

Subject: BAKER-MINUTES: Execon Meeting Summary - 9/11/05
From: Kirupa Chinnathambi <kirupa@MIT.EDU>
Date: 9/12/05 1:56 AM
To: baker-minutes@MIT.EDU

EXECCON MEETING 9/11/05

Motion to Approve last week's minutes by Yonas!

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

- 1.) The Baker Picturebook is up. You can access the picturebook from the following link: <http://baker.mit.edu/picturebook/> Thanks to all the people who helped out with taking and organizing the pictures: Giselle, Nikhil, Christi, Riva. Big thanks to Kirupa and David Dryjanski for getting the pictures sorted and uploaded to the baker server. Room numbers are being updated, so expect that to be finished in a few days.

If you want to use a different picture (or you don't see your picture up there), send us a picture of yourself from somewhere INSIDE Baker to picturebook@mit.edu.

- 2.) Play IM sports or Diana Wallin, our Athletic Chair, will shut off your internet by running an unauthorized DHCP server.
- 3.) There will be a BBQ this Sunday. If that isn't reason enough for you to head down to the BBQ pits, the MIT Technique (yearbook) photo for Baker will be taken at that time.
- 4.) There will be an awesome TNK this Thursday. The theme is on Energy Initiatives. Les Norford will be attending, so it should be a lot of fun. Oh, and there is free food AND free movie tickets for Loews.
- 5.) Are you interested in furthering your career? Do you feel underappreciated and underpaid for helping solve your friends' computer problems? If that is you, then you should be Baker's next RCC! Baker House is looking for an in-house person who is willing to help answer people's computer problems.

In the meantime, if you are having computer problems, please fill out a request at: <http://rcc.mit.edu>

- 6.) BRICKS, our lovable printer, is not feeling well. Someone from MIT IS&T is trying to fix it, so expect the printer to be back up soon.
- 7.) There will be a meeting for all old and new Desk Workers this Wednesday at 9PM. Chandra Clarke is the new desk captain, so please stop e-mailing Giselle Andrejack for desk-related issues. Feel free contact Giselle for

all other issues ranging from problem sets to dating advice though.

8.) Judcomm will be making their rounds next week giving away free food and lots of good information how on to resolve issues with neighbors, etc. They will be coming to each floor, so be sure to look out for them. This is a great opportunity for you to meet the in-dorm mediators who will help you to resolve conflicts.

9.) Any freshman interested in being a FRep (Freshman Representative) should look for an e-mail from Riva outlining what you need to do. Elections will be held at the first house meeting. Contact Liz Jordan, last year's FRep for any advice/other questions.

10.) To the person who is placing obscene Harry Potter curses on people's doors, STOP IT. Surely there are better things you can do with your mastery of a book written at a 4th grade reading level.

11.) AOTW (Athelete of the Week)*

- Joe Gionta for dancing.

- Jessie Ho, Bonnie Shum, and Jennifer Hernandez for staying up until 5 AM to make name tags to promote the Allan party.

* The term athlete is used very loosely. This is MIT after all.

OLD BUSINESS:

None

NEW BUSINESS:

1.) Desk Policy in terms of guests: If they do not live here, the resident needs to come get the guest from the desk. This applies to parents also. Spare keys should only go out to the resident of the room the spare key is designed for. For example, Kirupa should not get a spare key to David Dryjanski's room to pick up his computer stuff from the summer.*

Thefts and vandalism do happen in Baker. Make sure that strangers do not follow you into the dorm, and if you see somebody suspicious, notify desk.

*Event may or may not have happened.

2.) You all should have received your social calendars and guidelines in your mailboxes. If not, feel free to pick up a copy from any of the numerous Recycling Bins that accentuate our hallways. There should be another e-mail from Baker Social soon about cool events, so stay tuned.

3.) The preliminary budget was presented by the various Execon members. Our treasurer, Jennifer Hernandez, has a budget of \$1, so feel free to send her any suggestions on how to spend it.

And thus begins another great Baker-ific year.

Cheers!
Kirupa =)
Subject: BAKER-MINUTES: Execcon and House Meetings!
From: Kirupa Chinnathambi <kirupa@MIT.EDU>
Date: 9/23/05 4:17 PM
To: baker-minutes@MIT.EDU

EXECCON MEETING 9/20/05

Motion to Approve last week's minutes by Kate!

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

- 1.) Play IM sports or Diana will make sure our beloved Bricks is never fixed. Signups for IM Football ended at midnight (yesterday), but do not fret, for signups for IM Bowling will begin on Friday.
- 2.) The Faculty Reception will be held on October 5th. This is a great opportunity to get your favorite Professors to show up at Baker for some great food. This may even help your grades, so factor that in when determining which professors to invite.
- 3.) If there is a party in Baker, please do not bring people from other schools. The money for Baker events comes from your housetax, and I'm sure you would rather spend that money on yourselves as opposed to people from...Boston University!
- 4.) The Freshman mixer is tomorrow evening at 9PM in Baker Dining. This is a great way to get to know the other freshman in the dorm. Note that this event is for freshman only!

Just a friendly reminder: Tony Weinbeck will not be there. If you are not sure who he is, I'm sure Joe Gionta (jgionta@mit.edu) can fill you in on the salacious details!
- 5.) Last week I said that Judcomm Butteries would be coming really soon. This time, the Butteries will be coming really really soon!
- 6.) If you are part of a student group and would like to meet in Baker rooms, please send an e-mail to Nikhil first.
- 7.) The Baker Camping trip will be over the Columbus Day weekend. There is no excuse for you not to go, and you can bring your psets and work on them there.
- 8.) The Recycle bins all around the dorm should be used for more reasons besides "archiving" the Social calendar and other Social-related papers. Please recycle.

9.) Bricks, our lovable neighborhood printer, does not work. DO NOT send data to it.

10.) Congratulations to the 5th Floor for throwing an excellent party. No congratulations to all the non-MIT students who competed with us for scarce "resources".

11.) AOTW (Athelete of the Week)*

- The football team for beating Mass Maritime. The final score was 25-14.

- Giselle for scaling a wall, climbing a fence, donning a cape and flying, and doing other things for ROTC.

* For once, we have some real athletic things to put here.

OLD BUSINESS:

1.) Be aware of the revised desk worker policies. All non-Baker residents will be stopped at desk, and if they are a guest, you should come to desk to meet them.

NEW BUSINESS:

1.) Faculty reception is coming up. Expect more information from Yonas, our VPIR, in the upcoming days.

Move to Adjourn: Diana

HOUSE MEETING 9/20/05

1.) IM Soccer and Tennis signups should be available shortly. Football signups end midnight on 9/20, so if you are reading about this for the first time, you are most certainly late. I guess this would be a bad time to say we needed more people to sign up!

2.) Diana Wallin has provided more information on IM Bowling in her most recent e-mail. Baker Hockey jerseys are also available, so keep a lookout for more information on that.

3.) October 5th is the date for the faculty reception. Invite your favorite Professors, but do make sure to show up to the faculty reception if you invited a professor. Generally awkward non-Course 16 professors are even more awkward when they are stood up by one of their students.

4.) On October 4th, the 3rd and 4th floors will host a party. It should be really good, so be sure to be there.

5.) Freshman mixer will be held on 21 September at 9PM.

6.) No flaming beverages allowed. It seems like some people can't stop burning their fingers when *somebody* accidentally pushes them causing the flaming beverage to hit their hands.

OLD BUSINESS:

None

NEW BUSINESS:

1.) SOCIAL ETIQUETTE

:: Try to limit the number of non-MIT people you invite to Baker parties.

:: Respect your GRTs.

:: At events like BBQ's, try to be more understanding when you get yelled at for grabbing a boat-load of burgers/hot dogs/etc. And remember, a boat-load of food is a LOT of food.

2.) We are looking for another Social Chair to help our current Social Chairs out. Think of this is a cool internship with no pay and no credit. And, I hear* that being Social Chair looks great on a resume!

*Memory may be fuzzy.

3.) Do you want to be more involved in Baker's activities? Do you enjoy bossing other freshman around? Becoming a Freshman Representative (FRep) can help you to do that and more. Contact Liz Jordan (ljordan@mit.edu) for more information.

4.) Many of you freshman should have received your freshman trivia packets. If not, you will be receiving them at tonight's Freshman Mixer or in your mailboxes.

5.) If you want to be recycling chair, send an e-mail to Riva Bakal (rbakal@mit.edu). The workload is fairly low, and the fun-factor is fairly high! Don't worry - you won't have to carry the recycling bins around.

6.) BUDGET:

3110 - Riva, President.
1450 - Yonas, VPIR
4700 - Nikhil, VPFS
115 - Chandra, JUDDCOMM
140.48 - Liz Jordan, VPRO
1350 - Diana, Athletics
50 - Kirupa, Secretary
1 - Jennifer, Treasurer
14719.69 - Giselle/Katie, Social Chairs

The budget passed with 22 votes for, 10 abstains, and 0 votes against.

Move to Adjourn: Yonas

Cheers!

Kirupa =)

Subject: BAKER-MINUTES: Baker Execcon - Live from Room 211!

From: Kirupa Chinnathambi <kirupa@MIT.EDU>

Date: 9/26/05 1:07 AM

To: baker-minutes@MIT.EDU

CC: kirupa@kirupa.com

EXECCON MEETING 9/25/05

Motion to Approve last week's minutes by Giselle.

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

- 1.) Play IM sports or Diana will invite a lot of people from BU for the next Baker party. Dodgeball signups are due tonight at midnight, and badminton signups is due Tuesday.
- 2.) If you are interested in being a Freshman Representative (FRep), be sure to get a petition from Riva.
- 2.) Remember to invite faculty for the faculty reception. The more faculty we have the better, so don't hesitate to invite your Professors and/or TA's. You should have found invitation cards in your mailboxes.
- 3.) The Baker Camping trip is on October 8/9. It will be a lot of fun, and we will see a lot of cool/weird things such as zebras, pygmy hippos, deer, and a couple of us picking apples.
- 4.) Beware of people who play Marco Polo with blankets over their heads on the 6th floor.
- 5.) Freshman trivia is due Tuesday, so get your entries in. Don't forget that there are prizes for the top three students to get the most correct answers.
- 6.) We have NOT FORGOTTEN about the Baker Door Design contest....not at all. Riva decided to extend the contest a little while longer to give the more artistic Bakerites time to finish their masterpieces.
- 7.) Judcomm Butteries will be coming really really really soon. So stay tuned.
- 8.) 11.) AOTW (Atheletes of the Week)*
 - Chandra and Sam for 5 years of cohabitation.

- George sprained his knee for a football game, but the other team never showed up.
- Freshmen who have already gotten mono. (To be fair, they may have gotten it from the dirty, unwholesome door handles.)

