

AAPS Meeting Notes 7/1/14

1. Welcome packages for incoming students
 - a. Fengmi ordered embroidered lab coats for incoming students, but they have not yet arrived. Fengmi will check into the order status and make sure they arrive by August 15th.
 - b. Maddy has priced water bottles and will put in an order for 100 printed water bottles by 8/15.
 - c. Several welcoming activities planned by welcoming committee; AAPS will try to assist as much as possible.
 - i. Welcome lunch 7/3
 - ii. Cookout 7/11
 - iii. Hiking trip in August
 - d. Steve, Lin and Dalia plan to hold a practice scavenger hunt on the first week of classes
2. PPDM Seminar
 - a. Dr. Joseph Polli is confirmed to visit from 8/21 to 8/22
 - b. He will arrive around 1:30 pm on 8/21 and leave around 3:30 pm on 8/22
 - c. Proposed Itinerary:

Thursday	8/21
1:30 pm	Arrival (Lin will pick up from airport)
2-3 pm	Check-in, drive to COP
3-5 pm	Meeting with faculty
6:30-8 pm	Officer dinner (Dalia will pick up)
Friday	8/22 (Hui will pick up from hotel)
8-10 am	Meeting with faculty
10-11 am	BBB, transporters, metabolizing enzymes discussion
11-11:30 am	Tour of college (Nilay will lead)
11:30-12:45 pm	Lunch with graduate students (Catina may plan)
1-2 pm	Seminar
2:15 pm	Departure (Lin will drive)

- d. Several restaurants were discussed (Ramzy's, Sal Goods, Village Idiot and Gray Goose)
3. Student-Faculty event was discussed (laser tag, bowling, etc.) but was tabled due to welcoming committee events
4. Discussed purchasing a printer/screener to save money on screening, but further information is needed to make a decision (cost/benefit analysis)