

UBC Film Society

Meeting Minutes

December 1st, 2008

Executives: Jon Serion, Julie Johannessen, Regie Sacdalan, Sandie Chen, Emily Keller, Chris Gilling, Rachel Coe, Jacob McNeil, Jeff Hitchcock

Members: Dan

- Report on GMS: None yet! Emily really enjoyed the show, though.
 - We did not make a lot of money on tickets: they only had 50-60 people per screening instead of the ~200 they claimed, the lying scumbags.
- **Jason**
 - Report on sushi volunteer dinner: It went well! People ate a lot and looked lethargic and sleepy after! 18 people! Cost for filmsoc was \$201, and was about 2/3rds proj & floor managers, and 5-6 not. People thought it went excellent. Only problem is that the other table kept **stealing veggie tempura.** :[
- **Emily**
 - Productions this weekend: location free, **under-budget.** went well, got lots done, only a few small issues (see security issues with doors unlocked). Chris does not recall being talked to, expressed disbelief with dumbfounded look on face. Execs **blame chris for everything.** Jon Serion interrupted Emily's report with uncontrollable laughter.
- **Regie**
 - Last meeting's minutes. Laughter and discussions. Jon disappointed everyone by not being as funny as expected.

— **Jason**

- Jason hates this mini-keyboard of Julie's.

— **Sandie**

- Sustainability club wants to sell their own food at their event they've booked in March. Conclusion: We don't want anything to do with her, let her sell her own food! She wants to use space outside Bernoulli's Bagels, butttt none of that is our business. Why are they contacting us!
- Some chick named Kari going to be a student here and wants to film at the Norm theatre—uh, she has to contact classroom services. Wants to film Dec 11? Derek told her to ask us. She wants to shoot for 9 hours; conclusion: will let her shoot for \$90, and must be supervised. OK as long as it isn't close to the screen.

— Anyone else? **Sharing is caring!**

- Sometime before the 11th, Emily wants to do prelim clean of production suite. Jessica is all gung-ho. Apparently **she loves cleaning!**
- Chris knows how to use a computer, so obviously he knows how to build one.
- Downstairs fridge to be defrosted early in January.
- Deadline for securing the TV slightly more: By the 11th, Julie will have smaller chain for TV! (In hindsight, **Julie has failed marvelously** in this and will do it now in January instead.)
- 4th wheel on the cart: AMS storage is gonna be pissed. Apparently there is a hack-saw in the proj booth. But in the meantime, Mark is being awesome and carrying the prints down by himself.
- Deadline for popcorn coupons: They're done, they're on the board. People get 2 free large popcorns each because of the wait. Don't give them to anyone with a dick.
- Wiping the computer: Reformatting as we speak. **NEW COMPUTER????**

- Proj booth internet: The problem is down here! Jon will check it out.
- Emily took care of the office mess, hooray!
- **CiTR beer garden:** CiTR is totally retarded and have suggested Purple Rain, Rock'n'Roll High School, Trapped in the Closet (WHICH WOULD BE AWESOME but unfortunately can't get any rights?).
 - Can't get Spinal Tap.
 - Regie suggests **High School Musical**. Let's shoot him now.
 - Hedwig was great but didn't have enough attendance.
 - If people come up with ideas, email 'em to Rachel! Across the Universe? Dark Side of Oz + the Wall as beer garden?
 - But it's not good to mix your drugs, aaaugh!
 - We should rent digital projector if we can. Ours is terrible.
- **SUB Renewal last monday:** Players Club president is a [redacted]. She would not take crap from anyone, even though they weren't giving her any! The Players Club have problems. ./
 - G&S: Suggestion: A set week every year where they get the theatre for their show, as long as we know ahead of time.
 - **Blackbox theatre** for yoga club, improv, players club, etc.
 - Bronwyn; SUB coordinator for AMS. Have to decide what we're moving into the new building and leaving here. Have to make sure we have a theatre in the new SUB. **We have to pee on our space and mark our territory.**
 - Pushing for HD projector mounted from ceiling; transferable technology. Maybe a track for it to slide back and forth to proj booth? A **zipline**? :D :D :D
- INTERLUDE FOR **30 SECONDS OF FUN!**
 - Jeff almost killed Regie, but Regie has catlike reflexes.

- Jason: Social events for next semester! Something with Vancouver curling club, after the massive poster auction (2nd week of January).
- Main doors in theatre: WON'T LOCK??? But the work order's in! And they're fixing the lighting yay.
- How do people feel about AGM in second week?
 - OK, and it's fine to have lots of people come. Still splurge on pizza for them. But thank goodness, no signing in this time for the voting.
- Fun stuff: Clothing-making competition with posters!
- The guy who wanted to buy the Mama Mia poster (conclusion: pay \$20 directly or go to the auction) might have replied? Or maybe it was just a dream Chris had.
- Credits for projs: Enacted. **Giving projs 1/2 credit per film they bring down** at the end of the week.
- **Raises for theatre staff:** We need to be pro-actively looking for staff. Proj 2s mysteriously disappear whenever we suggest to them that they become proj 1. It's true.
 - Some of them leave the country.**
 - If \$10 raise each, to 40 and 50. Half-shifts would be 20 and 25. We would lose \$50 per movie. Total profit is 6786. If we'd paid this raised amount, it would be 5900. We'd be giving out an extra 1200 dollars or so.
 - We have 13,000 in our accounts. We will all think about this later!
- Need to find a treasurer to **replace Alec!** Someone to likes to be around All The Time and likes to do lots of filmsoc work All The Time.
- First week of January: Figure out where we're at, get clean Excel file for treasurer.
 - Biggest expenses for movies are on staff and rights.
- Idea: Find clubs to pair with us per week, and partner with them for bigger attendance?
- Starting in January, we HAVE TO work on **execs for next year.**

- **Treasurer**: Should be kind of anal, but good at accounting. We could advertise to accounting people! It will give them lots of experience, personality irrelevant (**can be a douchebag**), will look good on resume.
- She is crazy. She has a fire inside her.
- **New computer**: Jon motions for one, Rachel seconds, Jason thirds
 - 400, Intel Dualcore, woohoo! The old office computer can replace proj booth one. Use old monitor.
 - Wait until Boxing day for ~good deals~.
 - All yes votes, no recorded no/abstentions.
- **Chris was coerced** but now **he likes it**. "Oh. Uh. Okay. " "Oh. Ohhhhh! Okay. :D"
- Jon's links are random.
- Let's watch filmsoc crash and burn.
- Rachel should be chairperson. She gets to do the exact same job she does now, but boss around more people! So it's **her dream job!**
- Jeff motions that we replace one of Regie's hand with an **pneumatic grappling hook**.
 - Five yeses and a bunch of abstains. The vote passes. Yay for **shoddy surgery!** Filmsoc has to pay for the operation. Chris has to do it with a \$30 budget.
 - Though we have a lot of former engineers in the club. Al can do it! He built the crane, he can build a grappling hook.
- Chris wants to get icecream.
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