



## ISU Food Science Club News

We got to meet the new IA section IFT member representatives at the February meeting in the Amana Colonies. They are Charlwit Kulchaiyawat as the Graduate student representative and Jenifer Tharani as the Undergraduate representative. We again welcome these new student member reps!!! Following are their highlights for their last FSC Meeting:

At the meeting a big topic that was discussed was about the Fudge Sales. Sign-up sheets were passed out and members got order forms to get preorder sales. Sign up sheets were also passed out for Meeker Science Night doing a hand washing activity. College bowl is ready to compete next week and has recruited enough undergraduates to compete. The club is also deciding on the playhouse outing event and passed out an order form for polos and t-shirts (10 ten reasons to be food science) for order. The club also was interested and wanted to do a 30-45 minute presentation at the next IFT meeting about the club's activities, club trip, college bowl, PD, and more. We also announced that applications for the IA section scholarships are due March 31st and for people to sign up to go to the April 17<sup>th</sup> meeting.

VEISHEA Fudge Order: Orders must be submitted by April 9 to [ckul@iastate.edu](mailto:ckul@iastate.edu)

1 lb. (32 pieces) = \$9.00

½ lb.(16 pieces) = \$5.00

**The Cyclone:** chocolate fudge with peanuts & marshmallow & topped with candy-coated chocolate pieces

**Peanut Butter Parade:** Creamy & delicious-a perfect complement to VEISHEA

**Four Seasons Fudge Fountain:** the traditional fudge favorite

**Chocolate Mint:** a great blend of both flavors

## Bookmark – IOWA SECTION WEB PAGE

The Iowa Section IFT web page is [www.ift.org/sections/iowa/](http://www.ift.org/sections/iowa/).

### **Note the new section for Job Opportunities.**

Take a look and check out the information located there. If there is something you want to post that is related to our section or you see something that needs to be updated please contact Toni Burnett at [tlburnett@burkecorp.com](mailto:tlburnett@burkecorp.com) (yes, this is an updated email address for me too!)

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## SUPPLIERS NIGHT

### April 17, 2008

Casey Lopez, Mike Kramer, and Ross Jabaay have been conspiring to set up a great night for suppliers in the central Iowa region. Please come and support our Iowa Section and check out all these great vendors. New products, equipment, information and ideas as well as networking possibilities will abound! *And please donate several student dinner reservations to help support the ISU students in our section this night!*

Read all the info below!!!

## Information for the Fourth Meeting (2007 – 2008) of Iowa Section IFT

**Date:** Thursday April 17, 2008

**Suppliers' Night** – begins at 4 :00 PM

Fill out your Bingo Card while visiting with Suppliers to be eligible for over 18 door prizes (valued at \$10 (minimum)). You must be present at the program to win!

**Location:** Adventureland Inn  
305 34<sup>th</sup> Ave NW  
Altoona, IA

**Program:** IA Section Member and Student Recognition Night  
Iowa State University Food Science Club Update  
Scholarship and Awards Presentations

### **Agenda for February 21:**

4:00 PM Suppliers' Night Begins  
6:00 – 7:00 PM Social hour (Cash Bar)  
7:00 – 8:00 PM Dinner  
8:00 – Business Meeting and Program

### **Dinner**

Maple Glazed Pork Loin  
Tilapia with Almond Brown Butter  
Dinner Salad, Pasta Salad, Broccoli Salad  
Baked Potato  
Home-Made Dinner Rolls  
Coffee, Tea, Water, and Milk

### **Reservations and Costs:**

E-mail reservations to Program-Chair Terri Boylston (tboylsto@iastate.edu) by **Thursday April 10**. Please complete the enclosed reservation form. If you do not have e-mail, call or leave a message at 515-294-0077.

Members or guests: \$30.00 (before deadline)  
\$35.00 (after deadline)

Students: Student Iowa Section IFT members will be sponsored

***Members – Please consider sponsoring a student at the meeting (\$30.00/student)! Sponsors and students will have the opportunity to interact during dinner. This is a great way to get know our students and possibly meet your future employee!***

Suppliers and Student Recognition Night  
Adventureland Inn  
Altoona, Iowa

To Make reservations:

Mail, Fax or email (Please put "IA-IFT" in the subject line of the email.) this reservation form and payment (Due Thursday April 10) to:

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Reservations: **By Thursday April 10, 2008**

Members/Guests—\$30.00

Students—Sponsored by Members

Checks should be made out to Iowa Section IFT.

Name	Member, Guest (\$30.00)	Student (no charge)	Student Sponsorship (\$30.00)	Amount Paid

**REGISTRATION Deadline is Thursday, April 10, 2008**

*Thank you, Chair-elect Terri Boylston*

\*\*\*Midwest IFT Event Update\*\*\*  
Clean Label: Ingredient Source the  
World

More news to follow for this event and Culinary Challenge for 2008. Contact Lester Wilson at IA State for questions and information. (lawilson@iastate.edu)

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\*Community Service Activity\*  
Anyone interested in volunteering to  
support the Iowa-IFT Section???  
Please respond to Ross if interested.

