

September 22, 2009

Inland Empire Chapter President Report

The Inland Empire Chapter transition meeting was held on August 12, 2009. The meeting was attended by both incoming and departing members. Item for discussion included the CAROCP Inland Empire Chapter Distinguished Student Awards. It was recommended to have the Distinguished Student Awards event follow the same procedures from last year. 1) Recognition will begin with teachers selecting one student for each Industry Sector they teach within. 2) Students will create a DVD that showcases their skills and will follow a script to assist them with answering several guided questions related to their ROP experiences. 3) The DVD will be review and scored by business and industry members based on content of the DVD (not the format).

Last year each student received certificates from Jose Gonzales, 5th District Supervisor, San Bernardino; Wilmer Carter, 65th District Assembly Member; Paul Cook, 62nd District Assembly Member and cash awards from business partners.

The September 9th meeting focused on professional development activities for teachers and support staff. Items discussed and considered were the green technology across all curriculum, Internet safety and the use of Wiki for managers. Also, the Chapter will work with the CAROCP Southern Region to provide a CAROCP Spring In-service to members. The planning meeting is scheduled for November.