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by Cassandra Chew

On Thursday, October 20, ABSA families came back for battle number two at GM #7: Family GM. Family GM began with a memory game. The goal of the game was for each family to get to know each other by associating a sign to the family. Being clever Ravenclaws, my family declared that our sign was a quick rave and then a claw. Legendary took a superhero pose, and Mac-and-Cheese had a simple gesture of eating, well, Mac-and-Cheese. As a family, families first signed their own sign and then passed on their turn by signing another family's sign. The game became fiercer as more and more families became eliminated. It eventually ended in a draw.

Following this name game was a series of tasks from the hit TV show, "A Minute to Win It!" In Face the Cookie, selected family members had to move an Oreo from their forehead to their mouth without using their hands. The brave souls continued to try even after the Oreo fell on the floor! Following this game was Junk in the Trunk. In this task, little sibs had to remove candy from a tissue box by shaking their waist. A member of DTF even did a backflip to remove the candy. Tears from laughter were streaming down the eyes of fellow little sibs as they watched their fellow little sibs complete task after task. Finally, Family GM ended with the Elephant March. Family members had to knock over cups by using a tennis ball. The catch was that the ball was placed in a panty hose and placed over a person's head, hence the elephant's trunk.

After a laughter-filled night at GM #7, families headed over to Austin's Pizza for a benefit night. There, families reconnected over freshly baked pizza and cups of ice-cold lemonade.



GM 8



Liberty Mutual.



by Grace Kim

Liberty Mutual is an insurance company that offers products such as auto, home, and life insurance. As one of ABSA's returning sponsors, Liberty Mutual always brings a unique presentation to our members. This year was no different. The representative talked about how to portray a professional image on social media and some general tips regarding its usage in the corporate world. She recommended things like "googling" yourself once a month just to make sure nothing shady pops up and making all your pictures/videos on Facebook private. Members felt free to ask questions like, "How much weight does a recruiter place on what he or she finds on a personal website?" and "Is it acceptable to 'friend' a recruiter on Facebook?" Overall, the meeting was a departure from the typical company presentation and very enjoyable for all the members.

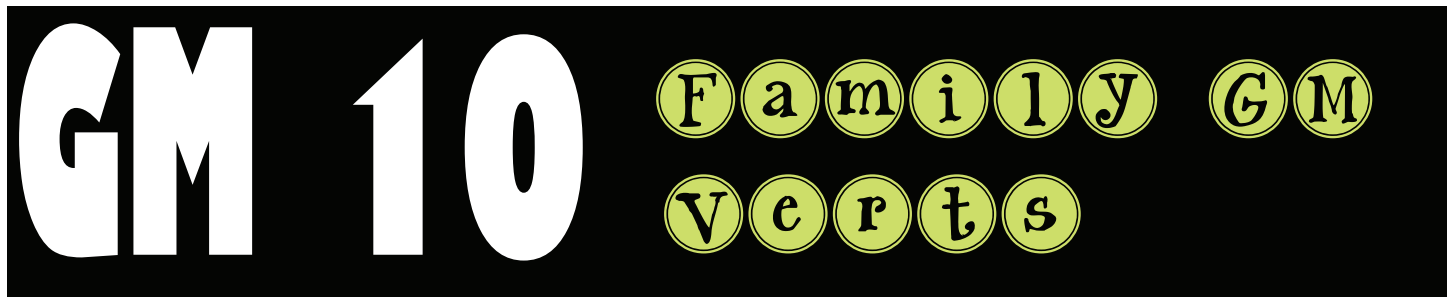


by Daryle Utama

It is always a delight to see ABSA upperclassmen giving back to the organization by providing their insight on internships, courses, and their overall college experience to anyone who wants to know. As an underclassmen, there are many things that I picked up from these experienced upperclassmen.

Many people out there are probably on the same boat as I am and still wishy-washy about their current major. Is finance the best major to go for? Or is it MIS? Accounting? Supply Chain? We can have debates that go on forever about which major is best. Thanks to our upperclassmen, however, they all gave details on why each major has its own advantages and disadvantages. The key take-away from their input is that personality plays a role in what major you should choose.

To sum it all up, the major you decide to take will neither set your future career in stone nor restrict you from branching out to other disciplines. Having said that, it is never a bad idea to explore different majors and get the most out of the classes you take.



by Jee-Ho Kang

Their palms were sweaty, knees weak, arms were heavy... On the surface they looked calm and ready TO ASSASSINATE!

Mr. Jonathan Wong, Mr. Danny An, and Ms. Molly Sun met at approximately 6:30 PM in GM #10 to finish their several weeklong killing spree in ABSA Assassins with a tense Mexican standoff. Although previously treaties had been made, all agreements were off, and it was now every assassin for himself/herself. Mr. An and Mr. Wong immediately ran toward the socks as the standoff began while Ms. Sun strategically waited in the aisles waiting for the perfect time to strike. As both Mr. Wong and Mr. An took shots at each other with sock missiles, Mr. Wong threw away his chopsticks in the heat of battle and Mr. An inched towards his target. The deadly Ms. Sun seized the opportunity and stabbed Mr. An in the back and proceeded to run toward and finish off Mr. Wong as he struggled to pick up a weapon. The crowd went wild! Chants of "OH SNAP!" echoed through the room as a stunned Molly Sun returned triumphantly from the bloodbath. No one, not even herself, believed she would survive (except for me, who was a true believer), and now her legend will go down in ABSA history books.

As for the rest of the meeting, families competed head to head in Family Feud as the eyes of the crowd watched on. Some families succumbed under the pressure with silly answers such as spaghetti or hamburger (when asked what people would not eat with chopsticks), some families lost the games by trying to outsmart the crowd and not going with their first answer choice (Barbie will DEFINITELY sell off Ken over a pony when short on cash), some families did well and won each round with pretty good accuracy, and one particular amazing family answered every single question 100% right in BOTH rounds. OH SNAP! (Good job, Internal, for setting up such a fantastic family night!)

However, after a night filled with fierce competition, almost all the families harmoniously got together at VERTS for a spectacular meal in support of ABSA. Great games, great family, great friends. It's nights like this where the beauty of college shines through. Go ABSA!



by Helen Lee

Alumni Weekend, one of the most reminiscent events of ABSA, comprised of several alumni visiting during one of our general meetings and then having more of them come interact with current members on Saturday, November 19th. The event began on Thursday, November 17th, where five of our alumni, Jeena Lee, Michael Liu, Max Ma, Steve Kim, and Alex Ma, spoke about their experiences in college and advice that they had for current ABSA members. Who knew that so many of the guys in ABSA played Starcraft back then for enjoyment and even now after college.

On Saturday, members of ABSA went hiking with alumni at the Greenbelt in Austin on a nice and breezy morning. Energizing everyone before the hike, the special events directors provided everyone with a goody bag including a cutie, a granola bar, and a bottle of water. Everyone was split into five groups, each group having at least one alumna with them. Hiking, finding unique and creative spots to take pictures, and chatting with everyone in the group, all the members interacted with their alumni in different ways within each group to get to know each other. I know our group came up with some pretty cool acts that we thought up together.

After the long hike, where some climbed up rocks and others swung across on a vine, ABSA went to its favorite place for food during Alumni Weekend, Rudy's! Gathering at different tables and interacting with alumni, everyone was eager to begin munching on some good old barbeque. Passing around trays and trays of meat, current members got to ask past members questions on a more personal level. In the end, members left knowing alumni who they can connect with in years to come as a mentor and as a friend. Thank you everyone who came to support the event.





Bazaarvoice™

company field trip



by Jane Tedjajuwana

On October 14th, ABSA had its first company trip in the fall semester to Bazaarvoice.

Upon entering the building, we got warm welcome and were given a brief introduction about the company, what they do, and so on. Bazaarvoice takes business on a reformative perspective, utilizing various media such as Facebook to conduct its surveys. Most of us did not know until then the extent to which Facebook could be used. They said they could easily pull out survey data on Facebook and sort it out based on the responders' data such as age, gender, education, and such. Combining technology and innovative ideas, Bazaarvoice aims to gather public opinion about its clients.

After the brief introduction, Amanda Jensen, a university recruiter, took us around the office. Bazaarvoice does its best to accommodate workers with the best working environment. Each worker is given the freedom to decorate his cubicle; therefore, do not be surprised to see plastic coconut trees accompanied by a tree swing in one corner of the room. The amazement did not end yet, Brett Hurt, the Founder and CEO of Bazaarvoice, greeted us in person! Talking to him was an amazing experience. He is a very inspirational and approachable figure. When asked about his idea of the workplace, he said that he wanted the office to be a home where workers can feel comfortable because that is where they spend most of their time.



by Jany Xu

One early Friday afternoon on October 21, a group of ABSA members met with team members of the Wells Fargo commercial banking division in Austin. The experiences of the speaker panel were much diversified, including a financial analyst, portfolio manager, and branch manager. The panel gave us a warm welcome and after a round of introductions went over a PowerPoint that gave a general, but educational overview on commercial banking and Wells Fargo. It was pretty clear by the end of the PowerPoint that Wells Fargo deeply cared not just about business, but also about the welfare of its clients.

Once the ABSA group was more acquainted with commercial banking and Wells Fargo's role in it, the rest of the time was spent discussing various aspects of commercial bank-

ing. The panel was very personable and made sure to answer each person's question as thoroughly as possible. The topics ranged from the panel's personal experiences in the banking industry to general advice of what classes to take in order to be as equipped as possible for the business world. Panelists also shared internship opportunities with Wells Fargo including a leadership development program and a commercial and corporate lending summer analyst program. These programs are geared toward students from their second to third year in college and provide real hands-on opportunities to get a feel for what it'd be like to work in the commercial banking sphere of finance.

The Wells Fargo field trip was very informative as well as personable. ABSA members were able to not only gain a unique opportunity to interact

with a diversified commercial banking panel, but also had the chance to get advice on different aspects of banking. Overall, the experience was great, creating a way to learn about commercial banking from experts in a relaxed, but professional environment.



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COMPANY FIELD TRIP DALLAS 2011

by Luther Fan

On November 4th, ABSA suited up for a very special event: the Dallas Company Field Trip! Early in the morning, Alex Kong, David Chen, Helen Lee, Luther Fan, Jeanne Feng, Yiwen Xu, and Professional VP Terence Ko packed two cars and began their journey northbound on I-35. By lunchtime, we had reached their first destination: General Electric.

At the GE Office, we were treated to lunch and a presentation about the company led by James Eng. After the short presentation, GE gave us another treat: a chance to network with a number of GE employees and ask them questions. Once we finished what GE called our “speed dating” session, we gave our thanks and headed to the second company of our trip: Alvarez & Marsal.