* Another week of real athletes. Good job everyone. Make Baker proud!

OLD BUSINESS:

- 1.) Faculty reception. Please invite faculty. There will be great food and, based on past receptions, great conversations.

NEW BUSINESS:

- 1.) There will be a Piano Drop next term. We found a piano that is beyond repair, and the piano volunteered itself for the event. I know if I were an unrepairable piano, I would want to be thrown 7 floors to a "smashing" finale.
- 2.) Regarding scheduling of group events in Baker dining, NO EVENTS WILL BE ALLOWED during dining hours unless your group will be eating at Baker Dining.

If you will be having a lot of people (100-220), make sure to e-mail Nikhil Nadkarni so that he can make the appropriate arrangements.

If you want to hold an event in a floor's lounge, the floor will be e-mailed with a 24-hour timeframe to object. A list of people who will be attending the event must be submitted to desk, and a Baker resident must be present as a host.

The rules for group events are similar to that of a party. You are responsible for the conduct of the event attendees.

- 3.) Don't throw stuff off the roof.

APPROPRIATIONS:

- 1.) \$140.48 - Ice Cream Social to Ice Cream Social. (Liz/Nikhil)
- 2.) \$40 for copies from Baker Trivia to Baker Trivia. (Riva/Diana)
- 3.) \$39.14 from Execon food to Execon food. (Yonas/Liz)
- 4.) \$163 from House meeting food to House meeting food. (Yonas/Liz)
- 5.) \$60 from IM fines to IM Fines. (Diana/Liz)
- 6.) \$278.44 from Allan party to Allan party. (Giselle/Liz)
- 7.) \$402.10 from BBQ to BBQ. (Giselle/Liz)
- 8.) \$230.55 for Josh Fiala from TNK to TNK. (Giselle/Liz)
- 9.) \$75 to Irene Rahman from Room/Floor Party to Room/Floor Party. (Giselle/Liz)

Move to Adjourn: Yonas

Cheers!

Kirupa =)

Subject: BAKER-MINUTES: FRep Candidates/Benchpressing/Happy Hour

From: "Kirupa Chinnathambi" <kirupa@MIT.EDU>

Date: 10/5/05 12:34 AM

To: <baker-minutes@MIT.EDU>

EXECCON MEETING 10/04/05

Motion to Approve last week's minutes by Nikhil!

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

- 1.) Seriously, play IM sports or Diana will make a "GO YANKEES!" banner and hang it outside of Baker. Seriously, if we don't play IM sports, we get fined. Like, seriously, I'm sure many of you wouldn't want to see a "GO YANKEES!" banner.
- 2.) The Faculty Reception is tomorrow, so be sure to show up. Also, please don't rip down the nice posters Yonas made. It makes Yonas very sad to see such wanton destruction of property. Make Yonas happy everyone.
- 3.) Host Pre-frosh! They don't take up a lot of space, and you don't even have to feed them. Most are also housetrained.
- 4.) Camping trip this weekend. The fee is \$10, and the fee covers food and transportation. Read the House minutes below for more details.
- 5.) If you have (non-sucky) movie requests, fill out the request form at desk.
- 6.) Judcomm Butteries will be coming really really really really soon. So, keep on the lookout for Judcomm members and free food.
- 7.) SHOW UP TO PARTIES people throw in Baker. On a happy note, there will be a Happy Hour this Friday (6PM-7PM).
- 8.) Ashley Cousineau is the new Recycling Chair. Read her e-mail for all the details on Baker's recycling-related activities.
- 9.) DOOR ETIQUETTE: Don't poster all over doors that do not belong to you. Don't damage the doors with nails, staples, etc.
- 10.) AOTW (Athletes of the Week)*
 - Diana Wallin for coming up with the idea of having the Red Sox banner, and to all the people who helped her hang the banner on the side of Baker.
 - Prez, the legendary MIT student, for visiting the 3rd/4th Floor Party.

* Let's face it, this might be the only time these "athletes" ever get nominated for anything.

OLD BUSINESS:

- 1.) Piano Drop will be there next term. You can check out Pictures and videos from last year's piano drop from: <http://baker.mit.edu>
- 2.) If you are scheduling large, group events, remember to get the events cleared by Nikhil Nadkarni (nikhiln@mit.edu) first.

NEW BUSINESS:

None

APPROPRIATIONS:

- 1.) \$600.00 - Room/Floor to Room/Floor. (Giselle/Nikhil)
- 2.) \$110.29 - TV Room to TV Room. (Nikhil/Liz)
- 3.) \$5.91 - Kitchen to Kitchen. (Nikhil/Giselle)
- 4.) \$450.00 - Music Room to Music Room. (Nikhil/Giselle)
- 5.) \$1.78 - Movies to Movies. (Nikhil/Giselle)
- 6.) \$32.17 - Equipment to Equipment. (Diana/Nikhil)
- 7.) \$30.91 - Equipment to Equipment. (Diana/Nikhil)
- 8.) \$15.00 - IM Fees to IM Fees. (Diana/Nikhil)

Move to Adjourn: Jennifer

HOUSE MEETING 10/04/05

Motion to Approve last week's minutes by Jennifer!

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

- 1.) Play IM sports or Diana will make sure you don't see any llamas by scaring them away at the camping trip.
- 2.) Host pre-frosh in your rooms. Not having enough space in your room is not a good excuse. A coffin can easily fit about...four or five pre-frosh with more room to spare!
- 3.) Happy Hour is this Friday from 6PM to 7PM. Strong and able-bodied bouncers, aka non-Course 6 people, will guard the entrance to make sure unhappy people don't show up.
- 4.) Camping Trip is weekend. The cost is \$10, and you can pay Riva Bakal

(rbakal@mit.edu). All food and transportation is taken care off. There will be lunch, apple picking, and more fun. Tents will be provided, and you can bring problem sets to the trip if you want. Contact Riva if you have any more questions.

5.) The Faculty Reception is tomorrow from 5-6:30 in the top floor of Baker Dining (Baker Commons). There will be Catered food...from Baker Dining, so be sure to be there.

6.) Thanks to people who showed up the 3rd/4th party. A big un-Thanks to those of you who did not show up.

OLD BUSINESS:

1.) Faculty reception. I'm sure you've seen enough about this in this e-mail.

2.) Social etiquette: Act normal and don't horde food.

NEW BUSINESS:

1. FREP CANDIDATES:

- Shahar

She is very motivated and likes to get freshman involved with Baker stuff. She also prefers death by freezing, likes Coke, built an hourglass, relates most closely to a dog, and adores Green M&M's.

- Glenn

This football player likes Baker so much, he decided to not pledge. He is involved with a lot of Baker events, but he doesn't drink soda. He prefers death by freezing, would ask a Course 18 person about how much wood a woodchuck would chuck, and he benches about 305 lbs *, very supportive of piano drop, and also adores Green M&Ms.

* Kirupa benches about 10 lbs...for those who were eager to know.

2.) FRep elections are tomorrow from 9 till 6/7, and only Freshmen can vote. Convicted felons, who may also be freshmen, are eligible to vote in this election also.

3.) Ashley Cousineau is our new Recycling Chair, and she has made it her life-long goal to ensure more people recycle. Check out her e-mail for more details and information on recycling contests.

Move to Adjourn: Giselle

Cheers!
Kirupa =)

Subject: BAKER-MINUTES: ExecCon Broadcasted Live from Rm417!
From: Kirupa Chinnathambi <kirupa@MIT.EDU>
Date: 10/12/05 12:27 AM

To: baker-minutes@MIT.EDU

EXECCON MEETING 10/11/05

Motion to Approve last week's minutes by Nikhil!

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

- 1.) Play IM sports or Diana will chase you around Baker with a hockey stick. Speaking of hockey, Baker probably won't have a hockey team this year due to a lack of interest.
- 2.) Liz Jordan met ex-Bakerite Jennifer Peng. They had dinner. If anybody else has had an encounter with Jennifer Peng recently, please e-mail me at kirupa@mit.edu. It will probably make next week's announcements.
- 3.) Celebrate the great month of October with Octoberfest on Friday the 21st.
- 4.) Sha-Har is the new FRep, and Glenn is the new Social Chair. Feel free to e-mail them if you have any concerns, need help with your homework, or need a really big piano dragged up to the roof.
- 5.) The Scavenger Hunt is this weekend. It is always a lot of fun, and you get to scavenge around for stuff!
- 6.) Holiday party is in 53 days, so you have 53 days to ask/beg/pay for a date to hang out with you for a few hours in Baker Dining.
- 7.) No longer will Course 6 majors be forced to spend Friday and Saturday nights yearning for a good arcade game to play. The middle arcade machine is now working, thanks to George of 417.
- 8.) The floating bar needs to be "pimpd out". E-mail George, of Arcade repair fame, at gjcourt@mit.edu to help out.
- 9.) Judcomm Butteries coming really really really really really soon. Thursday October 23 to be exact! The Judcomm members will also be judging the best doors as they walk around all of the floors. So make sure your door has something on it - even if it is just your Athena print-out cover sheet.
- 10.) Ashley the Recycling Chair wants everyone to send in their best Recycling ideas or slogans. There is a \$25 gift certificate. Unlike past gift certificate prizes, this one is to Best Buy so it is actually worth taking the effort to redeem!
- 11.) You have less than 24 hours to request movies at desk. Unless you want to be stuck with more copies of "Eternal Sunshine of the Spotless Mind", please write in suggestions for movies that don't suck.

You can see a list of movies Baker currently has here:
<http://baker.mit.edu/movies.htm>

12.) AOTW (Athletes of the Week)*

- Dan Lopez is a diver.
- MIT Football made a comeback during the 2nd half to win.
- Riva Bakal for organizing a second "camping" trip.
- Those living in 417 for being one of the top placers in the game of laser tag.

* Pay an exec member \$5, and you too can be mentioned as an athlete!

OLD BIDNEZ:

None

NEW BUSINESS:

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- 1.) Satellite service coming to the basement TV really really soon. That means you all can watch the same episode of OC multiple times on the same day due to varying time zones. Yay!
 - 2.) After a bitterly contested election between two candidates who have an unnatural attraction to Green M&M's, Sha-Har is the new FRep.
 - 3.) The Baker Brunch is coming soon, so be sure to pester Sha-Har to get things organized for it!
 - 4.) NO SHOWERING. No matter how badly that freshman needs a shower before the first big Physics exam, showering is absolutely not allowed.

