

World AIDS Week MINUTES 9/29/08

1. Present: Carrie, Yodit, Lauren, Emilia, Amanda, Puneet, Sean, Amrit, Gabriel, Laura, Chris, Jangwon, Judy, Ryan, Samantha, Jene, Chinyere
2. Chair(s) for the WAW group
 - a. Nominations: Carrie, Ryan, Yodit
 - b. Get bios of people via email and vote next meeting
 - c. Two possible co-chairs
3. Week's theme
 - a. Breakouts (5 min)
 - b. Report back/discussion (10 min)
 - i. Focus on pops where HIV infection on rise, bridging diverse communities, "AIDS & U" (what's your role in fighting the cause), staying vigilant for a cause, focus on world perspective/everyone – each day focus on a continent, how far we've come w/MDG, focus on the US in global epidemic "On Our Own Turf: Ending the Epidemic". "Ann Arbor to Zimbabwe: Ending the Epidemic".
 - c. Vote: Ann Arbor to Zimbabwe: Ending the Epidemic
4. Anchor Events
 - a. Mon, 12/1: Kick off day. Diag activities
 - i. Stephanie, Janay, Lauren, Amy
 1. Diag is reserved. Amy checking on sound. Student orgs will table. Maybe have one monologue during the amplified sound as a teaser for the larger show. Amplified sound only 12-1pm. Tabling 1p-4p. Speaker: Oveta Fuller? Local politician? Chris Kolb? Perhaps have a student group or two perform. Maybe some kind of display to make AIDS visual? Red flags stuck in the ground in diag? Talk of balloons representing people living with HIV. Maybe tie the visual into the theme?
 - b. Thur, 12/4 evening. HIV Monologues
 - i. Samantha, Ryan
 1. Met with Glenda Ray Dean of Media Center on N. Campus. Will find out later this week if we have the space for WAW. Only day available for them is 12/1. They will videotape it and we'll have three tech days to set up lights, etc.. They'll make three videos, one for So You Say, World AIDS Week and HARC. Contact Ryan if you want to audition or have other questions:
rpearson@umich.edu
 - c. Sat, 12/6, 8pm. Face AIDS Dinner
 - i. Puneet, Rushmie
 1. Hoping to get a speaker – suggestions? Hoping to increase attendance to 150, so need a larger location. Hotels too expensive. Campus buildings may allow outside food. Rackham? Biomedical building atrium near the "Pringle"?

- d. Sun, 12/7, 5pm Vigil, 6-8pm, Interfaith Service. Washtenaw Interfaith HIV/AIDS Network
 - i. Jen, Sheyonna, Carrie
 - 1. Pond rooms reserved for service. Hope to have hot chocolate or something to help people warm up after vigil on diag. Scheduling speakers right now. Want representation from many faiths, especially those with campus locations.
- 5. Event Breakout (10 min) – moved to end for those groups who want to collaborate to work on events together.
- 6. T-shirt Update
 - a. Carrie modeled the shirt from last year. Selling for \$8 as a fundraiser for WAW. As part of publicity, perhaps we can wear them on the same day a few times in November. The money raised will be used for room reservations, publicity materials, etc.
 - b. You can buy the small beaded pins from FaceAIDS to build awareness, and it's a fundraiser for Partners in Health. Contact Puneet puneetg@umich.edu if you'd like to sell them at your events.
- 7. Resources available to you (reminders)
 - a. Room reservation – contact Carrie crheinga@r2harc.org
 - b. Publicity – Emilia has a friend who will make a couple mock-ups of logos for us based on this year's theme and donate his time
 - c. Event scheduling coordination – the website should be up in a couple weeks for us to check dates/times/locations
 - d. Website as a central location
 - i. We applied for IFS space for Sitemaker. Who can help design/update this??? Chinyere has a student who may be able to help.
 - e. HIV testing availability – Yodit nyodit@umich.edu schedules UHS's test counselors, Carrie crheinga@r2harc.org schedules HARC's test counselors
- 8. NEXT MEETING: MONDAY, OCTOBER 13, 2008. 6:30 PM. MSA CHAMBERS ON 3RD FLOOR MICHIGAN UNION**
- 9. ANNOUNCEMENTS
 - a. RESULTS/ONE campaign still looking for groups to collaborate on 10/17. Want groups interested in ending poverty to table on diag. Contact Josh: msnbc@umich.edu
 - b. Face AIDS mass meeting is Thursday, 10/2, 8:00 pm, 3463 Mason Hall