During the trip to the A&M office, we took in the sights and sounds of downtown Dallas by taking a few detours along the way. Once we arrived, Mat Hency, a McCombs grad, gave us an introduction to the company, a consulting firm, as well as to the field of consulting itself.

After we bid adieu to Alvarez & Marsal, we began the recreational portion of our trip. We headed to NorthPark Center Mall, where we shopped at H&M and ate our fill at the food court. After dinner, we headed to Family Karaoke,

where we showcased our singing skills. Professional VP Terence in particular demonstrated his impressive vocal range in a variety of songs, both in English and other languages. After we sang our hearts out, we crashed for the night at King Spa & Sauna, where we reached tranquility in an assortment of hot rooms and cold rooms, as well as hot pools and cold pools. Once we were rejuvenated in the morning, we began our trip back to Austin, but not before enjoying a delicious Korean BBQ lunch. Though it was tiring at times, Dallas CFT 2011 was a memorable experience and a great success!



by Eric Allen

Office hours are one of the best times to gain an actual connection with your professors. Last year, I constantly went to all my professors’ office hours in order to talk about to them about what was going on in class and the subject matter.

These office hours with different business school professors are eye-openers in the different subject matters that they specialize in. Katie Gray’s office hours were a great way for people who did not know about MIS or who have not taken their first MIS class to really get a big picture of what MIS is really about. Professor Gray really knows the material and her insight in the MIS field really helped freshmen understand what MIS really is and that it is not just for computer geeks or nerds that sit in the basement of the business looking at computers. Also, besides learning about MIS, we all learned that life could take you many places that you may not have intended to go. Katie knew she wanted to teach after undergrad but to get to that point, she went to grad school, worked for IBM and Accenture, and then landed her job here teaching MIS. She really did convey the message that you should be willing to have an open mind because life will

have different paths for you to land your dream job. Overall, it was a great time!



OFFICE HOURS

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KATIE
GRAY

Office Hours

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Professor Smith

by Jaclyn Nguyen

Stephen Smith, renowned accounting professor at McCombs, came to the SAC to talk to ABSA members about his career and life experiences. In March 2010, McCombs Today mentioned Stephen Smith as one of ten faculty members to be recognized on the Faculty Honor Roll for Teaching Excellence by the Undergrad Business Council and Undergrad Program Office. Within roughly five years of teaching at UT, Smith has taught from Introductory Financial/Managerial Accounting to advanced accounting courses like ACC 380K and 381N. Office Hour is a casual event where students can talk with a UT professor outside of a classroom or formal setting. At this event you can learn more about the professors and the classes they teach as well as ask for advice in an informal setting.

One of the most interesting facts about Smith was how he got into accounting. “I grew up in West Virginia thinking I was going to be an engineer. I was good at math and logical thinking, so I thought that field was for me. I ended up disliking my science and engineering classes. An advisor recommended I take an accounting course to get a taste of business. I absolutely loved it, which stuck.” Soon after, Smith graduated and went to work for PwC. He then moved to Austin for more job opportunities.

Seeing Stephen Smith outside of classroom walls was interesting since he talked about balancing a family life with a teaching job. He was upfront about answering everyone’s questions, whether it involved the difficulty of accounting or the window of jobs after finishing undergrad at McCombs. Smith emphasized the importance of gaining experience from internships. “In order to succeed in life, you must ask questions. Don’t be afraid to make mistakes as long as you don’t make the same mistakes. Above all, as cheesy as this sounds, follow your passion. It is what will motivate you to wake up in the morning and go to work.” As a group of ambitious business students, we couldn’t agree more, Professor Smith.

FINANCIAL SERVICE WORKSHOP



by Jane Tedjajuwana

On November 14th, Financial Branch held a financial service workshop led by Lee Wang and Ken Nguyen. Although MPA seems to be the most popular major among ABSA people, the workshop was packed, proving that there is a substantial interest in the finance major too. Lee and Ken were the perfect people for the job. They did a really good job explaining the finance major and its possible career paths. They gave a brief introduction of all the possible career paths, but they only went in depth on some of the most popular ones.

Among them are corporate finance, commercial/corporate banking, risk management, hedge funds, and investment banking. What I found very interesting was the daily schedule they put up for each possible career path. That way, we would be able to further assess ourselves and contemplate on the kind of life we want to have. They went over specific details, too, such as the promotion cycle. By explaining different career paths within the finance major, they also debunked the fact that finance was not for everyone, or that you had to work over 100 hours/week as a finance major; it all depends on your choice of career path. All in all, everyone agreed that it was a really beneficial workshop, and we got a lot out of it.



by Frank Cheng

Dressed up in business casual attire, I went into the boardroom, confident yet nervous. Seeing the face of Denny Ku, I felt more comfortable. Don't get me wrong, Denny looked ready to hire some successful interviewees so he had a serious face (but deep down I knew my smile would melt him).

Anyways, back to the mock interview. I treated it as a real interview and answered every question Denny threw at me with enthusiasm. Some great feedback he gave to me was that I really connected to my character and was able to express myself in a way that my resume could not do. He also let me realize my faults including how I look at my nails a lot, so girls, please take from my experiences and not let your nails take away from a potential job acceptance.

In fact, Denny even went over our allotted time. ABSA upperclassmen want to see their members succeed. It's genuine feedback like these that show the importance of mock interviews. You may not be lucky enough to have Denny as an interviewer, but there are so many other upperclassmen willing to share their experiences. This is especially for underclassmen business majors who rely a lot on interview experiences to be successful at real company interviews. The mock interview is not only fun, but truly a great learning experience for both the interviewer and interviewee.



by Jessica McCarthy

Fear. That was what Jae Kim, CEO of Chi'Lantro, said he would discuss at the Entrepreneurship Workshop on October 26, 2011. With such a somber subject in store, the attending members were quiet when he started to speak. An air of anticipation filled the room, and a slightly nervous Jae turned to face the crowd. "Starting a new business is like asking a girl on a date," he said.

What?

The entire room burst into laughter. It was understandable; most business students would not expect someone to compare the trials of entrepreneurship to the turbulence of romance. However, Jae made it work, and he did it with a mixture of comedy and sincerity that only increased his appeal. Plus, his argument did make sense: Creating a business requires research, courage, and passion, just as dating does!

That interesting piece paved the way for the other deeper message of Jae's presentation: "Fear something impossible." Jae's personal experiences showed that entrepreneurship was far from glamorous. In reality, it was a challenge that required extreme amounts of hard work and dedication. However, Jae encouraged the members to not let the fear of failure dissuade them from acting on their ideas and dreams. Our youth, Jae said, was our greatest advantage. If we failed now, it was not the end. We could learn from our mistakes and start again until we succeeded.

Overall, it was a highly enjoyable and inspirational night. So, do not discard your crazy ideas, ABSA! In the future, they may become something extraordinary.

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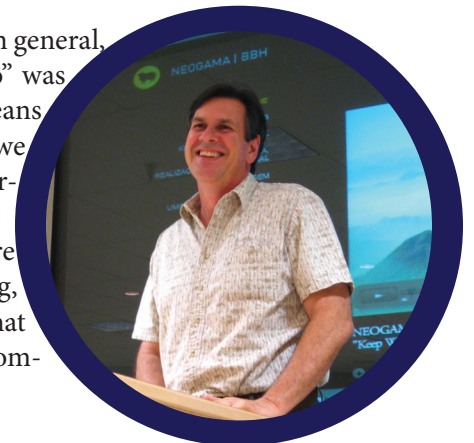
BRAZIL BUSINESS CULTURE WORKSHOP

by Daryle Utama

Globalization has been on the rise for the past decade, and it has yet to slow down. America is certainly a great capitalistic power, but other countries are also beginning to build their own economic strengths. ABSA's Academic Branch decided to host a workshop that incorporated both business and a unique culture—Brazil—and had the privilege of conducting it with Dr. Orlando Kelm.

Dr. Kelm opened the workshop with interesting details of Brazilian culture in general, and explained the differences between our own culture and theirs. The term "jeito" was always brought up by Dr. Kelm, and it is a word used frequently in Brazil that means "style." Brazil is unique in that it has its own style in business engagements. For us, we would see their style as being rather laid-back, but such style does not negate performance.

Because of the many aspects Dr. Kelm shared with us about Brazilian culture and business, we all began to see just how powerful multicultural business is growing, and just how essential it is in today's world. We can no longer sit back and assume that everything is done in the United States, for that would be a fantasy. Everything is becoming more international, and that is the future of our business.



Capital Area Food Bank

By: Loren Wang

Capital Area Food Bank is the largest food bank in Central Texas, with over 350 partner agencies. Working with them was a wonderful experience. It was an „Äúaha,Äù moment when I realized that every time we volunteer at Micah 6 or UUMC Soup Kitchen, the food that we were serving actually came from Capital Area Food Bank!

The food bank itself actually looked more like a warehouse. When we got there, we were split up into teams to work more efficiently. Some of the jobs available included labeling boxes, breaking down containers, and taking out trash. I got placed on the inspection line, meaning that my job was to check each can to see if it was expired. It was four hours of tough work, but halfway through, we discovered a radio playing in the warehouse and cranked up some tunes, which made the time go by much

faster (for all those who have never sung along to something with Josh Hu, I highly recommend the experience).

Plus, we had a few good laughs at the ridiculous items some people donated. Many of us came across used toothbrushes, strange foreign foods, and half-eaten boxes of cookies. The strangest item I came across was a bottle of steak marinade that had floating chunks of what looked like algae in it. Needless to say, that got tossed.



When it was time to go, our coordinator told us that we had sorted almost two tons of food! We all left the event feeling a little better and hungrier than before.

MICAH 6 FOOD PANTRY

By: Cassandra Chew

On Saturday, October 15, good-hearted ABSA members headed over to Micah 6 for Volunteering Event #6: Micah 6 #2. Micah 6 is a local food pantry located about five minutes away from campus. Its foodstuffs are provided by the Capital Area Food Bank, a food bank where fellow ABSA members were sorting canned goods that day. Micah 6 is no ordinary food pantry. The local visitors do not simply receive items to take home; rather they can shop for the items. The main center at Micah 6 is set up as a mini grocery store where visitors can look at the product and choose what they need. „Ä®After a quick orientation by the

Micah 6 volunteer heads, we headed off to the tasks that fitted our interest best. Jerry and I practiced our Spanish as we worked in the registration line. While taking a break, I watched the visitors shop for food. It felt good to see how the work we do at Capital Area is connected to the work at Micah 6. Aimi and Joyce entertained little kids at the daycare center, while Quan and

other ABSA members manned the aisle.

After cleaning up, we took our signature picture in front of Micah 6 and parted our ways. Some headed off to prep for the upcoming football game against Kansas, while others hurried home to their bed to squeeze in a quick nap. In the end, Volunteering Event #6 was an enjoyable event that we will definitely do again.





