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To: Ice Core Community
Fr: Mark Twickler, NICL-SMO
Re: Update 070330
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Greetings,
There are several messages below that may interest you:

- 1. ICWG meeting update
- 2. NICL-SMO proposal
- 3. NICL-SMO Newsletter In-Depth
- 4. NICL-SMO webpage upgrade

1. ICWG Meeting update.

The Ice Core Working Group (ICWG) will be meeting at the University of California - Irvine on April 24 and 25. We expect to have a draft agenda to circulate next week but the format will be similar to other ICWG meeting, which includes updates from NSF, NICL, NICL-SMO, ongoing ice core projects, etc. The main focus of this years meeting is to explore new projects relating ice core sciences and have open discussions on these projects. While we have received some project proposals from interested investigators we still believe there are more out there that could be explored and discussed at the meeting. If you would like to submit a project please see the outline form circulated in the February 28 email from this office or contact me directly.

If you plan to attend the ICWG meeting and have not registered please do so now.

2. NICL-SMO proposal

We submitted a proposal last June for the continuation of the NICL-SMO office at the University of New Hampshire. We are excited to inform you that the proposal has been funded. Joe Souney is assisting the office on a limited basis and his help is greatly appreciated. The newsletter and webpage described below would not be possible without the help of Joe. We are grateful to NSF and the community for their continued support and are here to assist you in any aspect of ice core sciences.

3. NICL-SMO Newsletter In-Depth

Attached to this email is the March 2007 NICL-SMO newsletter "In-Depth". The purpose of the newsletter is to inform the community about ice cores and provide a resource for the general public to learn more about our exciting science. We thank the contributors who provided articles about their projects. We plan to publish our next issue in the Fall of this year and welcome suggestions, ideas, contributions or comments about the newsletter.

4. NICL-SMO webpage (<http://nicl-smo.unh.edu>)

We have revised the NICL-SMO webpage to bring it up to current web technology. We are asking the community to help make this site more informative to the general public. What we would like is to include some photographs, data graphs, narratives, links or any other information about some of the sites where cores have been collected. In today's age there are blogs and other internet resources for current ice core projects but we would like to be able to fill in information about many of the cores in the pre-internet era. If you have photographs from any ice core project we would like to put them on the webpage under the specific ice core information (see <http://nicl-smo.unh.edu/icecoresites/index.html>). We view this as a way to be able to archive early ice core research to future generations.

Names are added periodically to the National Ice Core Laboratory - Science Management Office's email list. If you know of someone who would like to be added, or you would like to be removed from the email list please send a message to: nicl.smo@unh.edu

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