

American Scientific Glassblowers Society

Directors Report

Section: Northeast

Section Officers

Director: Patrick J DeFlorio

Alt. Director: Bill Wilt

Chair: Sally Prasch

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 (use additional sheet if necessary):

_I plan on meeting with a member of the American Ceramic Society to explore join meetings and promotions. Sally Prasch has done a great job of finding locations for meetings. Wayne Martin and Mike Souza have worked to get the mailing out early. Mike Palme put the meeting notice on the web which was quite helpful. I did contact lapsed members, several said they would renew. Attendance should be better, there is a lot of work to hold a meeting and members are not respectful of that fact.

Submitted by: Patrick DeFlorio

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