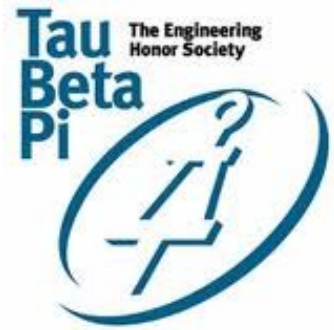


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ELECTEES & ACTIVES MEETING 2

Fun and Stress Relief

Work out, Score points, Feel good



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Interested in signing up for IM Sports? Like playing Water Polo, Football, or Broomball?

Join the co-ed IM sports teams created by TBP and play your favorite sports for FREE!

The next game schedule/ locations are shown below.



INTRAMURALS



1. BROOMBALL (MENS B) - Thursday 11/1, 12:20 am @ Yost

2. INNERTUBE WATERPOLO(CO-REC B) - Sunday 11/4, 8:00 pm @ IMSB pool

3. FLAG FOOTBALL (MENS B) - Monday 11/5, 7:30 pm @ Mitchell

To sign-up, login into umich.athleague.com and create a profile. Once you've done that, search the team name ("TBP-SWE" or "Tau Beta Pi & SWE" or " Tau Beta Pi Football") and join the team, and you're good to go! When you come to play, make sure to bring your M-card.

*You MUST be registered by NOON of game-day to be eligible to play.

IM Sports are lots of FUN and a great way to get to know people, so I encourage everyone to sign-up!

Dear TBP,

As the elections get closer you may experience the same sense of dread I do as a red & blue pallor descends on the national discourse, turning everything into sort of a purplish brown hue.

I start asking myself questions such as, why is the political system so biased?

For example, you may walk by your local polling place only to be swarmed by an overly-cheery-for-the-weather political activist urging you to vote! What about those who'd like to promote an opposite viewpoint?? I was kicked off the premises when last night at 3am I stood outside the polling place (Angell Elementary School) with an empty bottle of rum and a sign reading "Don't Vote" and "The Lesser of Two Evils is Still Evil". I don't understand why -- why is America insistent on continuing the legacy of our greedy lobby-based military-industrial complex created by the 1% (the Illuminati)?

Don't even get me started on the candidates. I went around asking my classmates what they liked most about Mitt Romney and Barack Obama. Here are some of their replies:

- ◆ Who is Barack Romney?
- ◆ Why are you drunk?
- ◆ Stop falling on me.
- ◆ I'm calling the police.

And the political "parties" are worse than any frat party I've been to... What happened to the independent American spirit fueling a vibrant ecosystem of competing ideas? What happened to the third parties? I've been waiting since that 7th grade movie on Paul Revere to be invited to the Tea Party!

I just want to conclude my rant with the following tips on Election Day:

- ◆ Stay in bed
- ◆ Don't vote
- ◆ Watch TV

Sifting through piles of evidence has confirmed that this method is the best approach to solving the world's problems. Thanks for reading,

~A. Pathy

Do you love drawing crazy things?

Or thinking of challenging puzzles?

Writing fun articles?

Advertising great events?

The Cornerstone is continually open for user-created (OR Internet-discovered) content. Just email me something vaguely interesting at nickruff@umich.edu

More than that, however, consider running for the Publicity Chair in the upcoming Elections for next semester's officer core! While it arguably does not have as many responsibilities as the other officer positions, it is nevertheless vital to continuing the good cheer and general community atmosphere of our excellent MI-Gamma chapter.

Furthermore, there's talk of changing things up with the Publicity Chair so this is an exciting time for you if you apply! Before there were two positions (one for the Cornerstone, one for the Weekly Announcements) but they may be combined into one—OR they may be expanded! Yes that's right—the Publicity Chair may take on a whole new role in the future as a general marketing manager to help & instruct TBP project leaders and officers with advertising and publicizing their events. Talk to me if you are interested in going this direction with it—if this garners enough interest we could provide publicity training and it would be a very helpful move for the chapter to make.

Don't be afraid of stepping up and taking on some more responsibility in your life this next semester! If you have time, there's no better way to challenge & improve yourself than by fulfilling a duty to your peers and providing a great service to the College of Engineering. Whether it be Publicity Chair or Secretary, Membership or External Vice President, seize back your life from the chaos of college and become a leader! Companies love to see examples of your initiative and focus.

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PUZZLE PAGE

HALLOWEEN WORD SEARCH (HARD)

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ELVIRA SAMHAIN FRANKENSTEIN CHAINSAW SKELETON



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