

Third Meeting for Bridge Project
Date: Nov 7th, 2020

Attendance Self Introduction with Favorite Food:

Dr. Yan Searcy: Phylis
Dr. Bing Bing Li: Menudo
Dr. Weimin Sun: Thanksgiving Turkey
Janice: Green bean casserole
Bosiu: Chinese Dumplings
Kerstern: Roast stew and cornbread
- Student under Dr. Li
Shanlin (student) : Hot pot
Holly: Beijing Roast Duck
Kelani (student): Tamales (Chicken Tamales with Green Sauce)
Arthur (student): Mabo Tofu
Feng Li: Braised Pork Belly
Chang Li: Noodles
Rosalind: Tacos
Aaron (student): Steak
Martha: Spam
Ning (Owen's mom): Stir fried tomatoes with scrambled eggs
- Ning: works at amgen as a scientist
- Owen : Westlake highschool student, teaches scratch
Angela (student): Ramen
- Granada Hills Charter student
- Part of youth group
- Taught speech and debate

Agenda Items

1. Thanksgiving events planned?
2. Planning a workshop/discussion
3. Youth planning a workshop,

Agenda 1: Thanksgiving Events

Yan

- Strong family time
- Wants to establish a community

Rosalind

- Wants to have a party, however, is overwhelmed by the events
- Thanksgiving does not seem like a good time to plan events, postpone instead.

Agenda 2: Plan a workshop/discussion

Yan

- Establish a workshop to build common ground
- Around 1-2 hours to discuss histories together
- Knows that Black and Chinese have been living together in the same area (Mississippi)
- Could take a lot longer than just 1 session.
- Workshop:
 - Will be actively engaged in tasks with one another
 - Utilized active learning, instead of just basic lectures.
- Wants to understand history so that we can understand the present

Rosalind

- Wants workshop to have conversations about stereotypes and demystifying stereotypes among one another

Bing Bing

- Stick to workshops between one another
- Prefers to host interview workshops with one another
- Could use youth group
- Suggests to focus primarily on one aspect, instead of being too ambitious

Weimin Sun

- Wants to help and establish common grounds due to their shared history of being oppressed in America
- This workshop will be started by this time.

Yan

- Will establish a series of workshops, and have breakout sessions
- Workshop sessions will be about common shared histories and stereotypes between the two groups.

Agenda 3: Winter Break One Week ZoomCamp

Holly

- Puts forth proposal of establishing a winter camp workshop.
- Wants to gauge interest among communities.
- Even at this moment, youth group is teaching courses to students.

Proposal: <https://www.sfvcheer.org/post/2021-winter-zoom-camp-proposal>

Weimin

- Looking forward to people coming in and helping instigate activities in to the youth group

Holly

- Wants people to join and help teach academic and fun classes in the youth group

Yan and Rosalind

- Be patient, supportive of ideas
- Very supportive of ideas, and allows for blacks to desire and want this.

Holly

- Discourages more academics
- Wants to include fun involved

Rosalind

- Kinda like “hiding vegetables inside brownies”, analogy by Rosalind
- Wants to integrate math into activities

Kelaini

- Wants to encourage sports watching and other bonding activities
- Could integrate “Freedom Writers” into each other allowing us to understand and get together greater.
- Wants to help join each other and instead of driving a wedge between each other.

Kerstern

- Thinks that this group can achieve a greater bonding agent and communication between the two groups.
- This group has potential to achieve greater bond between two groups

Final Decisions

- Will have a workshop with one another
- Will have the winter zoom classes with the two groups
 - Winter zoom classes will start/go along with the two communities
 - Future details (ie classes, topics) will be established and looking forward to doing.

Slang:

Whats up: “Hi”

Chinese: 你好

Check you later : “Good bye”

Chinese: 下次见, 再见