The 2008 Farm Progress Show will be held in Boone in August this year.  
<http://www.farmprogressshow.com/ME2/Audiences/Default.asp?AudID=969FF84511AA4E67A31594D869EEA3AB>

There are a number of opportunities for groups to participate by providing volunteers for foodservice, parking, etc. This would make a nice "Community Service Activity" to apply toward our **Certificate of Merit Status** for this year. I did this with my church a few years ago and I really thought it was fun. I am planning to attend the volunteer meeting on March 13 as a representative of another organization that I belong to, so I will be able to provide more information at that time. I would appreciate your input as to whether you think this would be something that our members would be interested in participating in. For people who work with food, this show gets you to some very interesting things on the production side of our business. Please advise with you perception of the level of interest.

Thanks

Ross

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# ^^^^^^News from National IFT^^^^^^

\*\*Please contact Elizabeth Plummer at [ejplummer@ift.org](mailto:ejplummer@ift.org) if your IFT Section is interested in establishing a scholarship for the 2008-2009 academic year.

\*\*Please contact Anna Proctor at [akproctor@ift.org](mailto:akproctor@ift.org) for volunteer opportunities with the IFT Foundation.

\*\*Honor a special person or acknowledge an achievement with a tribute gift to the IFT Foundation at <https://members.ift.org/IFT/Foundation/Secure/OnlineDonation.htm>.

\*\*IFT members may also explore whether their company will match contributions through Matching Gift Programs.

## \*\*\*IFT Member Referral Program

Hello Section Leaders!

By now, you should all have all received information on the Member Referral Program. As primary ambassadors for IFT, it is important to us that you are comfortable with the materials we've developed for you to use in your efforts to educate your colleagues about the benefits of IFT. Please take some time now, if you haven't already, to take a look at the program details on [ift.org](http://www.ift.org/cms/?pid=1001683) at: <http://www.ift.org/cms/?pid=1001683>

### Gail A. Wiseman

Director of Membership Relations  
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To: IFT Section Leaders:

Please share this information with Section members through your newsletter, on your website or at your next Section meeting.

The IFT Board of Directors recently created the Task Force on Strategic Plan Implementation to link the work of the organization to IFT's strategic plan. Specifically, the Task Force will advise the Board of Directors on how to best make the IFT strategic plan the organization's driver and to align IFT's volunteer resources with the IFT strategic plan. The Board of Directors will ultimately decide on adopting the task force's final recommendations.

The task force is currently engaged in obtaining member feedback on the plan and priorities through vehicles such as the Strategic Leadership Forum and a series of member briefing calls. They will meet again in April to develop final recommendations on strategic priorities and how best to organize IFT's volunteer resources to accomplish the strategic plan. Your input will help to shape their recommendations.

If you would like to learn more about this important task force and participate on one of the member briefing calls, please RSVP for one of the calls by e-mailing Rhapsody Mason: [rmason@ift.org](mailto:rmason@ift.org).

April 3, 2008 2:00-3:00 p.m. Central

April 9, 2008 11:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. Central

Questions about the task force? Please e-mail Amanda Perl: [akperl@ift.org](mailto:akperl@ift.org).

Thank you!

Members present: Jabaay, Mendonca, Boylston, Randall, Burnett, Lopez, Kramer,  
Kulchaiyawat, Tharani, LaGrange

1. Minutes of the November 15, 2007 meeting were reviewed. Motion by Lopez and second by Mendonca to approve. Motion carried.
2. LaGrange submitted the Treasurer's Report. Balance as of 2-21-08 = \$3033.57
3. LaGrange and J. Love submitted a completed audit report from 6-1-06 to 5-31-07.
4. Burnett received the paperwork for reinstatement of our IA-IFT Corporation.
5. Boylston reported on tonight's meeting with Dr. Rick Goodman as our IFT distinguished lecturer and Amana family-style dinner. 29 members and students are attending. The next meeting is Supplier's Night and Student recognition ceremony at the Adventureland Inn in DSM on 4-17-08.
6. ISU Food Science Club news by Charlwit:
  - a. We introduced the new student reps, Charlwit and Jenifer.
  - b. College Bowl Team is practicing and Product Development team is waiting to hear about their application for their "Stuffed Full" meatball containing all of the 5 major food groups.
  - c. A March 6-8th FSC trip is being planned for St. Louis.
  - d. They are working on a FSC T-shirt.
  - e. They will ask the FSC webmaster if they would be willing to also take on the job of updating our IA-IFT website.
  - f. They need sponsors for their fudge for VEISHEA.
7. LaGrange handed out a report for Wilson on the "Midwest IFT Event". It is in the planning stages. We still need 2 new members for the Iowa team. Ross will announce at the meeting tonight.
8. Scholarship donations were discussed. Ross will send out letters to specific companies and individuals.
9. Lopez reported on Supplier's Night. Location will be Adventureland in DSM. Meal will be a buffet. Vendor table price is \$150. We need to try and locate suppliers from the 2006 year. Please promote this to all Suppliers and Members!
10. Joan Randall volunteered to send out newsletters and meeting reservations so we don't have to spend as much on a secretary (Angstrom). Motion by Jabaay and second by Lopez to accept her offer. Motion carried.
11. We discussed the new By-Laws changes for Councilors to become Members-At Large. Motion by Burnett and second by Kramer to accept and notify Ross with any corrections within 2 weeks. Motion carried.
12. Ross again discussed brochure development to give to Iowa companies on IFT. Any interested volunteers to work on this should talk to him.
13. No other business was presented, so we adjourned at 6 pm. for social hour and Amana family-style dinner.

Submitted by: Toni Burnett, Iowa Section IFT Secretary

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