

# UBC Film Society

## Meeting Minutes

January 7<sup>th</sup>, 2009

Executives: Regie Sacdalan, Jonathan Serion, Julie Johannessen, Rachel Coe, Jeff Jardine, Angela Zhang, Alec Whitford, Sandie Chen, Jeff Hitchcock, Emily Keller

Members: None

### — Theatre staff raises

- A raise of \$5 each per regular shift would mean we would spend approximately **\$1300 more** on staff each year. It would take \$25 from the individual net profit of each film.
- A raise of \$10 each per regular shift would mean we would spend approximately **\$2500 more** on staff each year. It would take \$50 from the individual net profit of each film.
- FMs are still getting more than half price, as are projs.
- VOTE: ALL IN FAVOUR OF RAISING STAFF FEES BY \$5?
  - Everyone votes yes! Julie abstains. This will take in effect tonight. **Hooray for Regie getting more money!**

— Our wireless sucks metaphorical balls.

### — Financial report

- 201 dollars on office supplies!!?!?!? I don't even know where this is coming from. I didn't even charge filmsoc for the pens and sharpies I bought. :(
- concessions: over 5k dollars!
- ticket sales subfilms: 14k!
- membership revenue: 8187.72

- arcade machine has a **ton of quarters** just waaaaiting to be deposited!
- and we have 15k in our bank account.
- Mega poster party and general meeting: We have some new posters to sell, including **Nurse Fighter Boy**, which should be a delightful scratch'n'sniff poster. (Best invention ever.)
  - Monday the 19th is free for bookings, so we'll have the meeting then.
  - Chris & Angela: Have poster selection ready by this Monday (12th). We want to send out email with some of the poster options to get people **psyyyyched**. New ideas for format: put posters up around theatre with little sheet on it where you sign your name -- if the poster has more than one person, there's a quick last-minute auction round. if only one person interested, they pay a dollar.
  - Or secret bidding, though all the tallying and secretiveness would take a long time to process. And we have over 50 posters available D:
  - Conclusion: Find a way to electronically vote for posters with doodle?
- We need to get people **excited about the elections** in March!!!!
- Social ideas:
  - Schindler's List beer garden. Drink every time a Jew dies!
  - ...Everyone is appalled by the **hilarious lows** to which filmsoc has plunged. Though we could advertise it as a April Fool's joke! And for the record, as the other token Jew in this group, **Emily is totally for this.**
  - Laser shows at the planetarium
  - go bowling!!!! go curling!!!
  - my bloody valentine 3D coming out on 16th. regie really wants to go.
  - nobody wants to do rec events. only 13/100 voted for it. it is because filmsoc are all **lazy and fat.**

- panel with productions: how to get into the program. only 20 get in out of a 100! whoooo.
- national film board of canada wanting to put on screening here. if popular, they can bring a person in. sandie come up with questions to email them back! (some movie about nuclear disarmament?)
- **whistler trip**: saturday the 14th of feb. you can ski. or toboggan. or snowshoe. or crosscountry ski. or get hammered and not be able to ski.
  - post whistler trip info outside the clubroom?
- FREE SCREENING **WHY HAVEN'T WE HAD ANY**
  - watchmen; march OH MAN FOR THE RECORD I WOULD FUCKING DIE OF HAPPY
  - he's just not that into you; february
  - re: screenings: mondays and tuesdays aren't really free? we would have to take cinema politica on that week
- **citr beer garden**: FRIDAY FEBRUARY 6TH. their stupid options: almost famous, empire records, phantasia, dumbo. need about 70 people for us to break even.
  - our best plan: show this is spinal tap despite not having the rights for it. tell authorities that john is responsible, then fire him for it. clearly there is no flaw in this plan whatsoever.
  - or maybe the ski and board club want to dance and hook up while watching zoolander.
  - anyway, VOTE: Do bzzr garden with CiTR, let them pick their movie, but ask them to **cover the losses** if not enough people show.
    - 7 for, 3 against, 1 abstention
    - motions passes.
- MEETING OVER. exec reports will come next time.