HALLOWEEN SOCIAL

By: Sherry Zeng

What do you get when you put together 50 degree weather, a big group of Asians, and a couple of big ghouls and monsters? ABSA, Æs House of Torment Halloween Social! As we were having our general meeting with Liberty Mutual, the weather took a sneaky change for a cold front. While waiting outside the House of Torment for tickets, groups huddled with each other for warmth as bloody , Æmonsters, Æ tried to scare us. After shivering for what it seemed like forever, ABSA made its way into the house in groups of ten.

As each group was let in, we heard screams echoing from the

house, so everyone clung onto each other as we maneuvered through the first house. Oh, did I mention that the House of

Torment has two houses? The first one was merely a taste of what the second house would be like. Your own Internal VP, PATRICK CHEN, tried to sacrifice members and even sped up in front of everyone else in the group just to hide in a corner to scare more people.

After more screaming and 40 minutes later, all

of ABSA made it out alive! Crossing uneven bridges, turning into corners trying to avoid monsters, and clinging onto each other was a stress-relieving way to spend a Thursday evening. House of Torment has nothing on us!



THE AMAZING RACE

By: Sherry Zeng

Eight families. Eight locations. Eight tasks.

What better way to spend a beautiful Saturday afternoon with your ABSA family?

Each family brought their A-game and successfully conquered tasks including scarfing down five fiery Plucker, wings, karaokeing at Juicy Tart, leapfrogging and building human pyramids at South Mall, eating nacho

cheese dip and Vienna sausages, shooting free throws at Gregory, finding the Joy Luck Club at PCL, solving Sudoku puzzles, and trying on layers and layers of clothing at the Co-Op. Each station had two family members that volunteered to keep families in line as they tackled each specific task. I, a sure people that day were wondering why huge groups of Asians wearing the same colored shirts were running up and down the Drag and leapfrogging

up South Mall.

A strip of white paper has never meant anything until this Saturday. After eight vigorous tasks at eight locations across campus and two hours later, families started to report back to the family directors at the Tower and Get On Our Level really lived up to their family name as they were FIRST!



VOLLEYBALL

By: Betty Wang

Bump, set, spike! This year, ABSA's volleyball team made it all the way to playoffs!

Unfortunately, our season was cut short as we lost the game-clenching set in the first round of playoffs. Despite a heart-wrenching loss, this season is definitely one to be remembered.

Throughout the regular season, ABSA dominated the competition as

we finished with an undefeated record. While a few games were extremely close, ABSA always managed to put its opponents away. Above all else, our team played with cooperation and encouragement. No matter where the ball landed on the court, out of bounds or in someone's face, we always high-fived each other with support. Let's not forget about the devoted spectators who were always there to cheer us on. Thank you all so much! Needless to say, everyone

on the team was more than excited to move on to playoffs.

In the first round of playoffs, ABSA fought hard and strong and was able to tie the game up in the second set after falling short in first. The third set was definitely a sight to see as we had some intense rallies, but in the end, the result was not in our favor. Regardless, it is always a blast to enjoy each other's company while playing the best sport ever. Good job volleyball, team!

UUMC Soup Kitchen and FIG Leaf Clothing Store

By: Frank Cheng

The alarm buzzed at 8:15am. I jumped out of bed, ready for Church. Saturday Church: UUMC Soup Kitchen. The objective was to make and serve food to over 200 people in need around Austin.

The United University Methodist Church does this every Saturday but on the week of October 29, 2011, it was ABSA, a chance to feed the community (with a Halloween theme). The fresh aroma of bell peppers, onions, cilantro, red cabbage, lettuce, tomatoes and raw meat filled the kitchen. The group of ten ABSA volunteers and their event leader Frank Cheng were prepared for a philanthropic morning.

With hands washed and latex gloves on, everyone was assigned by the event leader to cut some raw food. The most emotionally demanding job was cutting the onions; Eric Allen and Jany Xu were able to stay in control and accomplish the task. Although the meat was tough, ABSA volunteers were tougher and cut through three pounds of animal meat into bitable pieces. In addition, the different colors of bell peppers really brought about the creativeness of ABSA volunteers as they mixed and matched yellow, orange and red ones together.

After cleaning and chopping the vegetables and meats, it was time to cook and serve the food. ABSA served large spoons of the food and big handfuls of love to everyone (did not run out of the ladder). After the first session, the cleanup group, led by Jane Tedjejuwana wrapped up the day by making sure that any extra love ABSA left on the counters and in the halls and in the bathrooms were cleaned up; we made sure ABSA left a good impression at UUMC. Another volunteering event also occurred at the church in the morning in the clothing room. ABSA volunteers were cheerful to fold lots of clothes and distribute them along with love and smiles to ensure a warm feeling.



MENS FOOTBALL PLAYOFFS

By: Helen Lee

What an intense night as ABSA cheers on our men IM football team during playoffs! Our opponents had speed in their play, but our boys also countered that with strategy and tactic during the first half of the game. With each and every play, everyone on the team was on the alert, never leaving an opening if possible. Everyone was a team player, supporting each other and covering whenever someone was tired. Going through the second half of the game, everyone roared with support

for the men's team. Our scores were neck to neck with each other. However, coming toward the end of the game, our opponents caught up with the score and eventually overcame us. ABSA mens

IM Football team lost during playoffs, but everyone persevered through the last minute, never giving up. We did not make it through to finals this year, but there will always be next year and the future. No matter what, a big shout-out to all the boys who played for the ABSA team, the athletic directors who put in support for the team, and all the members who came out to support each and every game. Without everyone, ABSA would have never made it this far this season. Go ABSA IM Men's team!



Pie-An-Officer

By: Jee-Ho Kang

The sweet smell of fresh whipped cream, the excited cheers of the anxious crowd, the wrenching stench of tubs of sour cream. Wait what?

What started off as a simple whipped cream pie-an-officer event took a turn, for better or for worse, as the demand for weaponized pies overtook the supply of the whipped cream. With quick thinking, the hectic event turned even crazier as sour cream became the only weapon of choice available.

Some officers were not as bombarded by the members, while others

were blessed with a fury of whipped and/or sour cream. A specific officer single handedly fueled the event as most members were eager in tak-

ing a part to avenge their or their friend's



death in ABSA Assassins. The event came to a climax with a bid war between two



members on, The Bucket, where the winning member was granted a huge game-sized bucket of cream (in this

case, sour cream) to dump on the officer of his or her choice.

As the epic night came to an end, almost everyone took part in cleaning

up the war-torn pie field while officers worked furiously trying to clean themselves from the creamy mess. An officer even tried to use the cream as hair styling gel to get his sexyback even sexier!

All in all, the event was more than successful as we managed to raise more than triple the amount of what we first expected! Thank you to all the officers who

took the pies in the face like champs, and thank you to all the members who supported the event!

CO-ED FOOTBALL CHAMPIONSHIP

By: Grace Kim

This was the final intramural flag football game of the season, and for many of the players, the final game of our college career. Hopes were high and a buzz of excitement permeated the crisp night air. While the players warmed up, a huge crowd of supporters came to witness this monumental moment in ABSA's history. As the players huddled together for a quick pep talk, we reminded each other that win or lose, the most important things were the strong friendships we created this season through all our games. After a piercing warrior cry (ABSAAAA!) we prepared for the final showdown. Defense started off on a positive note, keeping the opposing team from gaining first down. The victorious streak continued when John Vinh successfully intercepted a pass and ran the final 10 yards for our first touchdown. The next few minutes were pretty tense, with incomplete passes and turnovers on each side. Finally, with only five plays left in the game, Nook Truong threw a 10-yard pass to Will Ruy, which ensured our victory with a final score of 6-2. The crowd went wild: ABSA WON IM FLAG FOOTBALL CHAMPIONSHIPS FOR THE FIRST TIME! The sexy IM championship T-shirt is something we will certainly cherish for the years to come.





Dodge for a Cause

By: Loren Wang

HEADS UP! This year, Dodge for a Cause took place on November 11th and was co-hosted between ABSA, Freshman Business Association, and McCombs Diversity Council. It was amazing seeing everyone coming out to support the event! ABSA had 16 teams and over 100 attendees, double the size of last year's tournament.

The competition was fierce: right from the start, it was obvious that no

prisoners were going to be taken. After the double elimination bracket sorted everyone out, only one team remained: Bring Back Hungry Howie, led by our Professional VP, Terence Ko. They ended up taking home more than \$400 in gift certificates! Oh Snap! ended up taking home the prize for Best Dressed with their awesome face paint.

My team, Michael Aldaba, Dodgy Dodgers, made it out of the first round, but suffered crushing losses to Super Snap Dat Ho and Legendary. In our

game against Legendary, Josh Yap and I faced off against each other for a good minute with no one else on the court. I dodged his balls for a stretch, but then I got caught up in his extreme handsomeness and my arm went limp, causing me to throw a ball too softly. Josh caught it and I was out. My team was heartbroken, but there's, always next year!

THANKSGIVING POTLUCK

By: Eric Allen

I wake up early in the morning, go hiking with the alumni, and go to Rudys for BBQ, then go to Vincent's to take a nap. I go to my job training, get a call from Hyun asking for the THIRD TIME how to cook the ham, rush back to Vincent's place, look at the ham, and see it's still not done. I need to hurry to the gym! I yell at Hyun for being late, take the mashed sweet potatoes, arrive at the gym; everyone starts talking, and me and Sandy start carving for an hour. Hyun FINALLY comes with my ham; everyone loves the ham.

The night equals



their food together and have the best dish there. Over 50 hungry college kids to feed, and no one was on time. However, it was a great time to just sit down, talk to members and alumni, and take in really good food, especially my ham. The mac and cheese was nice and cheesy, the duck was succulent, the turkey was nice and moist, the mashed potatoes were buttery, and the ham was so juicy! All in all, it was just another great time to bond with my fellow ABSAers and my family. BLLL-LACCCKKKK AND YEELLLOOOOWWW

a success! Family potluck was fun, but really stressful, everyone rushing to get

Project Reach Out

By: Jessica McCarthy

Bright and early on the morning of Saturday, November 12, around twenty ABSA members reported to the UTC for Project Reach Out. Given fashionable blue t-shirts and energy via a large array of snacks, ABSA made their way to their assigned site, Mathews Elementary School. There, as Frank Cheng astutely noted, the members discovered that Project Reach Out was actually Project Work Out.

During the next three hours, the team put their bodies to work. Split into several work areas, some brought bricks individually up the stairs until a moment of brilliance led to a brick-pile assembly line. Others armed with shovels, picks, and wheelbarrows tore up the soil and dug the beginnings of a pit for the pipes of a sprinkler system.

As the morning progressed, we spread out to even more jobs, including work with power tools to cut beams of wood and break up asphalt. Along the way, we worked with volunteers from the Red Cross and volunteering professional landscapers; one landscaper taught the guys how to really use a pick, impressively tearing apart the land within minutes!

