

PBT NEWS LETTER

July 2012

- **Thanks to PBT members who will be organizing more than a dozen program, section and member symposia at the annual meeting in Knoxville.**
- **We received a record number of submissions for oral and poster presentations at the annual meeting. We need moderators (about 20) for oral presentation sessions and judges for student competitions (about 29). All judging takes place on Monday and the oral sessions will be held on Sunday, Monday (student competition), Tuesday and Wednesday. If you can spare 3 hours of your time during the annual meeting, please send an Email to PBT vice president, Dr. Michael Strand (mstrand@uga.edu) expressing your interest in moderating and/or judging.**
- **PBT section needs to fill several openings in Editorial Boards and ESA Committees. The nominations for membership in these Editorial Boards and committees are voted on at the section final business meeting on Wednesday during the annual meeting. We need volunteers to fill openings in the Editorial Boards of American Entomologist, Arthropod Management Tests, Annals of the Entomological Society of America, Books and Media Review, Journal of Medical Entomology and Thomas Say Publications. We also have an opening to represent PBT in Student affairs committee. We will also nominate PBT Vice President elect for 2014 at the section final business meeting. Please consider volunteering for one of these positions and send me an Email if you are interested (rpalli@uky.edu).**