

SPJ Georgia Board of Directors Meeting

September 1, 2015

Reporter Newspaper Board Room, 7 p.m.

Old Business

Introduction of Neha Negandhi, new board member

From the President

- Plaques for former board members' service
- Nomination Committee – Haisten Willis chairperson; recommend names or encourage individuals to apply for board position; social media and email blast to go out about board member openings. There will be 4 -5 openings depending upon how many individuals who want to run.

Financial Report – Dan Whisenhunt

Administration & New Membership Report – Mary Silver

Committee Reports

Membership Report – Sharon Duntun

Programming Report – Ellen Eldridge & Marsha Walton

- Operation: Freelance Part 2
- Police Shootings Forum
- Social gatherings planned for this fall

Social Media Report – Lindsay Gladu

Collegiate Pro Report – Sharon Duntun

- Kenney Scholarship
- PayPal account
- Deadline for students to join FREE

First Amendment/FOIA/Ethics Report – Sharon Duntun

Diversity Report

- LinkedIn Group Page – Devika Rao
- Diversity Resource List – Curt Yeomans

Larry Peterson Memorial Award for Investigative Journalism Report

Haiti News Project Report

New SPJGeorgia.com website and SpeechJNews.wordpress.com site

SPJ National Convention in Orlando, FL – Tweeting and FB

Looking forward to 2016

- Last board meeting of the 2015 & Christmas Party
- 2016 Calendar – placing events and activities on 2016 calendar & all chapter member event
- Setting goals – Giving 2016 board of directors marketing and membership direction