APPROPRIATIONS:

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- 1.) \$19.69 - Faculty Reception to Faculty Reception. (Yonas/Liz)
 - 2.) \$130.00 - House Meeting Food to House Meeting Food. (Yonas/Liz)
 - 3.) \$421.00 - TNK to TNK. (Giselle/Liz)
 - 4.) \$538.45 - Happy Hour to Happy Hour. (Giselle/Liz)
 - 5.) \$75.00 - Room to Floor to Room to Floor. (Giselle/Yonas)
 - 6.) \$12.09 - RAC to RAC. (Lizbeth/Yonas)
 - 7.) \$51.29 - Camping Trip to Camping Trip. (Lizbeth/Yonas)
 - 8.) \$14.18 - Camping Trip to Camping Trip. (Lizbeth/Yonas)
 - 9.) \$2.00 - Camping Trip to Camping Trip. (Lizbeth/Yonas)
 - 10.) \$1.00 - Jennifer to Jennifer. (Jennifer/Lizbeth)
 - 11.) \$342.00 - Camping Trip to Camping Trip. (Giselle/Lizbeth)
 - 12.) \$47.18 - Camping Trip to Camping Trip. (Giselle/Lizbeth)

Move to Adjourn: Lizbeth

Cheers!

Kirupa =)

Subject: BAKER-MINUTES: Execcon: Octoberfest, Getting a date for formal, and more!

From: Kirupa Chinnathambi <kirupa@MIT.EDU>

Date: 10/19/05 1:57 PM

To: baker-minutes@MIT.EDU

EXECCON MEETING 10/18/05

Motion to Approve last week's minutes by Nikhil!

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

- 1.) In Soviet Russia, IM sports play you. Unlike Soviet Russia, IM fines DO NOT pay you, so make sure to show up to IM Sports games if you signed up.
- 2.) Octoberfest is this Saturday night (as opposed to Friday as planned earlier.
- 3.) Pumpkin TNK is this Thursday. Riva won't be able to attend, so anybody who carves a pumpkin that looks like Riva will become AOTW next week.*

(no guarantees will be made)
- 4.) If you have a thirst for power, want to be more like Joe Gionta, or want to ensure that your current roommates live as far away from you as possible next term, sign up to be a RAC. Joe's e-mail + application should be in your inbox. You must be an 08 to apply.
- 5.) There is a recycling slogan contest, and the submitter of the best slogan gets a \$25 Best Buy Gift certficate. Future contest ideas include a recycling contest between floor, so stay tuned for more info.
- 6.) Judcomm Butteries coming really really really really really soon. The most recent data shows that they will be coming by your room this Thursday.
- 7.) 46 days till holiday party, so get a date. If you cannot find a date, a date will be provided for you.
- 8.) AOTW (Athletes of the Week)
- George. He knows why.

OLD BUSINESS:

- 1.) The basement TV will soon be getting satellite service. You will get more info from the VPFS after the installation and setup are complete.

2.) Baker Brunch soon. It will be organized by our new FRep Sha-Har.

3.) NO SHOWERING.

NEW BUSINESS:

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- 1.) We may go to the state park/go apple picking. The date will be announced. Apple picking is based on the hope that apples will still exist in a few weeks. If not, we can all take a hike...outdoors! Contact Riva (rbakal) if you have any suggestions or questions.

APPROPRIATIONS:

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1. \$133.23 - from Miscellaneous to Vacuum Cleaner (Nikhil/Diana)
 2. \$21.33 - TV Room to TV Room (Nikhil/Liz)
 3. \$76.63 - From Room Floor Party to Room Floor Party. (Kate/Chandra)

Move to Adjourn: Yonas/Lizabeth

Cheers!

Kirupa =)

Subject: BAKER-MINUTES: Gallon Challenge, George fixes Stapler, contact Riva.

From: Kirupa Chinnathambi <kirupa@MIT.EDU>

Date: 10/24/05 2:35 AM

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CC: kirupa@kirupa.com

EXECCON MEETING 10/23/05

Motion to Approve last week's minutes by Jen.

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

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- 1.) Play IM sports or Diana will drown you in the moat outside of Baker. Ice skates will be sharpened on Monday, so you will be able to check them out from Baker desk.
 - 2.) The Halloween Party is this Saturday. Expect more details from the Social Chairs soon.
 - 3.) Pumpkin TNK pictures are up on baker.mit.edu, so check out all the fun pictures if were unable to attend.
 - 4.) Stop stealing kitchen stuff or else Jennifer Hernandez will steal your computer.

5.) AOTW (Athletes of the Week)*

- Kirupa for throwing an empty, two-gallon Coke bottle into the recycling bin from about 20 feet away.
- Giselle, Kate, and Glenn for cooking 10 billion sausages, 30 gallons of gravy, and a few hundred pounds of mashed potatoes.
- Giselle for successfully doing 25 push-ups.
- George for fixing a stapler...
- Football team for actually winning games.

(*CLARIFICATION: \$5 should be paid to Kirupa if you want to be mentioned as an AOTW. If you paid someone other than Kirupa, you won't be mentioned in the future.)

OLD BUSINESS:

- 1.) Since apples probably won't be available for the picking any more, contact Riva if you have any ideas on what other fun activity can be done outdoors in the cold November weather.

NEW BUSINESS:

- 1.) If you have any ideas on what we can do in future TNK's, contact Riva. If you do not have any future TNK ideas, contact Riva anyway.
- 2.) At the next house meeting, we will discuss whether if you all would be interested in having an acapella group or if you all would prefer spending the money on something else.
- 3.) In order to mourn Harry's departure, the gallon challenge will still go on. Expect to see more details in the upcoming days, weeks, and months.
- 4.) How would you like to wear Baker boxers? If anybody wants to search for boxer designs that have bricks on them, contact...you guessed it...Riva!

APPROPRIATIONS:

1. \$271.30 - Octoberfest to Octoberfest. (Kate/Glenn)
2. \$35.00 - IM Fees to Hockey Fees. (Diana/Yonas)

Move to Adjourn: Jennifer/Kate

Cheers!

Kirupa =)

Subject: BAKER-MINUTES: ExecCon from 501: Battle of the Classes/Yearbook Picture/etc.

From: Kirupa Chinnathambi <kirupa@MIT.EDU>

Date: 10/31/05 12:26 AM

To: baker-minutes@MIT.EDU

EXECCON MEETING 10/30/05

Motion to Approve last week's minutes by Giselle.

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

- 1.) There is a contest to design jerseys for the Baker Hockey team. Contact Diana Wallin with more information and/or to submit designs. The winner will receive a free hockey jersey and probably won't be bullied by Diana for missing IM sports games.
- 2.) Progressive is on Thursday the 10th. There is no school Friday, so you can still do your problem sets and make it to the event. Battle of the classes will be held during this time, so come prepared. The 6th floor has been nominated to hold this event.
- 3.) You have 34 days until the Holiday Formal. In other words, Course 6 majors have 34 days to design/build/program/debug a date for the party.
- 4.) Bad job to those who showed up without costumes for trick-or-treating. Nobody knows the name of the winner is, but we do know it was an axe-murderer.
- 5.) All of the sports equipment has been cleaned up, so feel free to check them out of Baker from the front desk.
- 6.) Yearbook picture will be retaken due to various technical issues. If you weren't there for the first picture taking event, and there is A GOOD CHANCE you weren't, you have a second chance at being in the picture. The date will be announced.
- 7.) Athletes of the Week
 - MIT Water Polo Team.
 - Jules from the Dance team for placing 3rd and 4th in separate dances.
 - Nate Ball for bringing an X-Men arcade machine.
 - Sailing team for sailing through the snow.
 - George for almost fixing something.

OLD BUSINESS:

- 1.) If you have any ideas for future TNKs, contact Riva.
- 2.) During the Next House meeting, we will discuss whether the Holiday Formal will have an acappella group.
- 3.) The Gallon Challenge will go on. More details will be provided shortly, but it isn't too early to start preparing. The competition will be fierce.
- 4.) If you find boxer designs resembling bricks (the hollow stuff covering our

walls...not the cute, lovable printer), contact Riva.

NEW BUSINESS:

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- 1.) Baker is looking for more house fellows, so if you have any suggestions, send Riva an e-mail. Our current house fellows are Les Norford (5th Floor) and Will & Myra (6th Floor).
 - 2.) What does Baker own? Good question! All execon members should catalog all of the non-furniture related Baker items in their possession. Whoever has the gorilla costume from the i3 video shoot should return it to Nikhil.
 - 3.) If anybody wants to be a Community Service Chair, contact Riva.

APPROPRIATIONS:

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- 1.) \$26.78 from Miscellaneous to Music Room. (Nikhil / Liz)
 - 2.) \$64.38 from DVDs to DVDs. (Nikhil / Liz)
 - 3.) \$19.98 from Miscellaneous to Miscellaneous. (Nikhil / Liz)
 - 4.) \$162.69 from Halloween Party to Halloween Party. (Kate / Liz)
 - 5.) \$98.84 from Butteries to Butteries.
 - 6.) \$15.96 from Butteries to Butteries.

Move to Adjourn: Yonas

Cheers!

Kirupa =)

Subject: BAKER-MINUTES: Corrections: TNK next Thursday

From: "Kirupa Chinnathambi" <kirupa@MIT.EDU>

Date: 11/7/05 12:18 PM

To: <baker-minutes@MIT.EDU>

Hi everyone,

I incorrectly mentioned that the TNK will be this Thursday in the Baker Minutes. The TNK is actually on November 17th, next Thursday.

Cheers!

Kirupa =)

Subject: BAKER-MINUTES: Stolen Jackets, House Meeting, X-Men, Jets Suck.

From: Kirupa Chinnathambi <kirupa@MIT.EDU>

Date: 11/7/05 12:49 AM

To: baker-minutes@MIT.EDU

EXECCON MEETING 11/06/05

Motion to Approve last week's minutes by Giselle.

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

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- 1.) Hockey jersey designs are due Friday. Play IM sports or Diana will "ensure" that more PBE shirts and beige corduroy jackets go missing.
 - 2.) Progress will be made somewhere at sometime this Thursday. Where will you be when it happens? I don't know about you, but I know a few people who will be congregating in the 6th east lounge on that evening.
 - 3.) TNK is this Thursday. The theme is Thanksgiving so be thankful and show up to the event.
 - 4.) If you find Bricks running low on toner, please thank Aaron Cheung for printing 70+ solid black pages. He even ensured that the solid black pages contained a thin, small white stripe in them. What a trooper!
 - 5.) Do you know who the new RAC is? Well, Joe Gionta and Rebecca Sampson do! They will make their announcement at the House Meeting tomorrow. Remember, the RACs have the power to decide where you live within Baker. E-mail addresses for sending bribes will be provided after the RAC announcement.
 - 6.) Baker Brunch is Tuesday, November 15th. The time will be announced shortly. Contact Sha-Har at sadmoni@mit.edu if you have any questions.
 - 7.) Atheletes of the Week (AOTW)
 - Well, Elle, and Baker Hikers for biking up Mt. Liberty in NH.
 - Soccer team for doing well.
 - The New York Jets for losing again. Yes!
 - Everyone involved with getting the X-Men arcade setup in the basement: Josh Fiala's ex-Roommate, Nate Ball, George (of Stapler Fixing Fame), Amrik, and Howard.

