

Oklahoma Academy of Science
Minutes of the General Business Meeting
10 Nov 2023
University of Science and Arts of Oklahoma, Chickasha, OK

1. Call to Order: 11:30am
2. Introductions
3. Special Thanks to USAO Planning Committee
4. Minutes of the Nov 4, 2022 Business Meeting: Approved
5. Financial report: As of Nov 1, 2023.
 - a. Member dues are up (positive sign).
 - b. Encourage lifetime memberships.
 - c. Some positive revenue from field meeting.
 - d. Oklahoma junior academy of science revenue is slightly down. Might not be able to send any student next year.
6. Future Meeting of OAS
 - a. 2024 Fall Field Meeting: 1st week of October, around same time, western part of the state.
 - b. 2024 Technical Meeting: tentatively Nov 1 at OUHSC at Oklahoma City.
7. Academy reports, proposals, questions and discussion
 - a. POAS: Mostafa Elshahed: 12 manuscripts in progress. Asked if anyone was interested in reviewing.
 - b. OAS Collegiate Academy Director (Mark Peaden) – poster judging.
 - c. OJAS (David Bass): Meeting is in December in Denver. Cannot send anyone because financing is not available. David Bass has retired from OJAS. Need someone to take over this role.
8. New business from section meetings
9. Announcements
 - a. Increase the charge of page from \$35/pg to \$45/pg (members), \$90/pg for non-members.
 - b. Encourage more colleagues.
10. Adjournment: 11:51am.