While some jobs finished, the digging continued throughout. It was hard work, but socializing and more food got the team through the day. In the end, all of the volunteers worked together to finish making the pit six inches deep into the ground, quite a feat, and our bodies felt it! We left Mathews exhausted but with a sense of accomplishment. Overall, it was not a bad day of work for a group of college students!

Race for the Cure

By: Sherley Loo

As the clouds cleared and the sun rose, Sunday morning arrived and ABSA members woke up bright and early for Susan G. Komen. A band of thirty gathered at Littlefield Fountain at 7:00am, and they all started walking to the starting line for Race for the Cure. Once every member passed the starting line, the fires in their hearts were lit and everybody was off. Feet moving, hearts beating, blood pumping, all in unison and all of this was for finding a cure through breast cancer research.

From start to finish, there was never a dull moment. Whether it

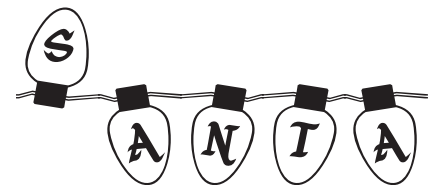
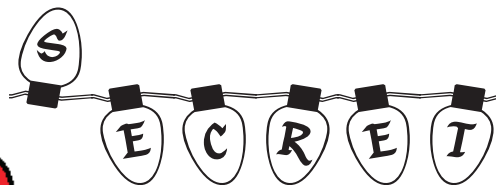
was running or walking the entire 5K distance, uphill and downhill, around

ish line first were there at the end, waiting and ready to cheer on the finishing members when they were nearing the finish line. Not only did we encourage each other, but we also supported our community. Susan G. Komen was more than just an event for breast cancer; it was an event to celebrate life and all it had to offer us.

Although it may have seemed like a long time passed, the race was finished well before noon. Susan G. Komen was a gratifying experience that made any participant feel accomplished. This is definitely an amazing event to have again next year. KEEP IT UP, ABSA!



the capitol, and through downtown-- it was truly a memorable experience. Everybody started together but some finished faster than others. Still, in the end, the members who crossed the fin-

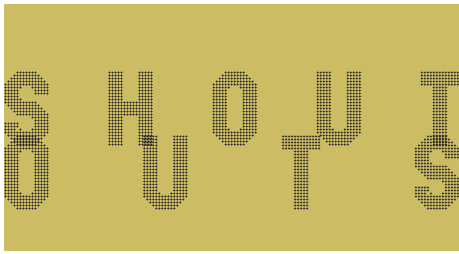


By: Josh Hu

Secret Santa is an ABSA tradition! Each year, members buy small gifts for other members they are randomly paired with! Gifts are usually around \$15 and are exchanged during EOS. While each person has items on their wish list, people are free to be as creative as

possible in gift choices! Some people want UT gear and T-shirts while others want gift cards and candy. Gifts are usually placed under the Christmas tree like Old St. Nicholas would. My Secret Santa was in Admin Branch last year. Can you guess who it was?





Christine Lau

Alex Cui: You're an awesome Big Sib! Keep it up!

Alex Nguyen: Looking forward to working with you again on Marketing Team! Cheers!

Amy Cui: Our True Colors are definitely GOLD!

Angela Chow: The "BadInflunce" & "GoodInflunce" FB names are way adorable!

Ariel Kao: You're awesome at sports and being a great sports director!

Arsalan Nasir: I am so sorry I killed you in Assassins! Great sportsmanship at dodgeball!

Becky Luu: I rarely see you around now :(

Ben Michael Williams: Is it weird I always say your full name when I see you? Also, you have amazing talent with music ;)

Beth Hsieh: I hope you enjoy hanging with our Family! I will always call you Beth:D

Betty Wang: I love your hugs and I miss you! I hope everything is going well, I'm always here for you!

Carrie Chen: Ni Hao! Thanks for always lending me your ear time to time!

Cindy Kuang: I hope you enjoy hanging with our Family! You were working that wall ball :P

Cindy Lin: HI MOMMY! Looking forward to working with you again on Marketing Team! Cheers!

Courtney Chen: Looking forward to working with you again on Marketing Team! Cheers!

Danny An: Step it up and be a man!

Daryle Utama: You have an amazing voice, I was pretty swooned myself. Keep it up for the ladies ;)

Denny Ku: You're awesome at sports and being a great sports director!

Emily Kong: Thanks for holding my hand during rollarskating. You're a great teacher :D

Eric Allen: Thanks for helping me out and being there for me as my lil bro! BAD

ASSETS!

Eugene Hsiao: Have fun at LeaderShape! ENJOY IT!

Fiona Ng: You're adorable.

Frank Cheng: FRANK FRANK! You're pretty frank when it comes to the ladies ;)

George Chen: You were an awesome partner for Marketing Plan! Thanks for everything :D

Grace Kim: YOU ARE A SUPA WOMAN and an AWESOME PRESIDENT! I admire you ;)

Grace Ko: Where have you been?

Hannah Kang: You are so adorable :3

Heather Ha: "IT'S GONNA BE A GOOD LIFE!" Never give up, Heather! Everything will be worth it in the end!

Helen Lee: You're awesome at being a media directors! Cheers!

Jackson Pei: You look pretty korean with those black square frames!

Jaclyn Nguyen: Good luck with Launch! Let me know if you need any help!

Jake Han: Yay for Brass Ring! I enjoyed working with you this semester! Have a safe trip back home to South Korea!

James Song: Good Luck to Feed Your Mind!

James Yang: Incline! Regular Sit ups, Twist, Burn! 1 2 3 GO!

Jane Tedjajuwana: I wish I could pronounce your last name ;)

Jany Xu: Hi my daughter! I really enjoy spending time with you and make sure to say hi to your parents for me :D

Jason Watt: Your cantonese is great, keep it up!

Jason Wu: Thanks for being such an active lil! Keep it up!

Jeanne Feng: Sour...poop. LOL

Jeff Zhao: Miss you, friend.

Jennifer Nguyen: Looking forward to working with you again on Marketing Team! Cheers!

Jenny Che: As long as you are doing your best, there no need to stress!

Jenny Ding: I really enjoyed getting to know you and spending time with you!

Jessica McCarthy: You're doing a great job for the Academic Branch! Keep it up!

John Chen: Awesome card tricks ;)

John Terada: Tell me! Tell me! TTTT Tell me! ;)

Jonathan Wong: I'm glad you could utilize my cell phone. Remember to return it :D

Jordan Naumann: Awesome zombie costume! BAD ASSETS!

Joshua Yap: Great job being a big sib! Keep it up!

Justin Fong: Come out to more family events!

Ka-Wai To: Hi! How have you been?!

Keith Chan: Remember to come out to my 21st Bday :D

Ken Nguyen: I see you around the bschool.. A lot :D

Kevin Chu: I'm glad I was able to spend time with you this semester <3

Kyle Kong: You're an awesome friend and study buddy! If you need someone to study with, hit me up!

Linda Ye: Get lots of rest during the break :D

Lisa Vo: You have an awesome hairstyle. I love it!

Louis Yu: You awesome at being Admin VP! Keep it up!

Mei-Lynn Hua: I hope everything works out for you! I'll be here for ya if you need anything :D

Michael Gu: I still remember our first dinner. That salmon sandwich was so good! I want to eat it again!

Molly Sun: You're awesome at being my Big Sib and a friend! I wish you best in your future endeavors! I will miss you! BAD ASSETS!

Nook Truong: Great job at IM Football! You are Nook the Bullet! :D

Patrick Chen: You're awesome at being Internal Director! Keep it up!

Petra Koid: Hi Roomie! You are such an amazing person and an awesome roommate! Enjoy your break!

Pulok Khan: Thanks for noticing how cute my sounds effects are and stop mocking me!

Qiaochu Tang: You're actually a pretty cool friend. Thanks for everything.

Quan Nguyen: Am I really that intimidating?

Richard He: "Oh, It's just Christine, I can take the picture in my towel!" Thanks, I feel so loved. LOL.

Robert Huynh: I hope your semester went well! Come out to more Family Events next semester!

Sean Zhou: Thanks for being such an active lil! Keep it up!

Sherley Loo: You're so adorable! I always feel like an older sister around you :D

Stefan Lim: I really like your name ;)

Taehoon Kim: You're are such a charismatic Academic VP! & You be showing off your Korean swag! Keep it up!

Terence Ko: You're pretty scary, in a good way, when you are competitive

Thuy Do: Looking forward to work-

ing with you again on Marketing Team!
Cheers!

Vincent Nguyen: You have such Mad Photography Skills! Keep it up!

William Ruy: You're awesome at sports and being a director! Keep it up!

Yinni Chen: I miss you. I hope your semester went well!

Daryle Utama

Denny Ku: DANNY stop scaring me all the time.

Josh Hu: Thanks for your contribution to the stats project Jay ;)

Josh Yap: If you have any questions about...[fill in the blank] ;)

Richard He: Thanks for being my first friend in ABSA and dragging me along to this organization man... I can't believe fast time has flown. Let's leave a lasting legacy in ABSA!

Eugene Hsiao: Eugene Hsiao. Thanks for everything you've done for me. You'll always be my buddy, and I appreciate the talks we had over the year, and just how close we got. You'll always be part of the Executive Branch.

Amanda Almada: GOOOOO RAVEN-CLAW!

Louis Yu: Thanks for keeping all of us officers in check.

Eric Allen: Eric Allen, you are one of the most Asian people that I know, thanks so much for your support for ABSA.

David Shim: Where did you go man?

Terence Ko: Officer Ter-Bear. Let's work out. Go easy on me though.

Youngsik Kim: THIS IS A SHOUTOUT TO YOUNGSIK. ABSA hasn't forgotten you.

Patrick Chen: Princess Patrick! I want to see you tying bows in action.

Tammy Tran: I can teach you to parallel park ;)

Cassandra Chew: You're a volunteering director now! Make sure you keep me active!

Taehoon Kim: You never fail to make me laugh, and I really admire your dedication to ABSA. I enjoyed the talks we had together, especially witnessing your enthusiasm for Disney World haha ;)

Kevin Chu: I'm going to copy your haircut.

Jen Tam: Haha. Hahaha. Hahahahaha. HAHAHAHAHAAAA. Hahaha. Haha. Ha. HAHAHAHAHAHAHAAAA. Jen Tam, I miss having you in Executive Branch. You can return and become my director ;)

Tracy Wing: T-Wing, we need to have a Madam Mam's marathon. Except I think Titaya's is better, so we should have that instead. You're such a great friend, and we need to hang out more! Stop studying so hard and spare time for me :) I miss Exec with you in it!

Dar Iamsuri: You're the only Thai person that I know in ABSA... I miss Bangkok so much... let's go back one day!