OLD BUSINESS:

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- 1.) Baker is actively looking for House Fellows. E-mails are being sent out to potential house fellow candidates, so stay alert for any updates.
 - 2.) Baker inventory will be taken during IAP, so if you have a stash of items that belong to Baker, now would be a good time to start confessing.
 - 3.) Information on who will be the Community Service Chair will be provided during the House Meeting tomorrow. Speaking of which, the House Meetings are always fun/food filled events, so be sure to attend.

NEW BUSINESS:

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- 1.) Baker boxer designs and related work will be co-ordinated during IAP. Keep an eye out on your e-mail for more info.
 - 2.) Since the camping trip earlier was cancelled due to weather, if anybody has any ideas on where else to go before Thanksgiving, contact Riva.
 - 3.) The Piano Drop will go on! If you are interested in helping co-ordinate the piano drop, contact Riva.

- 4.) A new sewing machine is available for all of your sewing needs. Once a suitable location is found to store the sewing machine, you all should be able to use it.

APPROPRIATIONS:

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- 1.) \$519.80 - Faculty Reception to Faculty Reception. (Yonas, Liz)
 - 2.) \$199.00 - Miscellaneous to Sewing Machine (Nikhil, Liz)
 - 3.) \$200 - Camping Trip to Trivia Hunt and Prizes (Kate, Liz)
 - 4.) \$25 - Halloween Party to Halloween Party (Gizelle, Liz)
 - 5.) \$113.58 - Octoberfest to Octoberfest (Giselle, Liz)
 - 6.) \$10 - Octoberfest to Octoberfest (Giselle, Liz)

Move to Adjourn: Yonas

Cheers!

Kirupa =)

Subject: BAKER-MINUTES: Printer, Brian Malley, Party, Trivia Winners

From: Kirupa Chinnathambi <kirupa@MIT.EDU>

Date: 11/8/05 9:44 PM

To: baker-minutes@MIT.EDU

HOUSE MEETING 11/07/05

- 1.) We are looking for hockey jersey designs. Please submit all entries to Diana Wallin by midnight on Friday. If you do not submit a design, Diana will forcibly prevent you from watching Harry Potter at the IMAX screen.
- 2.) The new rooming chair is Brian Malley. It is in everyone's best interest to do nice things for him, since he has the power to decide where you will be living next term. Brian should be sending out more info on what tasks you all can do to get on his good side.
- 3.) The holiday party is in 26 days! If you cannot find a date, a date will be provided for you. It is in your best interest to find a date though (see #4 below).
- 4.) Do you like the pry into other people's lives? If you do, then you should join other like-minded people such as Kate West and Riva Bakal and help arrange dates for the Holiday Party.
- 5.) The Baker trivia winners are Glenn, Zaven, and Sha-Har. If you all have any pset questions or need help with your classwork, feel free to ask them. They have clearly proven themselves capable of tackling the tough problems an MIT education demands of them.

OLD BUSINESS:

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- 1.) The faculty reception has already taken place, so if you were unable to attend, don't fret, for there will be another one next term!

NEW BUSINESS:

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- 1.) If you all have any ideas on future Baker trips, send your suggestions to Riva. Since this term is almost over, trips will take place probably next term.
 - 2.) House fellow candidates for each floor will be contacted shortly. So, do not be afraid if sketchy Professors whose first names do not contain the letters V, A, D, A are seen wandering the hallways.
 - 3.) Do you want to wear more Baker-branded clothes? I'm sure you do! Items we may consider purchasing are sweatshirts, t-shirts, and other related stuff. More information will be provided shortly.
 - 4.) During the holiday party, we may provide more glassware as opposed to having an acapella group. The reason is, while acapella music is transient, glassware lives forever.
 - 5.) Would anybody be interested in having a photo printer in Baker? We may be getting one soon. Solid black pictures with a tiny white stripe will not be allowed.

Move to Adjourn: Melissa Shin

Cheers!

Kirupa =)

Subject: BAKER-MINUTES: Gallon Challenge, TNK (for real), Progression, Leslie!

From: Kirupa Chinnathambi <kirupa@MIT.EDU>

Date: 11/14/05 9:23 PM

To: baker-minutes@MIT.EDU

EXECCON MEETING 11/13/05

Motion to Approve last week's minutes by Kate.

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

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- 1.) 20 days till the Holiday Party, so be sure to find a date. If you can't find a date, a date will mysteriously be assigned to you.
 - 2.) Do you like to chug a whole gallon of milk? Or, do you like to watch people chug, and occasionally unchug, a gallon of milk? If you answered

"yes" to any of the questions, you are invited to be a part of the Gallon Challenge on November 22nd at 10PM in Baker Dining.

Sign-up sheets will be located in the lobby.

- 3.) The Baker Brunch is tentatively scheduled to take place THIS TUESDAY. You MAY be receiving more information shortly.
- 4.) Thanks to all of the 6th floor residents who helped Progress Baker on that memorable evening. The Progressing was SO GOOD that it had to be shut down at 12:30.
- 5.) The Thanksgiving TNK is Thursday....and Kirupa isn't kidding! If any of you showed up last Thursday based on the faulty info in last week's Baker Minutes, just remember, this week's TNK will probably be a LOT more fun!
- 7.) Athletes of the Week (AOTW)
 - Leslie Rozeboom for probably taking the rap for the excellent Progressing that took place last week.
 - Freshmen class for outprogressing all of the other classes. Way to make Baker proud!
 - The Baker 2007 Dodgeball team for coming in 3rd place.

OLD BUSINESS:

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- 1.) Baker boxer designs and related work will be co-ordinated during IAP. Keep an eye out on your e-mail for more info.
 - 2.) Since the camping trip earlier was cancelled due to weather, if anybody has any ideas on where else to go before Thanksgiving, contact Riva.
 - 3.) The Piano Drop will go on! If you are interested in helping co-ordinate the piano drop, contact Riva.
 - 4.) A new sewing machine is available for all of your sewing needs. Once a suitable location is found to store the sewing machine, you all should be able to use it.

NEW BUSINESS:

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- 1.) Due to the lack of sound proofing in the music room, the times for playing loud instruments will be announced soon.
 - 2.) The satellite dish ordeal has been settled. Baker will soon have at least 120 channels including perennial favorites such as the History Channel, Animal Planet, and...sigh....ESPN and Fox Sports.
 - 3.) The Holiday Party will feature an acapella performance by Resonance. Don't worry though, you will ALSO be receiving Baker glassware just for showing up and staying.

APPROPRIATIONS:

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- 1.) \$128.00 - House Meeting food to House Meeting food. (Yonas/Liz)

- 2.) \$46.84 - ExecCon Food to ExecCon Food. (Yonas/Liz)
- 3.) \$149.64 - from Closed Party to Closed Party. (Kate/Liz)
- 4.) \$16.00 - from Equipment to Equipment. (Diana/Liz)
- 5.) \$275.00 - from TNK to TNK. (Giselle/Liz)

Move to Adjourn: Sha-Har

Cheers!

Kirupa =)

Subject: BAKER-MINUTES: Gallon Challenge, TV/Satellite, Sewing Machine, 80's Music

From: Kirupa Chinnathambi <kirupa@MIT.EDU>

Date: 11/26/05 1:19 PM

To: baker-minutes@MIT.EDU

EXECCON MEETING 11/20/05

Motion to Approve last week's minutes by Giselle

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

- 1.) The Gallon challenge is today. Gallons of milk are no challenge to the brave souls who will stare lactose straight in the eye. Watch the chugging and unchugging at Baker D tonight at 10 PM.

UPDATE: Congrats to Sam Davenport and Brian Schmidt for not letting massive amounts of lactate get the better of them.

- 2.) The Holiday party is sometime soon. Find a date or risk having a date be assigned to you. There will be some acapella music, DJ Fishticks, glass ware, and great (aka non Baker Dining) food. You have absolutely no excuse for not showing up.
- 3.) Do you like to sneak around Baker videotaping stuff? Would you like to put those talents towards the Baker i3 video? If you were planning on saying yes, contact Nikhil to get a hold of the video camera. We need interesting stuff to put in our i3 video so future freshman will get to share in the goodness that is Baker.
- 4.) Congrats to Sha-Har for the successful brunch. The waffles were very good. If you want more homemade waffles, feel free to show up with a plate to either Sha-Har's or Liz Jordan's rooms any time of the week. I'm sure they won't mind...
- 5.) Are you an engineering student who wishes that sewing was an integral part of the curriculum? Neither am I, BUT if you are/were/will be, there is a sewing machine that you can use for all of your sewing needs. Contact Nikhil, the gatekeeper to the sewing machine, for access to it.

6.) Athelets of the Week (AOTW)

- Chris Cassa for cooking Thanksgiving Dinner for a whole village. The people of the village are thankful, and so they thanked him in the only way they could - by bestowing upon him the honor of Athlete of the Week.

OLD BUSINESS:

- 1.) Due to the lack of sound proofing in the music room, the times for playing loud instruments will be announced soon. No amps after 10 PM, and noise pads for the drums will be provided soon.
- 2.) Satellite Dish service should be back soon thanks to Nikhil, Chandra, and Chris Cassa.
- 3.) Show up for the Holiday Party or Katie will play, in her opinion, excellent 80's music from outside your door while you are studying or trying to write that 8 page paper.

APPROPRIATIONS:

- 1.) \$75.00 - From Room/Floor Party to Room/Floor Party (Kate/Liz)
- 2.) \$82.86 - From Room/Floor Party to Room/Floor Party (Kate/Liz)
- 3.) \$430.65 - From TNK to TNK (Kate / Liz)

Move to Adjourn: Yonas

Cheers!

Kirupa =)

Subject: BAKER-MINUTES: Date for Holiday Party / No Piano during Baker Dining Hours / Santa

From: Kirupa Chinnathambi <kirupa@MIT.EDU>

Date: 11/28/05 1:46 AM

To: baker-minutes@MIT.EDU

EXECCON MEETING 11/27/05

Motion to Approve last week's minutes by Jennifer

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

- 1.) The Holiday Party is this Saturday. There will be some great music from Resonance and DJ FishStix. You will also receive glassware for showing up. Santa will be taking a break to show up to our party, so be sure to bring your wishlist.
- 2.) If you already have a date planned/programmed for Saturday, be sure to e-mail Riva at rbakal@mit.edu with your date's name. If you do not e-mail

her by Tuesday night, a date will be assigned to you.

