

Wow...so our October meeting turned out to be a huge brainstorming rush...!!!

**Hunger Action Group
October Meeting
10/9/03
8pm, McCormick Hall
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**\*NOTE\* Messages to individual members are italicized.**

1.) Food Salvage - is currently running Tuesdays (Silpa and Steph) and Thursdays (Ben and Cynthia). There are some concerns about these days being too close to each other. *Mishka: is it possible to spread out the days a bit more...Monday/Thursday? Or would it be easier just to do one day a week (Thursday)?* HOORAY WE HAVE GRAD STUDENTS + VEHICLE for transporting groceries, if need be! Probably try phoning CASPAR in the morning to see if donations are needed for that day (617-661-0600)

2.) Zipcar - In light of recent GRAD STUDENTS + VEHICLE resource, we will put our Zipcar musings on hold. (FYI: HAG can use Purchase Orders to transfer money directly from HAG account to business, rather than have student member as intermediate payer.)

3.) CASPAR business - is continuing on Fridays (5pm-ish, Mishka) and Saturdays (4:30-6:30pm, Steph). Please email hunger-request if interested in attending.  
-Vacuum cleaner - still researching product. *Mishka: can you ask the CASPAR facilities person about this?*  
-MURAL - meeting times? Bringing mural to CASPAR? Will need to brainstorm logistics of this project. *Steph: fabric markers and paints?*

4.) Hunger and Homelessness Awareness Week - Nov. 16th-22nd.  
-Brainstorm things to set up for booth  
-MAKE RESERVATIONS FOR STUDENT CENTER!!! *Steph: you'd better do this ASAP!!!*  
-Laptop loan from Course 6 Department/somewhere from MIT? *Ben: can you look into this?*  
-Publicity Sign for HAG, similar to the one we have in the Infinite Corridor. *Publicity Chairs: How did you do it? How can we get another one? (Big scan, and then print out to save time/work?) ;o)*

5.) Other programs - Church of All Nations' Saturday/Sunday Bread will be starting up shortly.  
-Researching other places to visit. *Silpa: can you forward your list to <hunger-request>?*  
-"Midnight Runs" through Central Square? haha...maybe "Afternoon Runs" instead?  
Sandwiches?  
-CAMPUS-WIDE ONGOING CLOTHING DRIVE. We may be the 'Hunger Action Group,' but homelessness and comfort is also key. Individual members will contact house managers of their dormitories and get logistics of starting up a clothing donation program in that dormitory. *Dorms covered so far: Bexley (Carrie), EC (Ben), Tang/Ashdown/Westgate (Malancha,AJ), Sid-Pac (Mishka), MacG (Laura?), McCormick (everyone else..haha), Burton Conner (Silpa), WILG (Cynthia?), Green Hall (Nancy?), McCormick (everyone else..haha),...still need BAKER, NEXT HOUSE, SIMMONS, NEW HOUSE, SORORITIES, FRATERNITIES. Need Home Depot trip (AJ'S TRUCK!!!) to buy a bunch of garbage cans for clothing collection when we get this thing up and running...*

**NOVEMBER MEETING DATE:  
Thursday, 11/6/2003...8pm  
McCormick Green Living Room.**

