# Officers/Staffs' Meeting 5 Spring 2014 "Be more inclusive without recruiting more staffs"

## I. Officers and Staff's Updates

- A. Talking to members & Event reminders: Alice
  - 1. Our priority is to make sure members have fun
  - 2. Yusaku make event pages
  - 3. Share event beforehand, and on the day of
- B. Spring quarter: "Anyone lunch?" & Quiz up: Priscilla
  - 1. Stop quiz up
  - 2. Try and find an app
  - 3. Keep up with posting lunch and going to one
- C. Board mixer with NSU: Kevin
  - 1. Date: May 24, day of kayaking event
  - 2. Drinking party
  - 3. Location: TBA
- D. EYP: Priscilla
  - 1. Location: vacation house
  - 2. \$2000
  - 3. Bigger space, 2700 square feet, pool, can add more people
  - 4. Booked from Wednesday to Friday
  - 5. Performance: Erik
    - a) Start planning, scheduling, planning
    - b) Let Erik know, if you need help
  - 6. Food: Andy
    - a) Option: Make food instead
    - b) Complimented with catering
    - c) Order to-go at <u>a restaurant</u>, cheaper than catering
    - d) Talk over with Yusaku
- E. JSA Website: Seira
  - 1. We will be getting a new website server
  - 2. Will cost money
  - 3. Erik- ask his friend if he can help out
  - 4. Seira- list price options and post on fb page
  - 5. Make a calendar on the website to show all JSA events, makes it more organized
  - 6. Talk to Min san about transferring files
  - 7. Ask Min san about JSA photo link (still broken)
- F. Ucsdjsa Photos: Arisa
  - 1. new fb account
  - 2. friend that account
  - 3. connected to Instagram account
  - 4. strictly for photo only
- G. 2013-2014 Sweatshirt: Emily
  - 1. Shodou style kizuna
  - 2. Make a preview this week and post it on fb
    - a) Upload all files

- 3. Do whatever you want so we can order it soon
- H. Tabling Committee: Seira
  - 1. Bought three pieces of wood
  - 2. Red and white paint
  - 3. Work party is May 18, Sunday
- I. JSA Video: Yusaku
  - 1. Doodles have been sent out to all groups
  - 2. Deadline has been extended to Wednesday
  - 3. Personal message people to fill out the doodle
  - 4. We have about 20 groups
- J. Board member photo shooting: Priscilla
  - 1. Posted question on fb page asking color theme
  - 2. Add suggestions if you have one
  - 3. Formal with color
  - 4. Can be used for EYP as well
- K. Subgroups:
  - 1. Don't be discouraged by the slow beginning.
  - 2. JSAthletes
    - a) Soccer game on Saturday, for guys only
    - b) If we win the tournament, \$200 prize
  - 3. JSA Cooking Crew
    - a) If you have any recipe or cooked anything, post a photo on the page
    - b) Doesn't have to be washoku
    - c) Make it casual
  - 4. JSA Fitness
    - a) Andy: Will hopefully be back in the gym by Thursday
    - b) If anyone else wants to go to the gym, post it on the page
- L. Long-term Projects:
  - 1. 2014-2015 Term Apparel Andy
    - a) Fleece does not cost that much, unisex
  - 2. Time capsule
    - a) no update

We had 5 events last week. 本当にお疲れさま!

II. Hanseikai (+Event Master Doc/ Questionnaire/ Blog post)

- A. if you see a problem, take the initiative to talk to leader and try and fix it
- B. before GBM post questionnaire responses to go over
- C. Vendor Fair
  - 1. Overestimated the takoyaki this time
  - 2. The weather could not have been helped
  - 3. Can't do it on a Tuesday (Farmer's market) and Thursday (not as many breaks)
  - 4. Needs to be on Wednesday, or Thursday
  - 5. Leaders are for planning, they do not necessarily have to be there the whole time
  - 6. Quality over quantity, we've been thinking about maximizing profit too much
    - a) Sell water with takoyaki? For \$5

### D. GBM2

- 1. A little lack luster?
- 2. But good that the birthday surprise went well
- 3. We were a little rushed because we had to make it to dinner in time
  - a) Consider management when picking a place to eat
- 4. It was an interesting topic, fun games
- 5. Have less words on the slide, and talk less people can space out
- 6. Need to plan earlier
  - a) Make the event page early
  - b) Have a meeting earlier
- 7. Blog post Alice

## E. Unofficial

- 1. Palomar, Kimpton hotel we are not allowed to have that many people (fire hazard)
  - a) Agents fault for letting us go through with that
  - b) Our fault for not making sure the contract
- 2. for future leaders don't set the bar too high
- 3. good all leaders communicating with each other and meeting, but we shouldn't rely on senpais
- 4. bad
  - a) meeting at café v
  - b) supposed to be exclusive, bonding moment for staff and officers
  - c) right after language table, members were confused and asked where we were going if they ask tell them that it is staff and officer thing, don't lie
  - d) be more careful about who to invite. It should be only staff and officers

#### F. Tsumiki

- 1. Make sure that they will provide lunch for us
- 2. Send out questionnaire, "if we have another tsumiki event, will you participate again?"
- 3. Decide on if we will continue going based on questionnaire
- 4. We had too many people this time, some people did not have anything to do
- 5. Blog post Seira

## G. Language Table

- 1. We did not have any extension students
- 2. Beginner tables should have a Japanese speaking leader, advanced table do not really need a leader can have a conversation among themselves

#### III. Shodou

- A. Leaders: Yusaku Seira, Arisa, Remi
- B. Date: 5/7 Wednesday
- C. Time: 8pm
- D. Location: Center220
- E. Details:
  - 1. Supplies have been bought

- 2. Divide into 4 groups, 5 people in each, each group will have a set of brushes
- 3. Remi will have a tutorial to teach the basics, then members will do it on their own
- 4. Suibokuga
- 5. Competition style winner will win a prize (mini shodo set)
- 6. Make sure to put a leader per group

#### II. GBM3

- A. Leaders: Seira, Yuka, Arisa, Sakurako, Sici
- B. Date: 5/13 Tuesday
- C. Time: 8pm
- D. Location: TBA
- E. Theme: Japanese character
- F. Ice-breaker/Game: pterodactyl
  - 1. Can't show your teeth
  - 2. If you do, introduce yourself
- G. Dinner: Korean Thang thang
- H. Announcements:
  - 1. Multicultural Night Alice
  - 2. Kayaking Andy
  - 3. Pool party Arisa
  - 4. EYP Priscilla
  - 5. Language Table Diana
  - **6.** Membership Piscilla
  - 7. JSA Hangout Sici
  - 8. JSAtheletes Kenji
  - **9.** JSA Cooking Crew Emily
  - **10.** JSA Fitness Tomoki
  - 11. Ecopoli Yusaku
  - 12. Page One Remi

# II. Multicultural Night

- A. Leaders: Yuka, Priscilla, Alice, Remi
- B. Date: 5/21 Wednesday
- C. Time: 6 or 7pm
- D. What to sell: Strawberry Daifuku? easy to prepare, but we would need to sell a lot to match takoyaki profit
  - 1. Sell two items strawberry daifuku & oden stick
  - 2. Use burners

## III. Language Table

A. Coordinators: Yuka and Erik