- 3.) The music room hours will be from 10 AM to 10 PM unless you receive permission from Adam (1st floor GRT). You cannot play drums without pads, nor are you allowed to play anything with amps.

NO PIANO PLAYING WILL BE ALLOWED during Baker Dining hours unless you are taking requests.

- 4.) Athletes of the Week (AOTW)

- Sam Davenport and Brian Schmidt for winning the Baker Gallon Challenge 05. They should be receiving some prizes worthy of their efforts. Contact Nikhil (nikhiln) for information on what their prizes will be! ;)

OLD BUSINESS:

- 1.) NONE

NEW BUSINESS:

- 1.) You all should expect to see a Christmas tree in Baker Dining by next week. These trees do not decorate themselves, so more information will be provided on how you can help out with the decorating.
- 2.) If you have no athletic skills whatsoever, and chances are high you don't, you should look forward to Snowtubing this IAP. I hear it requires very little physical ability, so even I (Kirupa) can sign up. That's amazing!

APPROPRIATIONS:

- 1.) \$79.14 - From Room/Floor Party to Room/Floor Party (Kate/Liz)

Move to Adjourn: Jennifer/Melissa/Nikhil

Cheers!

Kirupa =)

Subject: BAKER-MINUTES: Scrapbook / Room Service / Event on Saturday

From: Kirupa Chinnathambi <kirupa@MIT.EDU>

Date: 12/5/05 1:22 AM

To: baker-minutes@MIT.EDU

CC: kirupa@kirupa.com

EXECCON MEETING 12/05/2005

Motion to Approve last week's minutes by Jennifer

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

- 1.) Please return any IM equipment that you may have borrowed this term. Also, 15 people signed up for basketball, but only 4 people showed up. Remember, Diana has the names of the 11 people who did not show up. Unless you want bad things happening to your computer, you should make sure Diana is happy.

Finally, hockey jerseys are here! Look out for Diana's e-mail on how to purchase them.

- 2.) President Susan Hockfield may visit Baker sometime NEXT year. So....start planning on being there now!
- 3.) Room Service will be held on December 14th. Make sure to be in your room, and Glenn, Kate, and Giselle will try to scare you with "refreshments".
- 4.) Next ExecCon will be the last one of the term! I can still make-up Baker Minutes (like I always do) if there is enough demand over the break.
- 5.) Athletes of the Week (AOTW)

- MIT Basketball Team

- George C, Brian M, Nikhil N, David D, and Glenn G for helping transport a piano for an upcoming Baker Piano Drop. Though, we really know all of the heavy lifting was done by Nikhil.*

* Read Nikhil's e-mail sent on 9/05/2005 @ 6:56 PM

OLD BUSINESS:

- 1.) Christmas tree in Baker Dining.
- 2.) Snowtubing for the athletically challenged (Course 6 majors, et al) may take place during IAP.

NEW BUSINESS:

- 1.) We are planning on making a scrapbook and sending it out to Zach's parents. More information can be found in Riva's e-mail sent a few hours ago.
- 2.) There may be an informal gathering on Saturday to replace the holiday party. More details will be provided soon.
- 3.) Chris Cassa - we officially apologize for eating all of the meatballs you bought. It was an accident...

APPROPRIATIONS:

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- 1.) \$73.71 - from Room/Floor to Room/Floor (Kate/Liz)
- 2.) \$997.92 - from Holiday Party to Holiday Party (Kate/Liz)
- 3.) \$91.90 - from Progressive to Progressive (Kate/Liz)
- 4.) \$233.08 - from Piana Drop to Piana Drop. (Nikhil/Liz)
- 5.) \$145.91 - from Exercise Room to Exercise Room. (Nikhil/Liz)

6.) \$500.00 - from Holiday Party to Holiday Party. (Jenn/Liz)

Move to Adjourn: Kate

Cheers!

Kirupa =)

Subject: BAKER-MINUTES: Room Service / Mystery Hunt / Ball-In-A-Cup

From: kirupa@MIT.EDU

Date: 12/13/05 11:44 PM

To: baker-minutes@MIT.EDU

EXECCON MEETING 12/13/05

Motion to Approve last week's minutes by Giselle.

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

- 1.) Room service is this Wednesday. Be sure to be in your rooms around 7PM.
Giselle and Katie* will be handing out drinks and glassware.

*Maybe Giselle, but Katie will probably throw the glasses at you.

- 2.) While many of you may have considered getting loved ones Baker Hockey Jerseys for Christmas, alas, that won't happen. Diana Wallin regretfully informed us that the jerseys will be available during IAP.

- 3.) Are you tired of interactive, electronic games? If so, Baker now has Risk, Boggle, Trouble, Jenga,...and two sleeping bags available for you to check out. Next week, we may even get Ball-In-A-Cup*

*Family Guy reference

- 4.) We may have another Smores-related event this Sunday, so eagerly watch your e-mail inboxes for it.

- 5.) The MIT Mystery Hunt will take place on January 13th - 15th. If you wish to join the Baker Team, please send an e-mail to Diana (dwalling).

- 6.) AOTW (Athletes of the Week)*

- All the musically talented people in Baker.
- Glenn Geesman and Ryan Brunswick for walking naked across the 6th floor.
- DragonLady (TM) for putting an end to Glenn and Ryan's naked parade.

OLD BIZNESS:

- 1.) Scrapbook - you should have already turned your entries into Riva by now.

- 2.) The highly anticipated informal gathering was the Smores event near the Baker fireplace.
- 3.) Chris Cassa accepted the apology mentioned in last week's Baker Minutes.

NEW BUSINESS:

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- 1.) During IAP, all Exec members will be taking inventory of all things in Baker. If you have things such as Baker Movies, sports equipment, etc., please return them soon. Or else we may set Jen Hernandez on you.

APPROPRIATIONS:

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- 1.) \$41.15 - ExecFood to ExecFood. (Yonas/Liz)
 - 2.) \$84.00 - House Meeting food to House Meeting food. (Yonas/Liz)
----- Rest of the VPIR budget will go to Yonas.
 - 3.) \$959.97 - Miscellaneous to Miscellaneous. (Nikhil / Liz)
 - 4.) \$116.47 - Gameroom to Gameroom. (Nikhil / Liz)
----- Rest of the VPFS budget will go to Nikhil for Trucking School Expenses.

Move to Adjourn: Diana

Cheers!
Kirupa =)
Subject: BAKER-MINUTES: TNKs, Recycolympics, i3 video
From: Sha-har Admoni <sadmoni@MIT.EDU>
Date: 2/21/06 9:18 AM
To: baker-minutes@MIT.EDU

EXECCON MEETING 2/19/06

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

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- 1.) Play IM sports or Diana will check out the spare key to your room and wake you up in the middle of the night. Repeatedly.
 - 2.) Check out baker.mit.edu for a picture of a naked Bakerite.*
 - 3.) AOTW (Athletes of the Week)
 - Glenn for not wearing a coat all winter
 - Sasha Brophy for winning NEWMAC â€œ a real Baker athlete

*Maybe not, but Dave Nole was, in fact, naked at the Execcon meeting.

OLD BUSINESS:

- Inventory: All exec members should take inventory of what they have.

NEW BUSINESS:

1.) Yay for new exec! Nikhil says he's happy about the new exec (even though all the new members were running unopposed).

2.) Running for treasurer:

-Jennifer:

-current treasurer

-not Jewish

-favorite Jewish person: Riva

-Kevin:

-knows what debit/credit is

-is half Russian Jew

-Jennifer wins

3.) Running for secretary:

-Katherine:

-likes Baker

-GWAM (generated word average per minute) unknown

-will

-thinks Kirupa is a girl

-Sha-har:

-has been writing for most of her life

-was on Execon this past semester

-very neat/structured

-has a laptop, will be typing

-Sha-har wins

4.) Nikhil is still happy with the new Exec. Talk to them if you need help with anything: planning, moving stuff, finding stuff, p-sets.

5.) Scheduling: -preliminary social calendar should be finished by next Sunday. Get excited.

-there will be another faculty reception soon so start stalking Sadoway to find out when he's free so that we can schedule it around him

-Suggestions for President's trip: Paintball, Bruins game, rock climbing, all of the above?

-CPW events will be planned soon too.

6.) Judcomm: -elections in 2 weeks

-interested? Contact the chair, Nathalie Pinkerton for info or pick up a petition from Nikhil.

-What is Judcomm? It's the Judicial Committee, which keeps Baker running smoothly, mediates problems, and keeps Baker inside Baker.

-Consists of 4 members and a chair

7.) Budget. Will be presented quite soon.

8.) Recycolympics: Come to a recycling TNK to show everyone that you can throw bottles into trash cans (you know you do it). There will be food and fun! Want to help out? Contact Ashley Cousineau, and look out for e-mails if you want to compete.

9.) Dining Chair/Committee:

-Weâ€™re looking for two dining chairs: one for better food, and one to find out if we should change the way Preferred Dining is run. Contact Nikhil if youâ€™re interested, and check your email soon.

10.) TNKs!

-THIS Thursday (2/23). Show us what youâ€™re made of at the Salsa TNK.

-Thursday, 3/2, come meet the new Execcon. They donâ€™t bite, we swear.

-Ideas for a TNK? Talk to a GRT.

11.) i3 video

-Any interesting footage of something that happened in Baker or related to Baker? Please donate your footage so that we have more freshmen to play with next year.

-Any PICTURES of anything baker related? (We know you have themâ€¦weâ€™ve seen your facebook photo albums) Send them our way.

-Want to help make the video? Even better. Speak to Nikhil.

APPROPRIATIONS: None.

Move to Adjourn: Lizbeth

Thanks for reading,
Sha-har

Subject: BAKER-MINUTES: Regress, Bunnies, Social Calendar

From: Sha-har Admoni <sadmoni@MIT.EDU>

Date: 2/28/06 4:41 PM

To: baker-minutes@MIT.EDU

EXECCON MEETING 2/26/06

Motion To Approve last week's minutes: Jen (and Yonas)/Nathalie

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

1.) Play IM sports or Diana will not let you regress on Saturday.

2.) Run for Judcomm, talk to Nikhil in 634

3.) Get well soon to Ashley's bunnies

- 4.) Regressive this Saturday on the 5th floor
- 5.) Want to know what a telescope party is? Ask Jen Hernandez
- 6.) AOTW: Steve (Rachel's bf) for coming all the way from NJ for this meeting
 - The freshman who paid for a lost DVD
 - Men's basketball team for making it to the finals
- 7.) Un-athletes: People who yell at CP

OLD BUSINESS:

- 1.) Run for Judcomm
- 2.) Recycolympics on March 22, with glassware (recycling shotglasses) for the winning team's floor
- 3.) Good salsa TNK run by Eileen last Thursday!
- 4.) Execcon TNK(Q&A then mingling) this Thursday (the 2nd). Read Chris Cassa's email for more info
- 5.) i3 video: if you have any more video footage or pictures to Joy and Sharmeen. Or if you (aka freshmen) have any feedback about last year's i3 video or any rush stuff, talk to Joy and Sharmeen.

