CANCAS News Notes – August 2005

Welcome Back! If you are like me, you are just beginning to get geared up for the 2005-2006 academic year and are thinking about what this year will hold. Well, I hope you are ready for an exciting year that includes the activities that CANCAS has planned for you.

Well, here is the scoop on some of the exciting CANCAS events coming up!

CURRENT EVENTS

*Don’t miss out! Stay Informed.

If you are a faculty advisor, please remember to forward the News Notes to your students. If they want the News Notes to reach them directly, please have them send me a request by email, indicating their name and which group (e.g. club or department) they are associated with, and I will be glad to add them to the email list.

If you would like to review some of last year’s activities, take a look at the website and some of the archived News Notes from last year.

*CANCAS website

Our website, the CANCAS Corner, has been in a temporary location: <http://members.aol.com/cancas1>, but will move to a new location soon. The new location will be <http://www.ncacadsci.org/cancas>. We hope to have the main page moved before the end of August. Until then, please pardon any problems with the site that will be corrected during the move. The page will continue to look the same for a while, but over this next year the Academy’s webmaster, Wendy Gem, will be working to redesign all of the web pages. I can’t wait to see the new design!

If you have any suggestions for how you would like the site to look and what you would like it to contain, let us know. I hope we can make the website a valuable resource for the entire membership!

MEMBERSHIP

Membership forms are already available online. Send your forms in as soon as possible, because if I am to keep the membership informed, I will need up-to-date contact information. Membership is due on November 15, 2005

I’ll try to send you an update on membership in the News Notes each month. Of course, no one has sent in their membership for this year. Help make the list long.

Members for 2005-2006 Academic Year (as of Aug 05)

Coming soon!

FUTURE EVENTS

*CANCAS Handbook
The first electronic copy of the Handbook will be available online this fall. The Executive Committee worked hard on revising the Handbook during the last academic year and over the summer. The final touches will be complete shortly.

* CANCAS Fall Undergraduate Workshop at Elon University on November 5, 2005  
  More information available in September

* NCAS/CANCAS Annual Meeting at Bennett College from March 24-26, 2006  
  Information available in the spring

PAST EVENTS
Since we are starting a new academic year, we have no past events for the year.

FINAL NOTES
* Suggestions & Comments can be directed to Dr. Karen Guzman at: <guzman@campbell.edu>.  
  Let me know if you have any news that you would like included in the monthly News Notes or  
  suggestions to improve the series. Thanks!

* If you notice errors in any of the news, please let me know so that I can send out a correction or  
  fix it for the next month.