Charles Lai: I'm going to visit Dallas one day. I promise. I'll help you teach at Florence Middle School. Then we'll both work in San Francisco. We'll both work at Google and revolutionize the company. Then when we look back at all that we've accomplished, we can reminisce about all the good times we had ;)

Petra Koid: I enjoy our conversations :) Hang out with me more!

Patty Huang: Patricia, where have you been all semester? I miss my singing buddy :(

Lee Wang: You're one of the most charismatic people I know. And articulate too.

Andreia Choi: Stay active in ABSA... you only have one more semester! I hope I get to hang out with you before you leave.

Cathy Shen: Cathy I never got you your heart-shaped McDonald's burger. I apologize for continuously breaking your heart. It will happen one day.

Eric Tsang: We need to go trailer-hopping more. I need to spare more time for you. Hit me up!

Ran Liu: Ran, you are such a sweet person. Keep up that cheerful personality of yours ;)

Henry Shi: I'll go to Basketball with the ex-President eventually!

Grace Ko: Stop smiling all the time! JK. Your smile really brightens everyone's day ;)

Grace Kim: Your ambition really gets to me, and I find myself striving further towards my goals just from hearing you share your personal experiences with me. You're a great guy.

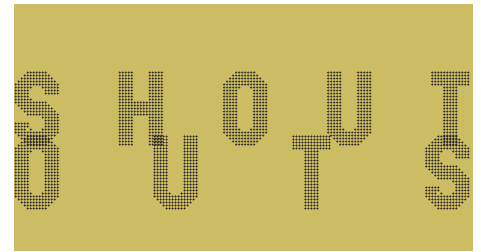
Ka-Wai To: Hit me up with your investment banking knowledge!

John Terada: Dinosaur. You're so cool and collected. I admire your composure. I enjoyed our talks together my friend ;)

Jenny Tseng: You are such an organized person! Glad to have you on the team.

Mei-Lynn: Your ambition is super admirable. Thanks for being on top of things!

Stefan Lim: Your attitude, intelligence, and passion will take you far big guy. Keep at it with everything you do.



James Yang: Help me edit my Informer articles and weekly e-mails! I need an expert editor :) You're a great contribution to our branch, and I'm really glad I have you on the team.

Maggie Zhang: My only sophomore director! Help lead the other directors with their duties... you're more than qualified to do so. I hope to see you more often this semester!

Sherry Zeng: So... what would have happened if you never talked to me about microeconomics? Then would the long list of everything that followed afterwards disappear in a flash? I'm glad you did then ;)

Jennifer Nguyen

Oh Snap!: BEST FAMILY EVER. I loved hanging out with you all and spamming Facebook together lol. I feel really luck to have met and been in the same family as you all. I'm going to miss you so much. :(Don't forget me and expect me to come back and visit!

J.Crew: MY BOYS. ♥ My precious and beautiful boys. Don't forget your leader and only girl! ;) And all new additions still gotta come through me!

Armon Khorrami: Good job killing Terence in Assassins! Too bad I didn't get to see you very often this semester.

Brian Li: You've been super cool to talk and hang with. And your deadpan Facebook comments always make me laugh.

Casey Ip: Thanks for all the ADV315 notes! Loved sitting in class and talking with you.

Cathy Shen: C-Section! Haha girl I love talking to you. You make 4+ hour car rides fun!

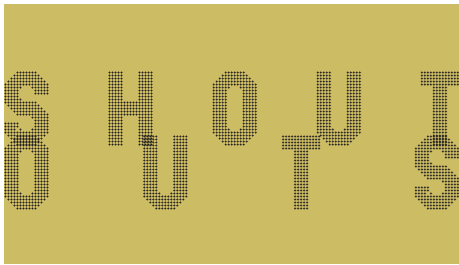
Cindy Lin: Great job leading MKT Team! Hope you're enjoying your senior year.

Dar Iamsuri: I hardly saw you this semester. We need to fix this before I graduate!

Daryle Utama: Don't you just want to join Oh Snap? Stop denying it already. ;)

David Shim:... :(

Diana Meng: It's amazing how active you still are in ABSA. I admire your dedica-



tion. Also, you are one of the sweetest girls ever!

Eric Allen: BLACK AND YEELL-LOOOOWWWW. Boy I love how loud and crazy you get. I'm expecting an AWESOME EOS.

Eric Jason Tsang: If you ever get too lazy to feed yourself, J.Crew is here for you ;) Srsly though you're hilarious and I like talking with you. Love bonding over our laziness too.

Elaine Cen: You're super cool and fun.

Felicia Tsao: OH YOU FANCY HUH? You're FREAKING AWESOME. I love hanging with my fellow BA girl. Let's keep in touch please!

Gong Chen: MAFIA!! Always so suspicious lol. But I srsly enjoyed having you in the family! Love your banter with Winnie!

Grace Kim: I still owe you a froyo or coffee date from way back when. Let's go sometime please.

Heather Ha: You're so cute! And always smiling, the complete opposite of me haha.

Helen Lee: Hope Media Director stuff is going well for you! It may be hard, but try to get some sleep before EOS!

Isoken Omoruyi: I enjoyed our Brawl sessions especially when it came to owning everyone haha. Glad you enjoyed all my 'comments' too lol.

Jaclyn Nguyen: Hey girl Oh Snap is always willing to adopt you ;) But srsly you're cool and we wouldn't mind having you.

James Song: BEST COUPLE ♥ Aww your confession tily makes up for ditching me. ;) Also your comments are OUT OF CONTROL. "Needs more tongue!" haha love it. Let's hang out so I can show around all the cool places in Houston you've been deprived of.

Jane Tedjajuwana: Did you enjoy all the Oh Snap spam? ;) lol You should come out to our events and experience the awesome first-hand. I wish I met you earlier because you're so cool.

Janet Zhou: You seem really cool. I wish we were able to talk more. Come out to more Oh Snap events so I can see you

whenever I visit!

Jason Watt: Juicy Jason! You make the best comments and faces EVER. Can I get some of that in private? ;) Lol I loved having you in the family! You are awesome and I like talking with you. Also yay Californians lol. Show me around San Fran sometime? ;)

Jee-Ho Kang: and bottom b! You are such an AWESOME person to spam Facebook and talk with. I loved every minute of hanging out with you and I'm going to miss you a lot. Come to Houston so we can hang!♥

Jenny Che: You're always so happy and cheerful whenever I see you! I admire your energy.

John Chen: I would've beat you in Brawl had it not been for Metaknight AND it being my first time playing ever. ;) I'm better with time than stock too.

John Terada: I'm totally going to take you on your offer having a place to stay when I visit NY. ;) Also gonna hit you up for cool places to see in Japan whenever I go. Teach me Japanese sometime? ;)

Jordan Naumann: I'm only a cougar for you and the rest of J.Crew ;) Haha but hanging and video gaming with you is super fun. ;)

Josh Hu: Great job as External VP so far! Sorry I never come to your events. :(But please no bringing sexy back... You're still one of my fave officers though.

Kyle Kong: You're so good at Cranium omg!

Judy Lam: Your Vietnamese is so good! Way better than mine omg.

Linde Ye: Loved taking ridic pics in the Mil Lab with you and the rest of the fam.

Loren Wang: You're always going to be Luscious Loren to me now...

Louis Yu: Thanks for dressing up as SNSD for me! Told you that you'd be HOT. Truly a dedicated officer. ;)

Mei-Lynn Hua: You're the coolest and sweetest girl ever. ;)

Molly Sun: THANK YOU SO MUCH FOR EVERYTHING THIS SEMESTER. You're the best and I couldn't have asked for a better big sib. ♥ Thanks for being there for me and planning so many awesome Oh Snap events. Also you're cluelessness makes me laugh lol. And yay fellow drama addict! :D

Nathan Chen: Nice seeing you at Alumni Weekend! You're always so chill.

Parry Ying: Please tame Winnie so she doesn't touch my boys! Haha I think you're pretty funny though and an overall

awesome person. No wonder Winnie is in love. ;)

Patrick Chen: TROLL. It was fun hiking with you though. And internal branch seems really fun. ;) Good job!

Richard He: You're always so happy and welcoming whenever I see you.

Sandy Duong: Your cooking is AMAZING. If I come visit will you cook for me? ;) Btw I'll gladly eat any of your leftover coffee ice cream lol.

Sahil Batra: Thanks for letting us use your place for movie night! You are a super cool fellow sib.

Sherley Loo: Girl I love talking and hanging out with you. We hit it off so well. I'll miss you my fave freshman girl.

Sondra Batbold: You'll always be the best officer to me. ;) Have fun in HK!

Stephanie Ham: Great job as Admin Director so far. I love having you sign me into GMs since you're always so nice and friendly. ;)

Stephanie Qin: If I come back to visit can I stay at your place? ;) Ahh I love our Oh Snap so much and don't want to leave. Thanks for being a great big sib! LOVED chillin' with you, as well as taking ridiculous pictures lol. I'm so glad I got to know you better this semester.

Taehoon Kim: Favorite officer! Keep on bringing sexy back! ;) You're hilarious btw.

Terence Ko: HOPE YOU ENJOYED THE SOUR CREAM. Also you should be honored you were in one of my profile pics ;) But good job with Professional Branch even though you're #7. Jk

Victoria Chiem: Thanks for giving Oh Snap the final answer in Family Feud! ;)

William Luu: Thanks for letting us use your Wii. I enjoyed beasting all the boys haha. ;)

Winnie Guo: Flirty lying rapist! Lol I loved being in the same family as you for two years. Just keep your hands off my boys!

Yinni Chen: Enjoyed randomly seeing you around. Wish I could see more of your lovely face though!

Yiwen Xu: I enjoyed our brown bag! Have fun with New York CFT. I'm so sad I can't go!

Kimberly Lin

Alex Cui: Cali buddies Sorry for helping Danny kill you! I'm glad I'm off the hate list and I hope you don't feel left out now.

Alex Nguyen: Thanks for finally remem-

bering my name; however, now I have a weird nick name :P

Alexis Nguyen: Thanks for all the help that day we met up with Michael. You played really well in volleyball. We should hang out more!

Angela Chow: Hehehehe. I had fun tabling with you for EOS and our production line for cups of dirt.

Ariel Kao: It was really fun meeting you and Denny at camping way back in the beginning of the year.

Armon Khorrami: I'm still unsure if I should say hi to you when I see you because I can't tell the difference between you and your brother. Hi though

Betty Wang: It was great hiking with you during Alumni Weekend and you were really great during volleyball this year

Cari Pak: Our haunted house social group was the best. It was something I never thought I'd do but it was fun with you guys.

Cassandra Chew: It's been really fun volunteering with you and hanging out a lot with you at events. We should get food together or have a sleepover!