NEW BUSINESS:

- 1.) Budget
 - president (Nikhil): \$3750
 - VPFS (Howard): \$3650
 - VPIR (Yonas): \$1150
 - Judcomm (Nathalie): \$150
 - VPRO (Joy and Sharmeen): \$4450
 - Social (Ashley and Glenn): \$14769.69
 - Athletic (Diana): \$1400
- 2.) One new dining chair: David Dryjanski. Talk to him if you need someone to rant about Baker dining to. The other new dining chair to be decided next week.
- 3.) Social calendar: will be put in mailboxes this week, so check your mailbox!
- 4.) AXO fondue
 - Co-sponsor, all proceeds to Cambridge YWCA, residential center for women who are victims of domestic abuse
 - Vote 5 for, 0 against, 3 abstain
- 5.) Automated desk coming soon
 - Barcodes, so no unclaimed lost DVDs
 - Tagged items, so we know where everything is
 - Guest list, so your non-Baker boyfriend (or girlfriend) can come to see you

APPROPRIATIONS: None.

Move to Adjourn: Jen/Diana

Subject: BAKER-MINUTES: Meet the Judcomm Candidates
From: Shahar Admoni <sadmoni@MIT.EDU>
Date: 3/7/06 12:48 PM
To: baker-minutes@MIT.EDU

EXECCON MEETING

Motion To Approve Last Week's Minutes: Yonas

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

- 1.) Ming Leong's birthday; Happy Birthday! On Thursday, her Birthday, we are "Our Friend Jack's" concert Thursday at All Asia. Will be leaving at 7:30 PM.
- 2.) Judcomm elections tomorrow (Tuesday). Be sure to vote.
- 3.) Play IM Sports. Ultimate frisbee due Saturday, Softball is due Thursday, and Phi Cup is due Friday.
- 4.) MBPP t-shirts will go for \$10.
- 5.) Speaking of which, MBPP is March 17 (Friday).
- 6.) Recycolympics - March 22nd, Wednesday at 10 pm.
- 7.) Sixth floor party on April 15th; April 21st there will be a Spring Formal.
- 8.) AOTW:
 - Kirupa for his cameo role as secretary.

New Business:

- 1.) Tina Srivastava is interested in being the 2nd dining chair. Will work on quality. Tina is social chair for the 09 class. Is familiar with organizing things, knows a lot of people in Baker, what needs to be changed, etc. Is optimistic enough to not be bothered by people who do nothing but complain. David Dryjanski is involved with the policy aspect of things. Unanimously voted dining co-chair.
- 2.) Judcomm elections. Vote and tell people to vote.

HOUSE MEETING

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- 1.) Play IM sports; Phi cup coming up, \$5 entry cost
- 2.) Lots of parties coming up; check announcements
- 3.) Artistic? Help make a banner for MBPP For lobby 7

4.) Gallon challenge winner prizes

NEW BUSINESS

1.) Budget for the spring

President (Nikhil) \$3750

VPIR (Yonas) \$1199

Social (Ashley and Glenn) \$14769.69

Athletic (Diana) \$1400

Judcomm (Nathalie) \$150

VPRO (Sharmeen and Joy) \$4450

VPFS (Howard) \$4180

Secretary (Sha-har) \$0

Treasurer (Jen) \$1

Total: \$29869.69

Budget 33 for, 0 opposed, 1 abstention.

Budget passes.

2.) Judcomm elections tomorrow. The six candidates for four spots are:

1. George Courtsunis

-can bridge that gap between people

-keeping baker calm, friendly

-will feed Nathalie chocolate

-wants to push the bar he built around for butteries

2. Jennifer Hernandez

-doesn't sleep

-good at yelling at people

-will make sure peoples' pets don't go into other peoples' rooms

3. Katrina Kimovec

-self proclaimed 'scary mofo'

-doesn't like unicorn giggles or dogs

-be naked if people are OK with it

-believes in Bible justice

4. Rachel Kolesnikov-Lindsey

-really intimidating

-if they can't say her name, they're gonna run

-can bench press a solid 50 pounds

-lives on the second floor, where all the action happens

5. Brian Malley

-dislikes the number zero

-was on Judcomm last year

-believes Judcomm is a verb? as in, 'I can Judcomm your ass'

-no hazing in Baker

6. Christi Winiarz

-current member of Judcomm and would like to stay there

-good at mitigating conflicts between people

-the fine for throwing a neighbor off the roof depends on what neighbor.

MTA: Chandra/Nathalie

Subject: BAKER-MINUTES: 3/12/06 New feature: quote of the week, MBPP, Baker Gouse
From: Sha-har Admoni <sadmoni@MIT.EDU>
Date: 3/14/06 10:37 PM
To: baker-minutes@MIT.EDU

EXECCON MEETING 3/12/06

Motion To Approve last week's minutes: Diana/Joy

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

- 1.) Play IM sports or Diana will break your door down with the new music stand (go see it in the music room).
- 2.) Congrats to new Judcomm members: George, Rachel, Brian, Christi
- 3.) Butteries floors 1-3 Tuesday, 4-6 Wednesday
- 4.) President's trip Saturday to Improv Asylum 7-10 pm. Sign up now!
- 5.) Phi cup game Monday 7pm.
- 6.) i3 video is done!
- 7.) Ultimate Frisbee due Sunday
- 8.) AOTW: Joy and Sharmeen for finishing the i3 video in one day
- 9.) Unathlete: Chris Becker for stealing lots of "æjello"
- 10.) Quote of the week: "Taste the rainbow" (ask someone who was at the happy hour last week)

OLD BUSY NESS:

- 1.) Tina is the second dining chair. Harass her...or just talk to her...about your dining concerns.
- 2.) Judcomm still had elections.

NEW BUSY NESS:

- 1.) i3 video viewing
- 2.) Exec retreat sometime later this semester or in the fall.
- 3.) Faculty fellows: Faculty members who are invited to Baker TNKs, study breaks, etc. and can run one if they want.
- 4.) Floor fellows! Fifth and sixth already have floor fellows, so 1 to 4 need to step it up! Let exec and/or GRTs know if you want someone to be your floor fellow. They can help you.
- 5.) Potential TNK: GRT bake-off. You can ogle at your GRTs as they try to impress you with their cooking skills. And then you get to eat their food.
- 6.) There is a list of alumni to contact, which Yonas will be doing shortly. Let him know if you have any input on how to contact alums.
- 7.) Faculty reception will be after spring break, so start stalking your favorite professors to find out when they're

usually free.

- 8.) There will be a drop poster for lobby 7. Go see it, there are leprechauns.
- 9.) Want to know what "Baker Gouse" is? Stay tuned.
- 10.) Social calendar: Happy hour moved to the 21st of April. Spring formal on the 22nd.
- 11.) CPW BBQ (April 9th) with Pi Lams.

APPROPRIATIONS:

- 1.) \$125 - house meeting food to house meeting food (Yonas/Diana)
- 2.) \$35.18 Â game room to game room (Howard/Yonas)
- 3.) \$73.46 Â game room to game room (Howard/Yonas)
- 4.) \$2.98 Â misc to misc. (Howard/Diana)
- 5.) \$54.98 Â TV room to TV room (Howard/Yonas)
- 6.) \$34.99 Â game room to game room (Howard/Yonas)
- 7.) \$104.99 Â misc to misc (Howard/Diana)
- 8.) \$38.50 Â special stock to special stock (Ashley/Glenn)
- 9.) \$958.07 Â room/floor to room/floor (Ashley/Glenn)
- 10.) \$267.01 Â HH to HH (Ashley/Glenn)
- 11.) \$3529.57 Â MBPP to MBPP (Ashley/Glenn)

Motion to adjourn: Yonas/Diana

Subject: BAKER-MINUTES: 3/19/06: Nathalie's Professor has a crush on her
From: Sha-har Admoni <sadmoni@MIT.EDU>
Date: 3/21/06 8:10 AM
To: baker-minutes@MIT.EDU

E.X.E.C.C.O.N M.E.E.T.I.N.G 3/19/06

Motion To Approve last week's minutes: Nathalie/Joy

A.N.N.O.U.N.C.E.M.E.N.T.S:

- 1.) Play IM sports or Diana won't let you leave campus during spring break.
- 2.) Piano drop is on its way. The piano needs to be thrown onto something, so if you want to volunteer, talk to Howard.
- 3.) Butteries happened.
- 4.) Have a nice spring break.
- 5.) Come to Baker events!! For real.
- 6.) AOTW: Ashley and Glenn for putting on an awesome MBPP.
Brian Malley for eating a whole 16 inch sub on the subway before even getting back to Baker.
Everyone who sang karaoke.
- 7.) Unathletes: Exec members who didn't come to MBPP.
- 8.) Quote of the week: "Do you think that means he just wishes he was divorced?" -Rick Mancuso

O.L.D B.U.S.I.N.E.S.S:

- 1.) i3 video is done. If you want to see it, go to Joy and Sharmeen's room (515) any day at 4am. And knock a lot until they answer.
- 2.) Exec retreat sometime later this semester or in the fall.
- 3.) Faculty fellows: John Gruber, a former Bakerite and course 14 professor, is interested. If you know anyone else, talk to Nikhil.
- 4.) Alumni newsletter to be sent. Look for former-Bakerites at an upcoming event. You get a point for each one you see. The winner gets a prize.
- 5.) Faculty reception will be after spring break, so we're aiming to get out invitations by one of the first days of spring break. Send your faculty requests to Yonas (ymt123@mit.edu)
- 6.) Don't forget that the social calendar was changed: Happy hour moved to the 21st of April. Spring formal on the 22nd.
- 7.) CPW BBQ (April 9th) with Pi Lams. Be there and hit on the prefrosh.

N.E.W B.U.S.I.N.E.S.S:

- 1.) Probably another massage TNK coming up.
- 2.) Faculty reception: if you have any faculty requests, still talk to Yonas.
- 3.) CPW plans: BBQ, Hospitality lounge, tours. Yay prefrosh!
- 4.) House meeting the Monday after break (April 3). At least be there for the free pizza if nothing else.
- 5.) Suggestions for heavy bag placement in the weight room, talk to Howard (kelloggs@mit.edu)
- 6.) Recycolympics: sign up now in the lobby! Free glassware for the winners' floor.

