MGSC Meeting – 09/15/16

Attending: Bly, Weber, Wieczorek

1. **Sept PDL Success** The last PDL had 28 people in attendance (23 grad students). Quite a success.

2. **Donuts** Cashboxes run approximately $15-23 on Amazon. A $19 model seems attractive. Maggie will order from Amazon. Dippin Donuts are ~$2.50/dozen cheaper than Dunkin. Single donuts cost ~$1.49. We will charge $1. Maggie will inquire with Amanda about the possibility of tax exempt status for the MGSC account.

3. **T-shirts** Undergrad math club will be distributing t-shirts only among themselves. Their topic will be the pizza theorem. Mark will investigate options for our t-shirt sale. The goal will be to have a rough framework in place by December so that grads@math.utk.edu can be emailed before holiday break about the design contest. Sell to public should be around spring break, either week before or week after. Pre-order discount will encourage early sales to secure investment.

4. **Grad Panel for Undergrads** Darrin will email Math Club again in the hopes of setting this event up for a future date. A grad student panel with a blend of years/interests/goals will be desirable.

5. **Bank Statements** A folder on the MGSC Google Drive will be used to store these monthly documents.

6. **Oct PDL** Note Ayres 308H holds 40 people. This is an option for the TR 11:10 time slot that is ideal. Copywriting will be the topic. Mark will contact Rachel Radom, UTK’s Scholarly Communication Librarian, to set up at date between 10/10 and 10/21. Jason’s will be the default choice for catering, although Mark will investigate other options as well. Jameson has expressed interest in sitting in on this presentation.

7. **PDL Moderators** Jameson is willing to moderate a panel. Day is willing to do up to two next semester. Lind agreed to do one in spring. October will likely not need moderated. Mark will contact Abner Salgado as a possible other option.

8. **Coffee with Dr. Jameson** She would like to coordinate this monthly.