

## AGSIP Meeting

September 30

Attendance: Katrina, Sara, Chloe, Sophie, Jackie C, Jackie H

Regrets: Vanessa, Kalee, Rebekah

1. Housecrawl
  - a. Need to keep publicizing – Facebook and e-mails to make sure we reach everyone.
  - b. Will see how many people buy tickets by tomorrow to know how much alcohol to buy. Each house host will buy ingredients for their drinks.
  - c. Sophie will send a reminder e-mail today.
2. Depending on how the housecrawl goes, we may do a bake sale in November.
3. Halloween
  - a. Jackie H's neighbour's farm sells medium pumpkins for \$4 (smalls are \$2, but likely too small for good carving).
    - i. We were going to charge \$5 per team (could increase to \$6, if we need).
    - ii. For cheaper options, could look at Wal Mart, Produce Town/Depot, Food Basics → Chloe will call around to find out prices. Can ask if there would be a discount for e.g., 5-10 pumpkins.
  - b. We were going to do Friday, October 31<sup>st</sup>, but there's a distinguished lecturer and lunch that day. Go with Thursday, October 30<sup>th</sup> instead (start at 1pm; some people have class at 4pm).
4. AGSIP 2007 made a calendar that they sold - fun pictures!! Who bought these? Are we poorer than past grad students?
5. Holiday Party
  - a. Semi-Formal!!
  - b. Could do it at the Delta or Megalos (cocktails/apps), or look into other options.
    - i. Megalos is a good option – we should look into specifics.
  - c. People would probably be willing to spend ~ \$20 for a drink ticket and appetizers and the dance. Unsure if people would be into paying more and having dinner.
  - d. Need to do it at the end of term, before exams and people leave. Maybe Week 11? Could do it in winter/January instead?
    - i. Doodle poll for December vs. January; appetizers vs. dinner; cost willing to pay.
6. Consider putting posters up around the department to publicize events.
7. Lots of people seemed to like the games night – could do it every two months or so. Maybe next one in November? Next time, do it at someone's house, not in Humphrey.