A.P.P.R.O.P.R.I.A.T.I.O.N.S:

- 1.) \$209.99 from Bricks to Bricks (Howard/Yonas)
- 2.) \$500.00 from President's trip to President's trip (Nikhil/Yonas)
- 3.) \$40.00 from President's trip to Gallon Challenge prizes (Nikhil/Yonas)
- 4.) \$301.49 from room and floor to room and floor (Ashley/Yonas)

Motion to adjourn: Jen/Nikhil

Subject: BAKER-MINUTES: CPW, Howard's Hair, Faculty Reception
From: Sha-har Admoni <sadmoni@MIT.EDU>
Date: 4/4/06 9:17 AM
To: baker-minutes@MIT.EDU

EXECCON MEETING

Motion To Approve: Yonas / Diana

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

- 1.) Play with Diana. IM sports, that is.

2.) Play with your professors. At the faculty reception, April 11th. E-mail yonas (ymt@mit.edu).

3.) Look out for helpful spam from Sharmeen and Joy regarding CPW.

4.) Check out Howard's hair.

5.) Baker got 2nd in Phi Cup.

AOTW:

- Baker 5th for not only winning the Recycolympics, but being so enthusiastic about recycling that they made t-shirts.
- Not Howard, but Howard's hair.

UAOTW:

- Eric from 411 for enjoying Spring Break.

ERSTWHILE MATTERS:

- 1.) Probably another massage TNK coming up.
- 2.) Faculty reception: if you have any faculty requests, still talk to Yonas.
- 3.) CPW plans: BBQ, Hospitality lounge, tours. Yay prefrosh.
- 4.) House meeting after break.
- 5.) Suggestions for heavy bag placement - contact Howard Kellog.
- 6.) Recyolympics - was awesome.

FRESH AFFAIRS:

- 1.) Tell everybody about how awesome Baker is during CPW.

Appropriations:

- 1.) 77.87 from Butteries to Butteries. (Nathalie/Yonas)
- 2.) 37.57 from Butteries to Butteries. (Nathalie/Yonas)
- 3.) 40.49 from Movies to Movies. (Howard/Yonas)

MTA: Glenn/Jen

HOUSE MEETING

- 1.) Play IM sports or Diana will make sure your ID card doesn't work in the door swiper.
- 2.) CPW this weekend. Talk to prefrosh. Don't scare them.
- 3.) Faculty Reception next Tuesday. Talk to professors. Don't scare them.

OLD BUSINESS:

1.) Tina Srivastava is the 2nd dining chair, and will work on quality. David Dryjanski is involved with the policy aspect of things.

2.) Judcomm elections. Congrats new Judcomm members.

NEW BUSINESS:

1.) FACULTY RECEPTION. Tuesday, April 11.

2.) Help out with CPW. It's fun and prefrosh will think you're really cool.

MTA: Yonas/Nikhil

Subject: BAKER-MINUTES: (no subject)

From: Sha-har Admoni <sadmoni@MIT.EDU>

Date: 4/10/06 5:08 PM

To: baker-minutes@MIT.EDU

EXECCON MEETING

Motion To Approve: Yonas/Diana

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

1.) Participate IM sports. For serious. (If any captains are reading this, please send Diana a quick update on how your season's going.)

2.) Faculty Reception Tuesday.

3.) President's trip to Sam Adam's Brewery in 2 weeks. All ages invited; bring the kids.

4.) Happy birthday Riva!

5.) Howard is cutting his hair tonight. Make sure you stop by room 416 to see it before it's gone.

AOTW:

-JOY AND SHARMEEN

-Nikhil, Sarah Proehl, and Ilana Rotmensch for giving over 2 hours of tours.

UAOTW:

- Parents who can't see the sign at desk that says click then open the door ("The your kid got into MIT not you syndrome").

-Parents who want to take the Saferide to Simmons.

QOTW: "I love Baker. You all should too." -Nathalie

OLD:

1.) CPW: We tricked another group of prefrosh this weekend. Congratulations all. Props to prefrosh who take notes on dorm tours.

NEW:

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- 1.) Faculty reception Tuesday from 5:00-6:30. Come to see astronauts and nobel laureates. And free food (just because CPW's over, doesn't mean the free food is).
 - 2.) Baker formal will be formal (don't be too shocked).
 - 3.) Do you want to get your laundry done for \$15 a load? BU kids say that it makes your GPA go up. There is a proposal in DormCon to bring campusbellhop.com to MIT.
 - 4.) Interested in helping Baker win awards? Talk to Jen Hernandez (jkh@mit.edu)
 - 5.) Piano Drop: Thursday April 27th. Progress is being made. Watch your head when you walk past Baker because Howard and George may be practicing.
 - 6.) Look out for a rush T-shirt design contest. There will be cool prizes and the chance to be famous.

Appropriations:

- 1.) \$140.00 from TV to TV Howard/Yonas
- 2.) \$187.45 from Equipment to Equipment Howard/Yonas
- 3.) \$31.12 from kitchen to kitchen Howard/Yonas
- 4.) \$134.38 from CPW to CPW Joy/Sharmeen
- 5.) \$24.24 from CPW to CPW Joy/Sharmeen
- 6.) \$29.90 from CPW to CPW Joy/Sharmeen
- 7.) \$132.87 from House meeting food to House meeting food Yonas/Howard

MTA: Jen/Ashley

Subject: BAKER-MINUTES: 4/18: Baker Formal, Free Brewery Trip
From: Sha-har Admoni <sadmoni@MIT.EDU>
Date: 4/20/06 4:45 PM
To: baker-minutes@MIT.EDU

EXECCON MEETING 4/18/06

Motion To Approve: Yonas/Jen

STNEMECNUONNA:

- 1.) Play IM Sports or Diana will hit you with a softball bat.
- 2.) Speaking of softball bats, only check them out when youâ€™re using them so the softball team can use them.
- 2.) TNK Thursday. Watch jugglers juggle, musicians muse, and artistsâ€™ art.
- 3.) Presidentâ€™s Brewery Trip Saturday 12:30-3:00. Open to all ages, bring ID for free samples.

4.) Walk for Hunger with Jeannette and Josh and the rest of the Baker team. And just so you don't go hungry yourself, they'll cook you dinner. http://www.projectbread.org/site/TR?team_id=5170&pg=team&fr_id=1040

5.) Baker Formal THIS Saturday night. Sophomores, go to ring delivery, get your ring, eat some free food, then come back to Baker, get your glassware, and eat some more free food.

6.) Piano drop/drop date 27th (next Thursday) at 6:30pm. There are rumors that there will be a canon involved. You'll just have to come to see it yourself.

7.) Happy birthday, Nikhil! (Is it coincidence that the Sam Adams Brewery trip is right after Nikhil's 21st birthday?)

AOTW:

-Baker marathon runners

UAOTW:

-Exec, for not being able to come up with an unathlete

SSENI SUB DLO:

1.) Faculty reception went very well. Thanks to Yonas for getting the Professors there.

2.) Baker formal coming up. Look for emails from Ashley and Glenn.

3.) BU kids want us to use their overpriced laundry service. If you're interested, email someone about it.

4.) We all know that Baker has some of the greatest people. Show the rest of the school that.
<http://web.mit.edu/slp/awards>

5.) Piano Drop is next Thursday. Email Howard (kelloggs@mit) if you want to help out.

6.) Read Joy and Sharmeen's emails about a rush T-shirt design contest. Then enter your design and win prizes.

SSENI SUB WEN:

1.) Last house meeting of the term will be: Monday, May 8. Get excited for Senior awards.

2.) Exec + Judcomm retreat in the fall to discuss fun stuff like leadership.

Appropriations:

1.) \$61.24 from Exec food to Exec food (Yonas/Diana)

2.) \$14.51 from Faculty reception to Faculty reception (Yonas/Diana)

3.) \$530.81 from CPW to CPW (Joy/Sharmeen)

MTA: Jen/Diana

Subject: BAKER-MINUTES: 4/23: Piano Drop, Obnoxious Freshmen, and boys in harnesses
From: Sha-har Admoni <sadmoni@MIT.EDU>
Date: 4/27/06 1:41 AM
To: baker-minutes@MIT.EDU

3X3CC0N M33T1NG 4/23/06

Motion To Approve: Yonas/Diana

ANN0UNC3M3NT5:

- 1.) Play IM sports or Diana will drop a piano on you.
- 2.) Piano drop Thursday 5:30 pm + BBQ following
Help out! Spam Howard's inbox. He loves it. (kelloggs@mit.edu)

AOTW:
-Ashlenn and Gley for a great formal.
-Baker softball team for winning after a 3 year losing streak.
-Women's water polo for winning the league championships.

QOTW:
-"What other siblings do we have in Baker?" "The Ho's."

07D 8U51N355:

- 1.) Last house meeting of the term will be: Monday, May 8. Senior awards to come. Also, Voting for Most Obnoxious Freshman
- 2.) Exec + Judcomm retreat in the fall to learn how to lead correctly.

N3W 8U51N355:

- 1.) Piano drop on Thursday. Come to see a cannon be crushed, and if you're lucky, you'll get to see some boys wearing harnesses (you know what that means)
- 2.) Publicity for piano drop: posters, website, MIT news, website spotlight, chalking, emails, mini-pianos falling from the ceiling of 10-250
- 3.) Reallocation of things behind desk. No you can't rent charcoal unless you're planning on returning it.
- 4.) Do art. Be cultured.

Appropriations:

- 1.) \$15.18 from equipment to equipment (Howard/Diana)
- 2.) \$295.23 from movies to movies (Howard/Joy)
- 3.) \$85.91 from bricks to bricks (Howard/Yonas)
- 4.) \$213.62 from room/floor to room/floor (Ashley/Joy)

- 5.) \$370.12 from happy hour to happy hour (Ashley/Sharmeen)
- 6.) \$3,000.00 from formal to formal (Ashley/Diana)
- 7.) \$59.25 from special stock to special stock (Ashley/Howard)
- 8.) \$15.00 from President's trip to President's trip (Nikhil/Sharmeen)

MTA: Yonas/Sharmeen

Subject: BAKER-MINUTES: 4/30: Night club, TNKalm, Baker apparel
From: Sha-har Admoni <sadmoni@MIT.EDU>
Date: 5/2/06 11:36 PM
To: baker-minutes@MIT.EDU

EXECCONNECTICUT MEETINDIANA 4/30/06

Motion To Approve: Howard/Nathalie

ANNOUNCEMENTENNESSEE:

- 1.) The person who plays the most IM sports this week will get a special prize. Email your IM sports minutes to sadmoni@mit.edu
- 2.) House meeting next Monday (5/8) with senior awards, gifts, and voting for most obnoxious freshman. Come if you think you'll get an award. Come if there's no way you'll get an award.
- 3.) Rooming preference form will be out on Wednesday, so you have until then to bribe the rooming assignment chairs. The rooming lottery starts Wednesday the 10th, so check your mailbox in the next few days for rooming sheets

AOTWISCONSIN:

- Howard and George for piano drop
- Track team for winning the NEWMAC championship on Saturday

OLD BUSINEBRASKA:

- 1.) A piano fell from the roof last week. You may have missed it.
- 2.) There will be some movement of stuff behind desk. Think the Sorcerer's Apprentice in Fantasia.
- 3.) People want to find art space in Baker. See new business #2.

