

PPD Business Meeting

- Membership / Finances
- Best Student Presentation – 2004
- PPD officers

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Membership/Finances

- PPD-membership fees raised to \$10 last year
- Have 131 members as of June 1, 2004
- Have had 141,149,161 in each of the last three years
- Expenses
 - Student prize: \$300
 - No invited speaker this year
- We have a balance of \$3,675.65

Best Student Presentation

- Proposed three years ago – accepted two years ago
- First prize awarded at Charlottetown 2003 (7 eligible presentations)
- Seems to be working (10 students in this year's competition)
 - Some complication designating PPD in online application
- Continue to spread the word
- And the winner is: **Oliver Stelzer-Chilton – Toronto**

Officers of PPD

- Secretary-Treasurer: David Bailey (Toronto) continuing
- Past Chair (Manuella Vincter - Charlottetown 2003)
- Current Chair (William Trischuk - Winnipeg 2004)
- Next Chair (Clarence Virtue - Vancouver 2005)
- Next-next Chair (Dugan O'Neil - Brock 2006)
- Information about past, present and future congresses at:

<http://www.physics.mcgill.ca/~ppd/>

- Many thanks to Francois Corriveau for maintaining this site
- Most of the talks will be available on this year's congress site soon