

Golden Key International Honor Society
San Francisco State University
MEETING MINUTES

October 29, 2004

Officers Present: Pricilia Octarina, Rebecca Kramer, June Gant, Paul Caampued

Officers Absent: Wahiba Chair, Gabrielle Gomez, Eduardo Ordonez, John Roberts, David Abella, Jorge Vilchez, Martha Jimenez, Maria Kristina Yabut

Time: 5-6 pm

Location: C-116, Student Center

Recorded: Paul Caampued

Social Director, Updates (June)

INTERVIEW WORKSHOP

- Great turnout, a lot of people showed interest
- Work with career center next time, put the center's name on it
- Put it up on their website, no a lot of people (members/nonmembers) check out the Golden Key website
- Career Center Workshop this Thursday (Nov 4)
- More information to work on.
- Advertising, need to know place to set up, definite location.
- Communication on event information needed

BANQUET

- This year (Dec 17). There is no way we can make it a big event, sell tickets in time.
- Golden Key has sponsors. (Ford, Red Cross, etc.)
- We need one year to set up the event.
- For charitable event, start planning this year. Not enough to contact sponsors. Too hard to get one right away.
- How big is it? Delay the event (next December) to make it better, then pushing it and have a bad turnout.
- Sending invitations to the mayor or important people, their presence will help. (Winter Ball idea)
- We have possible locations for the event. Work with the location.
- Silent auction possibility. Set up rules for the bidding, closing time.

- If we do it next semester, we can invite local businesses (Levi's). We can induct them as honorary members. We might even have the banquet at the Levi's store.
- Select churches or schools. In return, they have like their choir groups perform for the event.
- We are actually giving back to the community; we just have to choose which organization to give back to.

THANK YOU CARDS

- List of people + addresses needed for volunteers.
- Name of t-shirt company.
- Put it at the Golden Key mailbox.

OTHERS (LOCKER ISSUE)

- Locker for all Golden Key stuff. Hassle to go to Science.
- Certain stuff for certain officers, they can pick it up themselves.
- Need to know location (GYM?)

Public Relations Update (Rebecca)

- Need concrete time and place to plan events. We cannot have a Friday meeting before the event, we need time to set things up. Communication is needed.
- Have a reporter come out to our events for publicity and place it in the newspaper. It would be a good article, but need commitment from everyone.

POSSIBLE NEXT EVENTS

- Contact USCF, volunteers for children, especially for Halloween and Thanksgiving. We are giving back to the community.
- Have communication with other chapters. So if they have an event, we can join in or they join us. At least it would be a Golden Key, even though its not SFSU.

Others

- We need meetings with our members, fuel communications (at least a majority of the members). We can let them know and receive feedback from them. Let the members know each other. Golden Key is a large organization. We need more member participation. General meetings to present our ideas.
- People believe that it's just membership (certificate, etc.) It's hard to get regular member participation in meetings.
- No email updates.

- Suggest a point system to have members become more active. Based on the points, they can get a scholarship or other gifts. An incentive for members to participate. (Scholarship out of our budget) Some schools get high member participation because of the point system.
- Another possibility, we can have more events (more fun activities). Encourage members to participate, like update the website. We can post up pictures, etc.
- Move meeting to another time/date for more participation, convenient for all of us.