Christine Lau: It was really great meeting you super early in the year at the first GM, I think. Haha, our Legendary and Mac N Cheese mixer was pretty fun but Mac N Cheese will always be the best.

Connie Han: I'm going to miss you so much next semester when you're gone! Thanks for being an amazing big sib.

Cristina Be: It's been a great semester with you in psych, thanks for your help! I wish we saw each other more.

Danny An: I can't believe you used Sherry and me to help you kill Alex...so sad. I hope we do our brown bag before the semester ends. Sorry about the time confliotions!

Dar Iamsuri: It's been fun hanging out with you at our family events Little Macs.

Daryle Utama: Sorry I don't have feelings for you, I hope you understand. We can still be friends though

David Chen: So when are you taking me to Walmart? Hehe, jk. It was fun hanging out with you in Dallas, definitely very memorable talking to you and Lee till 4 am.

David Wang: FIG buddy, pretty sad there's no more fig next semester. Hopefully we'll get a few classes together still.

Denny Ku: Hi. Your puppy's cute.

Diana Meng: Mama Meng, what are we going to do without you next semester? Have fun at your internship, I'm really go-

ing to miss you!

Douglas Wang: It's been great getting to know you better and hanging out at our family events. Mac N Cheese all the way!

Elaine Cen: Hehe. It's been super fun hanging out with you and getting to know you because we're in the same family and through AALI. Let's hang out soon.

Emily Kong: Thanks for being a great brown bag buddy even though you were sick and busy.

Eric Allen: I'm glad I'm no longer a troll to you anymore. It was fun shopping with you and Sherry for Alumni Weekend even though there were a few mishaps...glad it all worked out

Frank Cheng: It's been great getting to know you. It's interesting living on the same floor as you. Thanks for being someone I can always talk to when I need someone.

Gong Chen: Thanks for convincing me to go to the Haunted House social, it's definitely something I never thought I'd do. Haha, also thanks for sharing your table at Noodles & Company.

Grace Kim: It was really helpful hearing about all your experience and things you did in college. A lot of it is really inspiring. I'm looking forward to learning more throughout the year

Helen Lee: It was really fun hiking with you and taking a lot of creative and cute pictures.

Hyun Kang: I don't even know what to think...what you say to me and what Richard says tends to contradict :P so who's telling the truth?

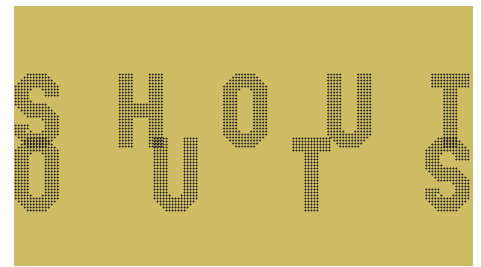
Isoken Omoruyi: It was fun sitting with you and Cathy at Noodles and Company for a while. I hope you enjoyed your food there.

Jaclyn Nguyen: Family <3 we've definitely had some pretty fun and crazy times in Dallas and just overall with our family. Can't wait to spend more time with you and Elaine next semester.

James Yang: It was fun hanging out with you guys watching HIMYM and at Noodles and Company afterwards. It was quite interesting, I have to say.

Jane Tedjajuwana: It is quite interesting how we met and started talking. It's been an amazing semester getting to know you and hanging out with you at our family events and other ABSA stuff

Jany Xu: I hope you enjoyed hanging out with us at our financial outing :) I really enjoyed hanging out with you at your Legendary hang out. We should study together



more at PCL soon.

Jason Watt: Cali buddy! It's been great getting to know you and bonding through ABSA and AALI. It was pretty fun at our AALI social when we played lots of games and ate lots of food.

Jason Wu: It's been a good semester hanging out and volunteering together a few times. It was fun getting lunch with you, Justin, and Frank after Project Reach Out.

Jee-Ho Kang: I'm glad you find it interesting watching me eat from afar...haha. We should get food together some time!

Jenny Chau: It was really great meeting you at camping early in the year and then our fun weekly finance team meetings.

Jenny Che: I hope you had fun karaoke-ing with Mac N Cheese at Juicy Tart :) Looking forward to more finance team socials next semester!

Jessica McCarthy: It's been such a crazy semester with you. FIG and ABSA stuff but it's been fun. Thanks for staying with me at the Reliant till 2/3 AM when we had presentations.

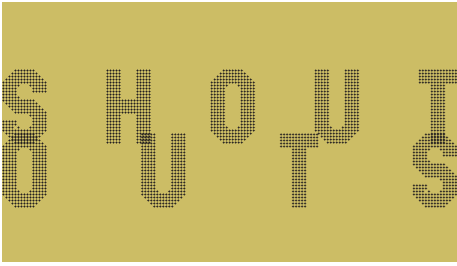
John Terada: I really enjoyed our brown bag and I hope you enjoy New York when you're there soon. Have an amazing time and experience there :)

Josh Hu: Thanks for being a great big sib. I will definitely always remember the time you left Kathy and me at the ABSA table at night market and the time you told Richard to make me pick up trash off the streets and wipe the tables and such :P AND our pyramid picture...

Josh Yap: Hi :) it's been fun hanging out with you in AALI and I guess at other things too. You missed out on our Financial branch outing, could've been there to learn about our life stories.

Judy Lam: Thanks for being so understanding and rescheduling with me for our brown bag. I really enjoyed talking to you and getting food with you. We should definitely do that again.

Justin Chao: Project Reach Out was a pretty tiring volunteering event but it was really great doing it with you. I also enjoyed getting lunch with you, Frank, and



Jason afterwards.

Justin Younki Lee: 10th floor Jester East buddy! I'm really glad you joined ABSA and that you're enjoying it and making lots of friends there. You should've joined Mac N Cheese family

Ka-Wai To: It was really great meeting you. I was pretty surprised you jumped from Financial Director to Academics VP. That's pretty cool.

Kathy Van: Fellow lil mac. It's been a great semester hanging out with you at all our family events. Can't wait to do more with you next semester!

Ken Nguyen: I hope you don't get any more food poisoning from your own cooking hehe. Anyways, it's been fun bonding with you guys at finance team socials and meetings.

Kristeen Chan: It was really great hanging out with you at the Haunted House social and then again at hiking. It was pretty fun and memorable, especially the picture you guys took that looked like you guys were rock climbing.

Kyle Kong: I'm still getting around to all the movies you've given me to watch. I'll watch them before break is over, I promise.

Lee Wang: I don't even know where to begin, but there are so many things I can say. Most of all, the advice you gave me the night we talked at Littlefield Fountain made such a big difference to how I was feeling. I really appreciate the things you've done for me and the care. Thank you!

Lisa Lam-Phaure: It feels like we haven't hung out in so long, we should really do something together soon! Hopefully, we can also visit Chinatown for once. When did we say we'd go? :P

Loren Wang: Thanks for the Red Mango :) I had a lot of fun at our brown bag. We should take a picture where you're actually smiling :P

Louis Yu: It was quite interesting watching you and Richard argue about clem-entines vs apples for a really long time at the Reliant. Thanks for offering your help with astronomy to Sherry and me when we

were studying.

Luther Fan: It's been really fun hanging out with you at our family events. Hopefully, we'll hang out more next semester with our honorary big sibs!

Mei-Lynn Hua: AALI sessions and our times in the mentorship program have definitely brought us closer together. I really hope we have classes or something together next semester!

Molly Sun: Congrats for winning the Kindle. I can't believe you're already graduating. Enjoy your last EOS and I really hope you come back to visit.

Nate Aniekwu: Stop being such a troll. I still can't believe you told me you were in Houston when I called you about picking us up to go to Dallas. If you're our honorary big sib next semester, make sure we have a lot of fun bonding time

Patrick Chen: Thanks for letting us stay at your house OU weekend. It was definitely one of my favorite times I've had here since I came to Texas.

Richard He: I know many people have asked me what I think about you as my officer, but I don't think any of what I said could do justice for everything you've done for me. Thanks for being not only a great officer, but a great friend. I've gotten out of some pretty tough times because you went out of your way to listen to me and give me advice

Sean Zhou: Working with you this semester has been pretty fun, I enjoyed repping financial branch with you at the roller-skating social and hanging out with you and Richard at his apartment and sharing life stories. Can't believe Sherry got you to baby sit me...I've definitely made many memorable moments with you guys

Sherley Loo: I was so surprised you lived in Jester East and you live only one floor down. You should come up here and hang out with me soon and we can have a sleepover

Sherry Zeng: Wow, I can't even summarize the things I have to say to you but most of all, thanks for being a great friend. I definitely have enjoyed a semester of classes and ABSA stuff with you. I'm pretty sure I'll be seeing a lot of you and continuing our talks and bonding time for a really long time! Thanksgiving break with you <3

Stephanie Ham: Honorary big sib next semester! I'm pretty excited and looking forward to the things we're going to be doing together.

Tachoon Kim: It feels like after we got

lunch together, we don't really talk much anymore. We should hang out or grab food some time.

Terence Ko: So many things I can say to you, but most of all, thanks for being there for me. Thanks for always being a great listener and friend. I really have been feeling so much better because of it. I hope you did well on your test!

Victoria Cheng: It's been great hanging out with you at our family events, hopefully you come out to more next semester.

Vincent Nguyen: We had the best Haunted House group by far it was really great getting to meet you. You take super amazing pictures!

Vivian Tan: I can't believe you've always been in my econ class and I didn't find out till recently. It's been really fun with you at AALI meetings and the lock in.

William Ruy: Thanks for all the rides you've given me, especially when we went camping. It was really fun with you.

Ye Jin Oh: I really don't think I would've gotten out of the haunted house without you there. Thanks for letting me hold onto you when things were really scary!

Jany Xu

Scrapbooking ABSA Members: A shout-out to all the ABSA members who came to scrapbooking these past two weeks! We couldn't have done it without you!

Winnie Guo

Brian Li: Please take your disease away!! .OvO.

Cassandra Chew: It's so funny how I always bump into you! We need to actually hang out!~

Charles Lai: I heard that you're the biggest troll in our family :) and Molly's duplicate account looks awesome!

David Chen: I hope you will always be how your name describes you! Hope you'll always be XING FU! ^o^

Eric Tsang: We should talk more in Canto!! lei ho! We need to play family feud again~ It looked really fun!

Fasal Hasan: Haha your photo with your "twin" will always bring back memories! You guys look so funny together!

Felicia Tsao: Hey beautiful! Wish you the best of luck in the real world! I actually haven't heard you cussed since you came back! ;)

Frank Cheng: FRANK! We have so

much in common, especially the love of YELLOW!! Haha I'm glad to have met you!

Gong Chen: I'm going to make you go on that Chinese dating show next semester!! Be prepared. :)

Heather Ha: You're the cutest girl EVER. If I didn't already have Parry, then I would've totally gone for you! :)

Helen Lee: I like how I see you EVERYWHEREEE haha TX Halloween was fun volunteering with you!

