

RPI TV – Business Meeting  
Tuesday, March 22, 2005  
DCC room 170

Meeting started at 9:05 PM.

Officers Present: Dan Ostrov, Andrew Clark, Eric Pratt, Sundhari Ganesan, Alan Trojan, Pamela Portelli, Becky LeBlanc  
Members Present: Eric Klauser, Matt Garrison, Suba Ganesan

Dan Ostrov called the meeting to order.

#### GM Week Candidate Speeches

Andrew Clark talked about the speeches, described the filming format and charges. Dan Ostrov described that last year we had a different charging scheme. Andrew Clark continued describing the format, and asked who was available Sunday night. Eric Pratt volunteered.

#### Malaysian Cultural Night

Andrew Clark said it's this Friday, we need four people. Alan Trojan said that Mike Rahaim could come and he could as well. Andrew Clark explained that usually we do a one-camera shoot, but we've decided to do a live cut with more cameras. Suba volunteered, and Andrew Clark would have to train her to use a camera.

#### Sundhari's News Show

Andrew Clark asked for volunteers. Eric Pratt had volunteered in discussion before the meeting. Alan Trojan volunteered. Andrew Clark asked Eric Pratt if he would like to direct, but it was settled that Andrew Clark was the only one who knew how to set up all the equipment.

#### Back-to-Campus Speaker

Andrew Clark explained that it was a one-camera shoot, and Media Ops was doing the sound. Andrew Clark asked for volunteers, but no one could make it, as it was in the afternoon on a Monday and most people have class.

#### Final GM/PU Debates

Andrew Clark explained the event, and there were no classes on that Wednesday. He said it would be broadcast live and streamed on the web. He named the people he had signed up for it, including Dan Ostrov, Eric Pratt, Eric Klauser, Mike Rahaim, Alan Trojan, Pamela Portelli, Sundhari Ganesan, Suba, and Matt. Andrew Clark discussed the new people coming and Dan Ostrov suggested that it be a training event, and Andrew Clark agreed.

#### Battle of the Bands

Andrew Clark discussed that we not broadcast this live, as we did the previous year, since the quality did not turn out well. He said that Mike Filippone was doing the entire event and post-production editing himself, but he needed two people to be on camera. Andrew Clark asked for volunteers, but no one volunteered.

### Admissions Activity Fair

Andrew Clark discussed the event and asked for volunteers, and Eric Pratt volunteered. Eric Klauser said he might be able to come, but couldn't guarantee it.

Andrew Clark then moved on to a music groups concert in Troy Music Hall on Saturday, April 9 after the Activity Fair. Eric Pratt volunteered, Becky LeBlanc volunteered contingent upon her availability, Eric Klauser and Dan Ostrov expressed interest.

Andrew Clark said he'll probably do the editing for the candidate speeches.

### Asian Awareness Night

Andrew Clark talked with Pamela Portelli about editing the show. There was discussion about the problem of cameras possibly not being there because of all the events we're doing.

Andrew Clark said to Alan Trojan that he would have to talk to Mike Rahaim and Amy.

Andrew Clark asked who was 20 or older. He then discussed the Defensive Driving course. Once anyone who is at least 21 takes this course, then they can drive the Union van. Andrew Clark said that he wants everyone almost 21 or older to be trained, since we've had problems getting cars for transporting equipment. He asked people about different dates in the next two weeks.

Mike Filippone arrived.

Andrew Clark asked Eric Klauser whether his car was available for the Malaysian event on Friday. He said no, so Andrew Clark said we'd have to use Mike Rahaim's car in several trips. Dan Ostrov suggested talking to a music professor about storage space in West Hall.

Andrew Clark said that we'd probably have to do the Defensive Driving course after two weeks from now. He settled on Wednesday three weeks from now.

Andrew Clark moved on to the Lawyer Workshop, Mike Filippone, Suba, and Sundhari Ganesan said they could come. Dan Ostrov said we need specific questions in advance, since the lawyer didn't give us a straight answer to any question last time. Andrew Clark said the last session was useless, so we need this new one.

### Equipment Training

Andrew Clark and Dan Ostrov explained the training session and what is entailed.

### Battle of the Bands

Mike Filippone discussed the event, and said that the event has changed, they're bringing in a cover band, and the Battle of the Bands was moved to a later date, so we're not doing it just yet. Alan Trojan, Andrew Clark, and Mike Filippone discussed last year's Battle of the Bands with Guster, and that was the first year they had brought in a cover band. Andrew Clark asked if Mike Filippone needed about 4-5 people, and Mike said yes, and explained what they needed to do.

### Club Elections

Dan Ostrov explained the elections, and the rules involved, including voting requirements. Andrew Clark explained that we like to have an informal meeting with people considering running for a position in order to assess their qualifications.

### Policy Approval

Andrew Clark explained that the Editorial Policy has been approved, but the Constitution, Equipment Policy, and Job Policy. Andrew Clark moved to approve the three policies, Alan Trojan seconded it, and all members unanimously approved

The meeting ended at 9:43 PM.