

# AMERICAN CHEMICAL SOCIETY KENTUCKY LAKE SECTION

**SUBJECT:** October Kentucky Lake Section Meeting

**DATE:** Thursday, October 23, 2008

**PLACE:** Boling University Center

Wayne Fisher Drive

University of Tennessee at Martin

Martin, Tennessee 38238

Turn on Mt. Pelia Rd. from University St (Hwy 431). The University Center is on the left between the library and student housing.

**SCHEDULE:** 6:00 p.m. Dinner

7:00 p.m. Student Demonstrations

**PROGRAM:** National Chemistry Week Student Demonstrations

This year's theme is "Having a Ball with Chemistry"

Howard Hyuck Outstanding High School Chemistry Award

(University Center Ballroom)

MENU: University Center Cafeteria: broad selection of buffets -

pizzas, burgers, pastas, salads, deserts, drinks

**PRICE:** \$8.00 (Students \$4.00)



### 2008 Officer Election

The election of 2008 KLS-ACS officers will take place at the November meeting and ballots will be sent out with the November meeting announcement. Nominations shall be made known at the October meeting at which time nominations from the floor will be in order.

Currently, nominations are being accepted for Chair Elect. If you are interested in serving, self-nominations are accepted. Nominations may be sent in advance of the October meeting by E-mail to montgomeryjb@pgdp.usec.com or by regular mail to:

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## **Upcoming Events**

The 2008 November KLS-ACS Meeting is tentatively scheduled for November 20 at the Fresh Market in Paris, TN. The speaker will be Daniel Johnson. Officer elections will also take place at the November meeting.

### **Message from the Chair**

As we continue to celebrate our 50<sup>th</sup> anniversary as a section, I know we are all looking forward to the annual student demonstrations during National Chemistry Week. This year is unique in that Mole day is the day of our meeting.

I am also excited to announce that the Kentucky Lake Section has been awarded funding for the Innovative Project Grant proposal submitted on behalf of the KLS-Women Chemists Committee to host a "Women in Chemistry" Career Symposium next spring. With this Innovative Project Grant, a series of meetings will occur to organize, plan and present this event to the community to showcase the careers of the women of our section and to build interest in the chemical sciences amongst female college and high school students, teachers and colleagues.

The KLS-WCC will engage in an organizational meeting preceding the October 23<sup>rd</sup> meeting at the Paul Meeks Library, just across from the Boling Student Center. The Paul Meek library has obtained the Chemical Heritage Foundation exhibit, "Her Lab in Your Life: Women in Chemistry" which will provide a fitting venue for the membership of the Kentucky Lake Section to meet and exchange ideas.

Please stop by to view the exhibit and meet the Women Chemists Committee, Edie Banner, Vicki Moeller and Sandra Ashford.

# 5:00 – 6:00 pm "Her Lab in Your Life" exhibit 2<sup>nd</sup> floor, Paul Meeks Library

The objectives of this meeting are to:

- Obtain input from the KLS membership in order to define the needs, concerns, and interests of the female membership of the Kentucky Lake Section.
- Develop recruiting strategies to gain new female members targeting high school and college students, as well as our colleagues in industry, academics and government.
- Introduce the project/program "Women in Chemistry" Career Symposium and recruit volunteers from the current membership to form a planning committee for the symposium.
- Solicit career profiles of the current female membership to put together a portfolio of the women members of the Kentucky Lake Section.

Please come out and help us celebrate our anniversary, National Chemistry week, Mole Day, and Women in Chemistry.