Hien Lam: Let's go on a date to Madam Mam's again soon! :D

Isoken Omoruyi: I love your activeness! You have such a distinct laugh bahahaha xD

James Song: You're truly the sweetest boy~ And it's awesome how you can think so fast and come up with such good come backs! :P

Jane Tedjajuwana: You're the cheesiest person ever!! haha and I love it! I'm so happy to have met you Janey Jane!

Janet Zhou: Come out to more Oh Snap! events, girl! I want girl talk with you haha! ;D

Jason Jeng: I owe you brown bag.. I'll make it up to you soon!!! >.<

Jason Watt: you lei hai o sung ming luy o ho hoy sum! :) One day we'll have a competition over who eats slower hah.

Jee-Ho Kang: King of Facebook! haha I like how we're the dynamic duo and we always deserve those high fives! :D

Jennifer Nguyen: Hi Jennifer! My name is Jinnie! And stop corrupting me!!! >e<

Jenny Ding: Hey girl, I'm so glad that you recognized me at the Union. I couldn't stop smiling all week! ^^

John Chen: You owe me and Ham an apology for hating us for so long! hmph!! :P

John Terada: I'm GONNA MISS YOU!!! Take muchos muchos pictures when study abroad!! And snap it! :D

Jonathan Chang Shimabukuro: Dim Sum. Musashino. Salt Lick? There's much more waiting for you in HK! HAVE FUN!!! :))

Joseph Be: Yellow ftw! hahah it's really nice to have an ally like you! >:]

Jordan Naumann: Let's play more racquetball togetherrrr. I'll beat you this time! >:]

Judy Lam: Good job on contacting all of your far away vendors! You're my hero :)

Justin Younki Lee: You were beastly at dodge for a cause! Come out to our events more!! :D

Justin Chao: Thanks for always lending me your jacket and walking me to my architecture class!! Such a gentleman :)

Ka-wai To: OMG World Trivia was so much fun! We so could've won! Let's do it again next semester!! :D

Kevin Chu: I really liked your head bald. haha You looked like a monk! A mi tuo fo!

Louis Yu: Louis!! When am I going to get that playlist from you??? lol it's been a while now!

Maggie Zhang: I'm glad to have met you this year! Too bad we're in different families, but that didn't stop our friendship! :)

Mei-Lynn Hua: We need to match more!!! Shopping buddies~ x)

Michael Gu: You're so witty, I wish I was more like you! :)

Molly Sun: Hey Momma Sun! I know you're growing old and graduating, but Oh Snap love will never grow old! I LOVE U!

MuFeng Zhu: Gege, I want fofoooooooooood p: It's your responsibility to raise your family lol :P

Patty Huang: Your voice melts my heart... it's amazing!

Parry Ying: Parrrii, you're my favorite! We are going to walk a long path together! ni dong de~ :) <3

Robert Huynh: WHEN ARE WE GOING TO HAVE OUR CANTO MOVIE NIGHT?? >:]

Sahil Batra: We should make Movie Fridays official at your place! xD

Sandy Duong: Don't be so grumpy all the time! Smile more~~ Your smile is very charming! ^-^

Sherley Loo: I love how you always amazingly show up in Oh Snap! events! :D

Stephanie Ham: You're such a lively person! I love your smile! ^v^

Stephanie Qin: I always loved your expressions in photos! Especially that one from arm wrestling! Lol.

Taehoon Kim: You will always ACE that Accounting exam! I just know it! :)

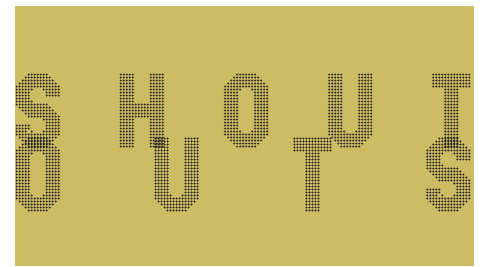
Terence Ko: Seeing you makes me laugh! haha especially after Molly pointed out how your shaved head looks like a winter-melon!

Vincent Nguyen: Your photography skills are awesome! I miss eating out with you!!

Oh Snap!: Best family EVERRR :D ^-^ <3

Legendary: Y'all are awesome! Thanks for supporting Oh Snap! all along :D

Mac n Cheese: Heyyy stop being so cheesy! It's very unhealthy :P



Taehoon Kim

Eric Allen: hey I forgive you for killing me in assassins. Hopefully I'll never have you as my assassin ever again!

Nate Aniekwa: sir, you have some big hands!

Elaine Cen: girl, you gotta start snapping more!

Jonathan Chang: trailer food killer or what?! Haha!

Patrick Chen: 3-2. You are weak without Messi!

David Chen: dude we are almost done with our BA! Also, let's brown bag soon

John Chen: Oh Snap!:1 Vs Get on our level:0

Gong Chen: Dude we haven't hung out in a while... why?!!

Stephen Chen: get that appropriation! Get that red bull!

Frank Cheng: "We are professional!" oh frank, you crack me up!

Cassandra Chew: girl, you know how much I appreciate your support for my branch right? (wink wink)

Kevin Chu: we are gonna haunt down Launch this year! Hope you know how much I appreciate having you on the way!

Alexander Cui: hello buff guy, don't break that barbell.

Dorothy Doan: 60~70 GIS products. I'll see you there!

Sandy Duong: WOW, I just had your coffee ice cream and it was amazing!

Jeanne Feng: hey ramen, girl! Cook some for me later!

Scott Garzone: don't be modest my friend, you were pretty sexy during volleyball!

James Gu: you should let your brother know I had a good time watching him break all the girls' hearts!

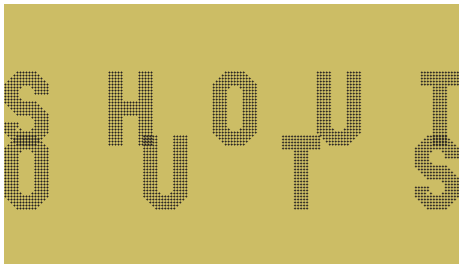
Stephanie Ham: hey jihye!

Richard He: we need to catch up very soon. I miss you man!

Josh Hu: the dinner at Pluckers was a good choice!

Hannah Kang: next time, push up contest!

Jee-Ho Kang: hey dongsaeng, how great



is it to have met you?!

Ariel Kao: since we have the entire presentation ready, scott can finally sum us up!

Pulok Khan: sorry you had to die during assassins

Armon Khorrami: you should try to convince Parker to join ABSA ;)

Grace Kim: next time you drop your iPhone, I'll laugh at you!

Terence Ko: I almost forgot to give you a shoutout again! You're not on the membership database for sure! :p

Denny Ku: duuuuuude join my STA class!

Brian Li: I still cannot forget the epic racquetball match we had!

Stefan Lim: dude you were so hilarious during dodge ball!

Sherlley Loo: I know how you feel about Oh Snap ;) I should've made all my directors join Oh Snap! haha

Becky Luu: How did the interview go?! We missed you during our old branch outing!

Jessica McCarthy: yissss. I did not undermine your connections! haha

Jordan Naumann: Hey joden!

Vincent Nguyen: Man how much should I thank you for all your help?! A lot more than a lot!

Alexis Nguyen: Did you get the serve down?

Jaclyn Nguyen: Enjoy my trolling you guys

Isoken Omoruyi: I wanna be your rhythm of love!

Stephanie Qin: I learned that qin qin means kiss kiss! So jealous

William Ruy: Dude where were you? We played at Pat's and you were too scared!

Henry Shi: So is this Epic time now?

Klevrin Sitohang: Hey quality friend!

James Song: Good job on cropping out molly!

Erin Sun: "ahhhh" haha that spike was priceless

Molly Sun: What started at J2 gave me a really important friend of my life. I troll, make fun of and act mean to you most of the time but you know deep down, I really

care a lot about you. Thank you for all the help, advice, and memories you've given me! Best of luck and stay in touch!

Stephanie Tchen: I heard you are playing b-ball instead of soccer...

So jane, what is this that I'm hearing about you? ;)

John Terada: Hey John! I really want you to know that you are a great mentor to me. I'll try my best to keep the branch growing to its excellence! Have fun in Hong Kong and have a great time working in NY! I'll miss you!

Eric Tsang: Good answer!

Daryle Utama: So... when am I gonna hear you sing?

Betty Wang: "that's what I'll be doing for my entire life, don't diss!"

Jason Watt: I bet you'll get really fat when you get old and your metabolism slows down. Not that I'm hoping for that :p

Ben Williams: Sir, that was not a high five I was gonna give you! It was supposed to be a big hug!

Jason Wu: Thanks webmaster!

Jany Xu: Shhhhh, I know

Parry Ying: You ate my fries... haha I'm just kidding I don't care

Jeanna Yu: is your arm feeling better?

Louis Yu: sleep. Please.

Sean Zhou: sometimes, I feel like I can smell the vinegar.

Mufeng Zhu: Dudes don't complain that you only understood 80% of the show okay? Lol I knew nada!

Charles Lai: Mr. Lai, if you were my teacher, I'd wake up at 4 in the morning to get ready and bring you an apple everyday! I hope I get to work in the west coast so I can hang out with you more in the future!! Keep visiting us often!

Academic Branch: I cannot ask for better directors this year! I enjoy spending time with you so much; I look forward to our branch meetings every week! Thank you all for being awesome. I can't wait to have more amazing time with you all next semester!

Oh Snap!: Oh Snap! You guys really do make me feel like have a second family sometimes. Even though I don't quite hang out with you guys online (aka fb), I love all of your companies! Let's hang out more next semester!

Officers: Wow, I cannot believe we've gone through half of our office already! This year sure has flown by and I've enjoyed every minutes of it! Thank you for being such supportive panel!

Cassandra Chew

Josh H: "Someday, I'll be living in the big old city and all you're ever going to be is mean..." Haha, just kidding. :D You think too highly of me. I'm just doing the job! Thanks for the guidance!

Betty: Over the break, remember cookies > bananas. Umm... I mean bananas > cookies.

Frank: Oh my gosh, have you tried caramel apples?!

Jane: You are such a sweet girl! Teach me how to cook Indonesian food. Nom. Nom . nom.

Jee-Ho: "Have you heard about the Party?!" Teach me your ways! ;)

Loren: You're no longer my best friend.

Stephanie T.: YAY! My volunteering director partner! Thanks for being super great! Can't wait to plan events with you next semester!

Amanda A.: Thanks for being an awesome big sib! We should karaoke & visit more food trailers!

Aimi: Thanks for coming out to so many volunteer events!

Alexis N.: What a beastly volleyball player! Ready for next year?!

