# UTMAGS Meeting Minutes – September 5<sup>th</sup>, 2014

# UTMAGS LAB COAT SALES (Starting next week!)

- Spreadsheet and schedule links have been emailed to everyone
- **Everyone:** Bring laptop for your shift and make sure to enter sales\_each time!
- New Prices:
  - Lab coats: \$20
  - Gloves: \$5
  - Goggles \$10
  - Package: \$30
- Stacey: Organize boxes so that everything is clearly labelled during her first shift
- Hae-Ri: Send emails to first year profs so they can let their classes know

# GRAD ORIENTATION DINNER (Monday, September 15<sup>th</sup>, starting at 5:30 pm)

- Prizes have been arranged:
  - 4 x \$50 Mastercard Gift cards
  - \$200 worth of Starbucks and Tims cards
  - **Stacey:** Get door prizes
- All representatives discussed during the Vice-Dean's meeting are attending, in addition to:
  - Let's Talk Science
  - Food Advisory Committee (Kaisen Consulting?)
- Dinner will include: butter chicken, rice, naan, vegetarian option, salad, and mini cupcakes
- Hae-Ri and Krystal: Introduce logo contest once details are figured out
  - See "MISCELLANEOUS" section for more info

## BOARD GAMES NIGHT (Wednesday, September 24<sup>th</sup>, starting at 5:00 pm)

- Hae-Ri: Put up posters on September 10<sup>th</sup> to advertise the event
- Everyone: Bring in your own board games
- Get pizza, chips, pop, etc. for food

## SKI TRIP (January 29<sup>th</sup> – February 1<sup>st</sup>)

- Hae-Ri: Put up posters next week to advertise the event
- Prices have been finalized:
  - \$240/ UTM grad student
  - \$290/ guest
  - o \$60/ rentals
  - o \$10/ helmet
  - Insurance option also available
- Students should register by the end of September and pay by mid-October (maybe the 15<sup>th</sup>) to be entered into the snowboard draw







- Late registration starts 3<sup>rd</sup> week of October
- Payment options:
  - Cash or Cheque (Hae-Ri: Set-up a couple of days when people can bring you money)
  - Set-up e-transfer option

### OCTOBER BREAKFAST (Monday, October 6<sup>th</sup>)

- Pancakes, syrup, cereal, fruit, coffee, etc.
- Pancake toppings: chocolate chips, peanut butter chips, blueberries

### THE LUNCHEON BEFORE HALLOWEEN! (Thursday, October 30<sup>th</sup>)

- Food:
  - $\circ$   $\;$  Buy pizza and pop
  - Bring pasta salad, potato salad, etc.
  - Get plates, utensils, napkins, etc.
- Decorate grad lounge to make it Halloween-y
  - Make fog with dry ice!
- Have movie playing in the background
- Possible ideas:
  - Hocus Pocus
  - o Halloween Town
  - A horror movie
- Bring movies to the event and let students pick which one to watch

### MISCELLANEOUS

- Fireside Lounge is now ours!!!
  - o Renovations start in January
  - Should be ready by next summer
  - Possible painting event to decorate the lounge?
- Stacey and Sara: Set-up a meeting with Mark Overton
- Hae-Ri and Krystal: Figure out deadline for logo contest (Halloween?) and make posters
  - o UTMAGS will narrow down entries to the finalists
  - Send poll to grad students so they can vote for their favourite!
  - o Prize: \$25 Tim Card
- **Everyone:** Look into setting-up a volleyball league for graduate students!
- Anya: Send Doodle to everyone for the next UTMAGS meeting (week of Oct 13<sup>th</sup>)





