

RAAFUM Minutes
April 11, 2005

Members Present: Joe Gibilisco, Dick Hedger, Diane Quinn, Mike Quinn, Dick Westerlund, Jay Hesley, Jim Clausen, Jim Gilkinson, Marie Maher

Call to Order: The Meeting was called to order by Dick W., President

Approval of Minutes: Minutes from March 14,2005 approved (Marie M.)

Treasurer's Report: (Mike Q.) Checking account balance, \$1,169.04; RAAFUM UMR scholarship balance amended to \$9207.60

Chapter Award Point Status: (Dick H.) 400+ points behind Florida

Scholarships:

- This Year's: (Clausen, Gilkinson) – Mai Lee (new); Heather Brock (continuing)
- Matching Funds (Maher) – Distributed list of 361 self-identified alumni names for mailing along with information regarding mailing costs, RAAFUM newly developed stationary, and possible wording for letter content

Old Business:

- Annual Meeting (Westerlund) – April 20,2005; Wayne Sigler; School counselors have been invited in afternoon; superintendents for dinner
- Annual Meeting (Maher) – RAAFUM table full; UMR will host 2 additional tables

New Business:

- Graduation Celebration – seating at 5:00 P.M.; Ceremony at 5:30; CF 206-208
- Election of Officers – Diane Quinn, President; Jim Gilkinson, secretary, Mike Quinn will continue on as treasurer; Assignments given to pursue new brainstormed list of Board Members
- Future Program topics (Diane Q.) – Possibilities with UM Extension, Hormel Institute, Mayo/UM genomics

Upcoming Events:

- Annual RAAFUM Meeting – April 20
- UMR Graduation Celebration – May 9
- Annual UMAA Meeting – May 10
- Williams Fund – June 20
- 3rd Annual UMR Birthday Bash – June 27
- County Fair – Aug 1-7
- Homecoming – Sept. 21
- Maroon and Gold Day/Marching Band – November 15

Next Meeting : May 9th

Respectfully Submitted, Marie Maher, Secretary