NEW BUSINEW YORK:

- 1.) Rush shirt contest for next year's freshmen. Prizes included. Email sharmeen@mit.edu and jkebertz@mit.edu to enter your design.
- 2.) Possible art space in the bar on the top floor of Baker D for the people who like to do art but don't have any space. Email Howard (kelloggs@mit.edu) if you're interested.

3.) Night club with a DJ instead of Pub this Friday, May 6th from 10-1 in Dining. There will be some really sweet glassware and delicious beverages, so get there early before it runs out.

4.) TNKalm Thursday with massages and bubble tea thanks to Adam.

5.) Buy Baker apparel! Email Diana (wallin@mit.edu) for a sweet Baker athletics tee.

6.) Dining update: non-styrofoam options are coming. Plates make the food taste better (it's true!)

Appropriations:

None

MTARKANSAS: Rachel/Nathalie

Subject: BAKER-MINUTES: 5/8: Senior Awards, the Most Obnoxious Freshman is.....
From: Sha-har Admoni <sadmoni@MIT.EDU>
Date: 5/14/06 11:16 AM
To: baker-minutes@MIT.EDU

EXECCON 5/8/06

Motion to Approve: Howard/Yonas

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

1.) Smoking in Baker makes Happy cry.

2.) Play IM sports. Any of them. They're fun, and you know you're not studying anyway.

3.) Trunkroom hours will be posted soon. Check your e-mail and baker.mit.edu for more info on this.

4.) AOTW:

- Walk for Hunger people.

OLD BUSINESS:

1.) Have an interesting design for a rush shirt for next year's freshmen? Email sharmeen@mit.edu and jkebertz@mit.edu to enter your design. Prizes included!

2.) Athletic T-Shirts will be here by the 20th. Contact Diana if you ordered a shirt and will be leaving before the 20th.

3.) Possible art space in the bar on top floor of Baker D for people who like to do art.

4.) Roofdeck party slash night club with a DJ THIS Friday. On the roof.

5.) A very relaxing TNKalm massages with bubble tea this past Thursday thanks to Adam.

6.) Dining update: non-styrofoam options will be here soon. Expect a lot of amazing changes next semester. You

might also see plenty of Surveymonkey surveys from Tina. Do not redirect these to spam.

New Business:

1.) Party Friday night. Check your e-mail for more info.

Appropriations:

- 1.) \$150 from House Meeting food to House Meeting. (Yonas/Sharmeen)
- 2.) \$31.90 from Equipment to Equipment. (Howard/Joy)
- 3.) \$26.15 from Equip. to Equip for Vacuum. (Howard/Jen)
- 4.) \$507.40 from Pres. gifts to Pres. Gifts (Nikhil/Glenn)
- 5.) \$105.00 from Tnk to TNK. (Ashley/Nathalie)

MTA: Joy/Sharmeen

HOUSE MEETING

Announcements:

- 1.) If you ordered an athletic shirts - bring money to Diana.
- 2.) Don't smoke in Baker!
- 3.) Party for graduating seniors on graduation day. Come and bring your family.
- 3.) AOTW: Baker house Walk for Hunger team who raised \$2500 (even those who came hung over from Senior Ball)

Old business:

None

New business:

- 1.) Gifts for all of the people who make Baker a special place.
 - Adam Rosenthal
Gift certificate to a non-girly spa.
 - Chintan and Hetal
Two tickets to the Boston Pops.
 - Ellen
Two tickets to a girly spa
 - Will and Elle
Gift certificate to City Sports + soccer ball
 - Josh and Jeannette
Gift certificate to Boston Beerworks
 - Chris Cassa
A baker (chef) hat for study breaks + gift certificate to kitchen place
 - Emily (RLA)
Gift certificate to Virgin Records

- Jon Nolan
Trip to Union Oyster House
- Dava and Gui
Top of the hub
- Riva
Traditional outgoing President's gift: Gavel + sounding block

2.) Senior Awards

- Screw and get it over with: Brian Malley + Nathalie
- Ambiguously gay: Brian Schmidt + Chris Cassa
- Get your hands off my penis cake: Ming Leong
- Keep your shirt on: Glenn Geesman
- Keep your hands off my fucking rice pizza: Jon Stritar
- Stop sodomizing bricks: Aaron Cheung
- HSAA (Holy Shit Actual Athlete): Christi Winiarz
- Nice RAC: Rebecca Sampson

3.) Most obnoxious freshman

Winner: Matt Loper

2nd place: Krishna Gupta

3rd place: Ryan Brunswick

MTA: Nikhil/Howard

Subject: BAKER-MINUTES: The Adventures of the Traveling Execcon Meeting
 From: Sha-har Admoni <sadmoni@MIT.EDU>
 Date: 5/16/06 11:10 PM
 To: baker-minutes@MIT.EDU

The chronicles of the traveling EXECCON MEETING (5/14/06) --> think old school detective movie

It all started when Nikhil sent out an email saying exec would be held in 4th west this week. I knew from the get-go it was a bad idea, and suggest that he change it to 5th west, but he did not listen.

So we start to gather in the 4th west lounge, and there are people watching a very important episode of Grey's Anatomy. Knowing that they could not be uprooted but that our meeting could, we decided to relocate to 4th central. This is where last week's minutes were approved by Howard/Yonas.

And yet, there were people in 4th central who suspiciously seemed like they were up to no good...actually studying. So we moved further east to the east lounge.

But as more exec arrived, so did more problems. The stench was overpowering, and we simply had to move elsewhere. So 5th central was the next logical choice. In the elevator, some ANNOUNCEMENTS were made, such as

1. Play IM sports
2. don't smoke in Baker
3. Happy Mother's Day.

When we finally settled in 5th central, the real fun began. But first, more announcements:

4. good luck on finals
5. Athletic t-shirts will be here on Friday. And they're good luck if you wear them to finals.
6. Turn off alarm clocks on weekends or Nathalie will karate chop your door down.
7. Contact Caitlin (caitlinm@mit.edu) if you want to be the next Baker architecture tour guide.
8. Sorry American Idol fans, the TV room closes Monday, BUT the trunk room will open Wednesday. Please check your email and the signs around Baker for more details.
9. This may seem silly but it needs to be said: IF YOU SEE ANYONE WHO LOOKS OVER 30 IN

BAKER, ASK THEM WHAT THEY’RE DOING HERE.

At this point Glenn, doing crunches on the floor, announced that the ATHLETE OF THE WEEK should be the Baker volleyball team for making it to the semifinals. Glenn then proceeded to fight all the loud, noise noise noise 5th central people.*

UNATHLETES OF THE WEEK: the weather, and the hobo on the 4th floor.

So then a cat...I mean, fish (because there are no cats in Baker) jumps onto the table and steps into a plastic bag. And then you wonder why they have warnings on those grocery bags.

FLASHBACK!!! to last week’s meeting (aka old business)

1. Awesome flashing glassware last Friday, including the drinks with the sticks in them. More glow parties in the future (maybe for next year’s MBPP)

2. Important if you will be living on floors 1 through 4 next year: choose a faculty fellow for your floor!

Next up NEW BUSINESS.

1. TV room furniture for next year: no chairs, yes couches.

2. Dinner with Professors. If you have specific Professors in mind, email exec and we can invite them.

***This one is serious. Please read: 3. Be more vigilant about random intruders. Don’t let anyone follow you in or let anyone in when you’re going out. Make sure they check in at desk. 2 bells is intruder. 100 is the extension for CPs or (617) 253-1212. Program it into your cell phone right now.

4. Exec closets will be cleaned out this summer and inventory will be taken. Yay efficiency!

5. Baker Gouse happy hour next semester!

6. Finals BBQ Saturday at 2 (subject to change, depending on if/when the flood lets up)

7. Room service, Thursday around 7:30. Check email for exact time.

See appropriations below.

The meeting was adjourned by Glenn/Diana and thus concludes the adventures of the traveling execcon meeting.

Signing off,

Sha-har

*Note: the contents of the above minutes may or may not be entirely real.

EXECCON MEETING 5/14/06

Motion To Approve: Howard/Yonas

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

1.) Play IM sports

2.) Don’t smoke in Baker

3.) Happy mother’s day

4.) Good luck on finals

5.) T-shirts in Friday. They’re good luck if you wear them to finals.

6.) Turn off alarm clocks on weekends.

7.) Contact Caitlin Mueller if you're interested in being the next Baker architecture Tour guide.

8.) TV room closes tomorrow, trunk room starts Wednesday.

9.) Question anyone who looks over 30 and happens to be wandering around Baker.

AOTW:

-Baker IM volleyball team. Semifinals.

UAOTW:

-Weather

-The guy bumming around in 4th west.

OLD BUSINESS:

1.) Awesome flashing glassware; drinks with the sticks in them. More glow parties (MBPP?)

2.) Faculty fellows chosen by individual floors.

NEW BUSINESS:

1.) TV room: no chairs, yes couches.

2.) Dinner with Professors. If you have specific Professors in mind, email exec and we can invite them.

3.) Be more vigilant about random intruders. Don't let anyone follow you in or let anyone in when you're going out. Make sure they check in at desk. 2 bells is intruder. 100 is the extension for CPs or (617) 253-1212. Program it into your cell phone right now.

4.) Clean out exec closets.

5.) Baker Gouse happy hour next semester.

6.) Finals BBQ Saturday at 2.

7.) Room service, Thursday around 7:30. Check email for exact time.

Appropriations:

1.) \$10.56 from Exec food to Exec food (Yonas/Diana)

2.) \$52.50 RAC food to RAC food (Yonas/Nathalie)

3.) \$1000.00 Pub to Pub (Ashley/Howard)

4.) \$52.23 room/floor to room/floor (Glenn/Yonas)

5.) \$933.36 T-shirts to T-shirts (Diana/Nikhil)

6.) The rest of Athletic's baseball bats for every person to defend themselves against hobos

7.) The rest of President's budget to 5th central cats

8.) The rest of Judcomm's budget to buying Olga an air purifying system

9.) The rest of VPFS's budget to a Baker Disney collection

10.) The rest of Social's budget to Zav's plasma TV

11.) The rest of VPRO's budget to the Joy and Sha-har's room fund

12.) The rest of VPIR's budget to JDeals

MTA: Glenn/Diana
