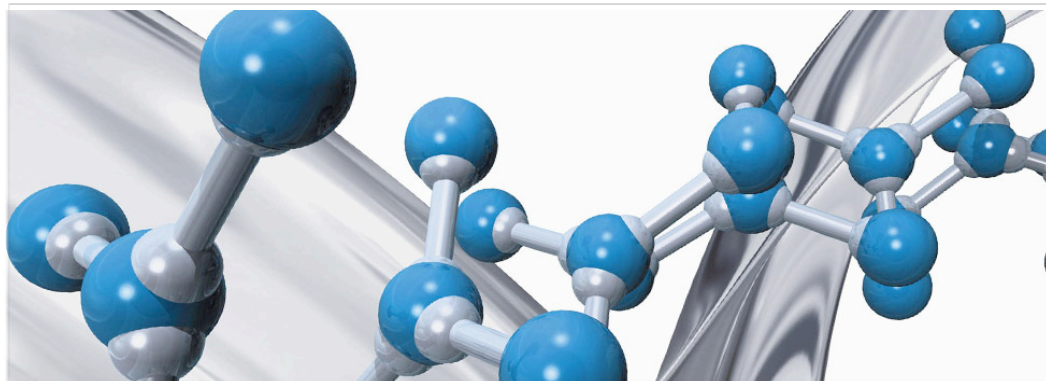


# Chemistry Club

We have all the solutions.

## Why Chemistry Club?



Our goal in Chemistry Club is to... experience chemistry beyond the classroom, engage in activities that enhance your understanding of science, get involved in the community, learn about study and career opportunities, discover and pursue connections within the larger chemistry community, develop leadership and communication skills, and appreciate how chemistry plays a role in our everyday lives.

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### DO I HAVE TO BE A CHEM MAJOR?

All majors are welcome! We are always looking for members that can expand our club further than the Chemistry Building's walls!

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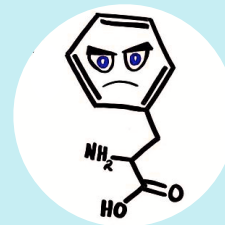
### WHAT IF I'M NOT GOOD AT CHEMISTRY?

Our club offers several resources guaranteed to help you succeed in chemistry. If you are not looking to learn chemistry, we aren't asking you to!

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### I DON'T HAVE TIME...

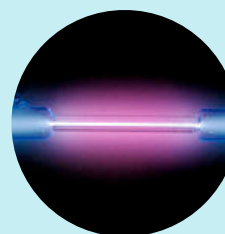
We totally understand! There is no required time commitment to be in chemistry club. We are here to help you achieve your goals – no obligations.



What do you call an acid with an attitude?

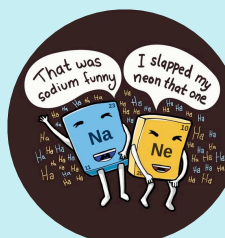
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### Today's Element:



Hydrogen

Send us your best science jokes!



## This Week's Meeting:

Where We're Going, Who We're Talking To, and Funds We're Raising To Get There

In this week's meeting, Nich Androes — ChemClub President — relayed his thoughts on chemistry related trips such as visiting the Wastewater Treatment Plant (Colorado Springs), the Chemical Depot (Pueblo), the dinosaur tracks (La Junta), the Los Alamos National Laboratory (Los Alamos, NM), Agilent Technologies (Colorado Springs), and several others. We are currently looking for at least ten members who might be interested in attending before a final date is determined.

Additionally, Nic discussed the club's future involvement to engage with middle school/high school students around the university. Schools in mind are as follows: Pueblo West High School (Nic Androes), County High School and the School of Engineering and Biomedical Sciences (Kaitlin Diodosio), Central High School (Keenan Wyatt) and East High School (Sarah Lira). Our club plans to conduct a small experiment, such as *Elephant Toothpaste*, *Gold Pennies*, or *Hydrogen Balloons*, and present the benefits of entering a STEM major, as well as the opportunities available in chemistry. If you have contacts within a local school, please let your officers know!

Possible fundraising activities were also brainstormed including TRIO tutoring, hot chocolate mugs, Final's Week s'mores, liquid



nitrogen ice cream and Valentine's Day liquid nitrogen flowers. It is not likely much fundraising will occur; however, it is important for us to have a few ideas on the back burner.

A membership opportunity to the American Chemical Society (ACS) was further presented. Being a member of ACS allows you to advance your career in a global economy, connect the world's largest scientific society, and share your passion for chemistry for only \$28. This is less than 6 Starbucks Frappuccinos! Definitely something to think about if you ask me.

Lastly discussed was a T-shirt design for the 2018-2019 school year. A design will be decided at our next meeting to be held September 6th at 4:00 in CHEM 211.

## STEPS TO JOINING CHEMISTRY CLUB:

1. Attain a chemistry club application. This can be attained in the Science Learning Center (LS 122), the Chemistry Club (CHEM 223), or from any of the Chemistry Club Officers.
2. Complete the form, being sure to include your full name, PID, a good phone number and email address, and activities you would be interested in participating in.
3. You can turn the form in to the Chemistry Club Room (CHEM 223), Dr. David Dillon, or a Chemistry Club officer at any time.

# **Chemistry Club**

## **Members Present at This Week's Meeting:**

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Nicholas Androes — President

Kaitlin Diodosio — Secretary/Treasurer

Alyssa Telfer — Member

Sarah Lira — Member

Sean Love — Member

Mikelah Susuki — Member

Kelly Sheehan — Member

Devin Trujillo — Member

Chandler Sparks — Member

Dr. David Dillon — Sponsor