



January 25, 2017: ALD Meeting Minutes

- **Welcome Back ALD!**

As always, continue to check <http://aldclemson.weebly.com>, as well as the **Clemson ALD Facebook page**, and **TigerQuest** for all of the latest ALD news!

Thank you to all of the members who attended the meeting today and made Valentine's Day Cards for the children at Greenville Hospital System and for the residents at Clemson Downs.

- **Spring Tiger Prowl n' Play!**

Thursday, January 26, 2017: 12-3pm Carillon Gardens:

- Stop by the ALD table to play a game of guess how much candy is in the jar. 3 Starbucks gift cards will be awarded to the top 3 closest guesses!

If you have not picked up your ALD t-shirt, Sabrina, our PR director, has them. Contact her at sagbabi@g.clemson.edu.

- **Philanthropy Updates:**

- Night to Shine: February 10. Register at <http://www.alivewesleyan.com/ministries/night-to-shine/> to sign up and get training information.
- Future Clemson Elementary opportunity for their spring festival. Details TBA.
- Habitat for Humanity: Potential volunteer date on April 15th. Keep your calendars open!
- LOT Project for the homeless in Anderson: Please bring any clothing, shoes, books, toiletries, etc. for donations. Contact nivey@g.clemson.edu if you have donations/questions!
- Interested in volunteering at Clemson Downs? We would love to send an ALD group there to volunteer with the residents! Let us know!
- Clemson Miracle Dance Marathon is April 1st! Get ready for a full day of fun for a great cause! We would love to have a big ALD group!

- **Treasury Update:**

- Thank you for eating at BGR on Monday for the proceeds night. We are awaiting the total profits from that night.
- Potential Chipotle proceeds night in the future! Keep an eye out for email/social media updates!

- **Vice President Updates:**

- This morning ALD sent out invites to potential new 2017 members!

- Interest meeting for freshman invites is February 7, 2017.
- Initiation for new members will be March 9 2017.
- Spread the word! First 5 freshmen to respond to their invitation get a free ALD t-shirt!
- President Updates:

Scholarships Timeline:

- Graduate Fellowship
 - Application due to National ALD by **Jan 31st, 2017**
 - Recipient announced on **April 30th, 2017**
 - Must have a 3.5 GPA
 - Plan to enroll in an accredited institution within the US
 - Due Date: **Jan 31st, 2017**
- Application form (with details about ALD membership)
- Report Test Scores
- 500 word essay on value of ALD/membership
- 500 word essay on future professional objectives
- Letters of recommendation → 2-3; 1 must be a faculty member
- Recipients are announced April 30th, 2017
- Application Description found [here](#)
Application Form found [here](#)
- Trow Scholarship
 - Application due to selection committee by **March 4th at 11:59pm**
 - The Clemson finalist will be submitted to Nationals. **3rd**
 - Only current sophomores with a GPA of 3.5 (or above) can apply
 - **Deadline: Saturday, March 4th at 11:59pm**
 - Application Form
 - Official transcript
 - 2 letters of recommendation from the University → 1 must be a faculty member and the other can be staff
 - 250 word essay describing career goals
 - 250 word essay describing the value of ALD to undergraduate education
 - Please submit applications to my email (nstring@g.clemson.edu)
 - Selection committee will submit a finalist to National ALD by **April 3rd**
 - Application Description found [here](#)
Application Form found [here](#)

Stemler Study Abroad Scholarship Finalist:

Clemson Maggie Testani

Congrats Maggie! Her scholarship application will be sent to nationals for a change to win a scholarship to fund her trip to Capri, Italy!

ALD Exec Applications/Elections will happen later this semester!

If you have any questions about positions/election process, please contact us!

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