michael Souza

Treasurer: Wayne Martin

Section Profile

Number of section meetings planned for the year: 2

Number of meetings since last Board of Directors meeting: 1

Number of section members: 60

Average attendance at section meetings: 30

Financial resources: () Adequate () Inadequate

How would you describe your typical section meeting (check all that apply)

() Educational () Social () Speaker () Tour () Workshop

() Other

Section Challenges

() Difficulty in finding a meeting location

() Difficulty in organizing a meeting

() Difficulty in finding workshop presenters

() Poor attendance at section meetings

() difficulty in finding section officers

() Other (explain)

Additional Comments

We had our spring meeting 4-25-2009 at Syracuse University , the host was Sally Prasch. Attendance was 38 people mostly students and artistic glassblowers. Sally had demonstrations of both scientific and artistic work. Turn out was lower than hoped from ASGS members because of the conflict with the previously scheduled Southeast meeting. I personally missed the meeting but this was the best day for the facilities and students. Submitted by: Patrick DeFlorio

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