Science Ambassadors Meeting Schedule, 2019-2020

High School mentors meet at the Primate Center each Wednesday, from 3:30 – 6:00 p.m., unless otherwise indicated, below.

October 15 Mentor applications due by 11:59 p.m.
October 16 Mentor application review and interview appointments sent (Student Directors)
October 24 Selected Mentor applicant interviews, 4 – 8 p.m.
October 29 Mentee applications due by 11:59 p.m.
October 30 Mentee Application Review (Student Directors)
November 1 Mentor & Mentee Class acceptances sent

November 6 FIRST Mentor Meeting: Introduction Activities/Mentee Selection
November 13 Mentor Meeting: Emerging Scientists Panel Presentation
Mentor Meeting: Prepare for 1st Mentee Meeting
November 20 Mentor Meeting Continue preparations for 1st Mentee Meeting
November 23 Mandatory Mentor & Mentee Meeting: Introduction Activities and Tour of the Center (DRESS WARMLY!)
Mentor Meeting: "Caring for our Animals: The ONPRC Primate Behavior Unit"
Mentor Meeting: (Mentors: 9 a.m. – 2:45 p.m.; Mentees: 10:00 – 2:45 p.m.; Parents: 12 noon – 2:45 p.m.)

November 27 NO MEETING: Thanksgiving Holiday
December 4 NO MEETING
December 11 Mentor Meeting: Prep for December Mentee Meeting
Mentor Meeting: ~Make gingerbread houses
December 18 Mentee Meeting: Caring for our Animals: Enrichment for Monkeys TBD
January 8 Mentor Meeting: College Panel: Returning SA Mentors
January 15 Mentor Meeting: Planning for January Mentee meetings (Jennifer D'Silva, Lead) – DG absent
January 22 Mentee Meeting: Cells, Part I
January 29 Mentee Meeting: Cells, Part II
February 5 Mentor Meeting: Scientist Presentation: Betsy Ferguson, PhD
Mentor Meeting: "Title TBD"
February 12 Mentor Meeting: Planning for February Mentee meetings (Lele Yang, Lead) – DG absent
February 19 Mentee Meeting: Genetics, Part I – DG absent
February 26 Mentee Meeting: Genetics, Part II
March 4 Mentor Meeting: Animal Care Panel: Jeff Stanton, DVM; Daniel Gottlieb, PhD; Lisa Houser (Head Trainer)
Mentor Meeting: "Caring for animals at ONPRC"
March 11 Mentor Meeting: Planning for March Mentee meetings (Rajvir Singh, Lead)
March 18 Mentee Meeting: Veterinary Studies, Part I
March 25 NO MEETING: SPRING BREAK
April 1 Mentee Meeting: Veterinary Studies, Part II
April 8 Mentor Meeting: Scientist Presentation: Gail Stonebarger, PhD Candidate
Mentor Meeting: "Title TBD"
April 15 Mentor Meeting: Planning for April Mentee Meetings (Soumik Chakraborty, Lead)
April 22 Mentee Meeting: The Brain, Part I
April 29 Mentee Meeting: The Brain, Part II
May 6 Mentor Meeting: Preparation for Final Ceremony and Celebration
May 13 Mentor Meeting: Craft Day!
May 20 Final Ceremony & Ice Cream Social Celebration
Mentor Meeting: (6:30 – 8:30 p.m., family members invited!)