Armon: One day, we all won't be busy and we shall all go out to Dim Sum again.

Cari: Congrats on being October Member of the Month!

Dar: HELLO! Can't wait to see what you have done with Scoring Careers!

Diana & Connie: How did you put up with Josh last year? ;)

Emily K & Hannah K: You're doing an awesome job as being Family Directors! Make sure to add +100 points to Ravenclaw!

Eric Allen: I would like the recipe for your cookies. They were so good!

Grace Kim: You're such a positive influence on me. Under your reign, ABSA has soared! ;)

Grace Ko: Where have you been? :D haha, It was nice catching up with you before my mock interview!

Helen: My fellow Ravenclaw! You take some pretty awesome pictures!

Jackson: Why are you such a troll?

Janet: I always love going to GM to see what new design you have made!

Jany: If I haven't mentioned it yet, you & the other media directors make some beautiful videos!

Jason Wu: Brown bag lunch buddy! I don't want to pressure you or anything, but... MIS all the way!

Jeeah: Thanks for coming out to volunteering events! I hope you're enjoying your time here! Make sure to visit!

Jeena: Brown Bag Buddy! I enjoyed hearing about your life. YAY for joining Ravenclaw!

Jessica M.: I also use chopsticks to brush my hair, to eat steak... haha just kidding!

Jerry: "2, 4, 6, 8! Who do we appreciate?" haha, thanks for cheering with me. Get excited for indoor soccer!

Joyce: Hope you're feeling better! I enjoy seeing your face at Ravenclaw events!

Justin C.: Rave-in-claw! Even after you explained how to rave to Hannah, I still don't understand.

Judy: Yay for cheering for ABSA Volleyball! You should play next year!

Kimberly: Remember: You're welcome to stay the night! :D

Kristeen: I can't wait to hear you sing at Family Got Talent!

Kyle: Best ballroom partner. Too bad I couldn't hear you sing at the VSA Date auction.

Laura L.: We shall have more Tuesday night dinners.

Lisa L.: We will stop running into each other and actually have dinner for once!

Linda: Oh Linda. I just can't think of a word to describe you. ;)

Louis: I've been keeping track of Josh's infractions. Betty and I will be joining admin soon! :D

Molly S: We will miss you next year! Come back to visit!

Olivia P: Active, much? ;) More Coco visits from me!

Patrick C.: Forever a Big Sib! :) Stop trolling on the poor freshman!

Quan: Thanks for going to volunteering events! :D

Shan: Sugar Land Buddy! Don't stress too much! ;)

Sherlley: On my, you almost beat me in volunteering hours! Thanks for coming out to our events!

Sherry: My fellow High School Buddy, I hope you're enjoying ABSA!

Stephanie H.: "jajjangmyun!!!" LOL. Come to Houston and I'll treat you to some!

Stephanie Q: The number of Stephanies in ASBA keeps growing! I enjoyed my interview with you! :) Thanks for the feedback!

Stephen C.: I still haven't forgotten your name! Success!

Tammy: Big Sib & MIS Partner! I'm so glad I met you last semester. We will suc-

ceed! :)

Tachoon: Bring sexyback. Ask Josh Hu for help.

Congrats for helping to lead ABSA to their first Co-ed Football Championships! I'm counting on you for interviewing advice! ;)

Ravenclaw: BEST FAMILY EVERY! I'll make sure to come out to more events next year. Thanks for being awesome guys!

To the ABSA Officers: You guys are doing great! I have seen so much greatness from this panel. Keep up the good work!

To everyone else: You better come out to more volunteering events! ;) Thanks for being a part of ABSA!

Molly Sun

Alice Tsai: ALICE!!! I'm so thankful you are in Oh Snap this year! I hope you continue to come out more in the future.

Andreia Choi: GURRRLLLL, Imma miss you when you leave. But I know you'll rock it like always in BRAZIL. I know we'll keep in touch, and remember to save me a seat in that wedding of yours in 2014. ;)

Brian Li: Blinking disease. Swan dive. Being clueless. So many great memories with you this year. =P

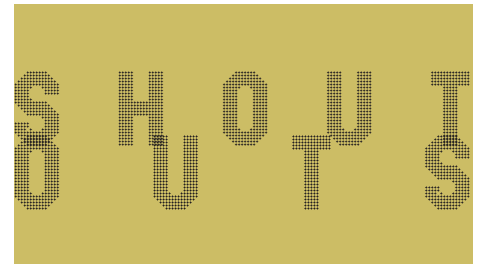
Casey Ip: I'm always an email/text/call/fb message away. Really hope you come out to more events next year!

Cathy Shen: Careers Director! Professional Branch! Oh Snap C-Section! What more do you want?!?! =P Love ya, lady!

Eric Tsang: 4.5 years later, and it all began with Gilbert's M408K class. Oh, I guess that "overachieving girl" turned out alright, eh? I'll miss your humor, Eric! Not sure if I ever told you...but YOU ARE SO FUNNY. Make me proud next year, Papa Snap!

Gong Chen: My Hubei brotha! *sigh* Even though I just met you this semester, it seems like I've known you for a very very long time. Good luck in all your studies in the future so I can get my medical discount later. ;) Thanks for everything, Gong. Sorry for always being so mean to you, but you know I always got YO back! For realz.

Heather Ha: Hello sweet girl! It's always such a blessing to talk to you. And man, remember when we first met at the corporate dinner? *sigh* Time sure goes by fast! You've grown up to be a very lovely young lady, and I hope you stay that way! My two-year little sib, make momma



proud! KEEP IN TOUCH!

Isoken O Omoruyi: Isokennnnn!! You know you still melt my heart with those purty eyes of yours? I'm SO glad you are in Oh Snap this year. You are such an amazing guy, and NEVER EVER stop going after your dreams no matter how difficult it becomes, okay? And I'm always up for feelings talk. Google+ love!!!

James Lai: I'm glad you failed at killing me in assassins. YAY KINDLE TOUCH! => Glad you are a part of Oh Snap this year, James. Come out more next semester pleaseeee! You promised!

James Song: You durty durty durty boi. =P With such an innocent and cute face. Haha. You go out there and make me proud during Top Model next semester. I'll also be looking forward to your comments on FB. OH boy! SO EXCITED. =p

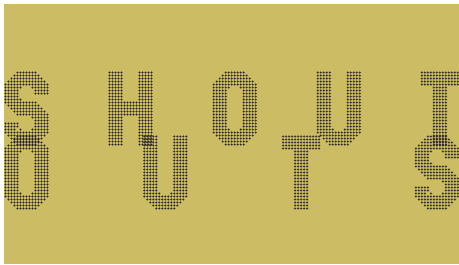
Jamie Tran: Hello there, Miss Jamie! I'm really glad to have met you this year. Thanks for being a part of our family!

Janet Zhou: Why hello there, Janet! I'm really glad you are getting to see the many sides of college this year. You go girl! Just remember to save some time for ABSA/ Oh Snap/me pweeze.

Jason Jeng: Haha, you are so funny with your random acts. Thanks for coming out to skydiving with meeee!

Jason Watt: WHAT WATT WHAT? You sure are a character, Mr. Watt! Thanks for being an awesome and active little pea this year, and your hope you continue to stay that way in the future! I'm really thankful that you got to meet and become great friends with so many awesome people far away from home. Stay sweet, please.

Jee-Ho Kang: HELLO BIGGEST FLIRT IN ABSA HISTORY! Oh, you make momma pea so proud. Hahaha...I seriously think I got more flirtatious under your influence. =P I'm going to miss you so very much. I know you'll experience so much more in college, but please don't forget about me, okay?? You seriously made my last semester so much more fun...so thank you little one! I'm still counting on you for my teddy bear, okay? Don't get her dirty, please! (No pun intended). =P



Jennifer Nguyen: Hello J-Crew mob boss! I'm so glad to have in the family this year, and thanks for being SO freakin' active!! Good luck after graduation! Can't wait for our Oh Snap reunionnnnn!

Jenny Chau: Hello there, the-only-little-sib-without-a-shirt. Tsk tsk. I'll never let you live down that one. =P So glad to have you in the family this year!!! Have an amazing spring semester of your 3rd year!!

John Terada: Are you even going to read this??? Lol. Oh John, sigh. I'm always signing whenever I write these things for you because I seriously don't even know where to start. Haha. I guess I can start out with the obvious "thank you for being an amazing friend." Haha, but you've read that too often so I'll do something different. "Treat me really well when I go to NYC, okay? I'm seriously craving for those rice balls that fall apart at the slightest touch." Better? ;) Love you, and have a blast in HK. Bring me something back! Something nice please...

Jordan Naumann: Norman Norman! EW, I had this professor named Norman. Worst.Professor.Ever. Well, I'm glad you are better than him. Just a tid bit. ;) Kid-dinggg. Ahh Jordan, I'm gonna miss you so much!! You've grown so much in the past 2.5 years I've known you, and I know you'll continue to do amazing things in the future. Don't forget about me, okay?? And treat me to goodies when I come visit you in Washington. Hint hint: bungee jumping??? ;)

Judy Lam: Hey Judy!! Thanks for being an amazing little sib this year. Remember to ENJOY your freshman year/all of college, okay?? And don't be afraid to drive. Gotta be independent, girl!

Kyle Kong: Haha, Oh Kyle. "I'm in Asian...Business...Students..." "You are in ABSA? STOP LYING." Haha... Too cute. Also, I'm amazed how you don't have a FB. Please teach me. Well, actually, I probably won't use it as much anymore since I'm graduating. Thanks so much for being a part of my life this year regardless. I know you'll have a bright future ahead

of you. Fighting!!!

Laura Hu: Hello Ms. Hu! Hope you are enjoying your freshman year so far! Thanks for being a part of our family! Although I won't be here anymore, I would still like to see your pretty face more often!

Linda Ye: Linda, why are you SO cool? Can you teach me please? Thanks for always supporting my unethical actions. You da best! Hahaha. Aww, I'll miss you!!! Have an amazing rest of the school year, and remember to say hi to the UNcool me whenever you see me in the future, kay?

Mei-Lynn Hua: You are possibly the sweetest girl I met this year. I hope your sweetness and hair never change!! Haha. Just because I graduated doesn't mean I'm "gone," okay? I'm still very close if you ever need anything. Can't wait for our lunch next week, Miss Hua. You'll have an amazing 4 years coming up, MAKE THE MOST OF IT!

Parry Ying: Oh Parrryyyyy! I still remember meeting you as a freshman. Sigh. SO CUTE! Haha. Honestly, don't stress about school too much. MPA, eh. Haha. Still study hard (which I know you will), and have FUN! Haha. Come visit me in Houston please. Imma miss you a lot. Now where I will go to find good deals? Send me freebies pleeeeeease! Hehehehe

Sahil Batra: Sahil Batra! I never knew that when I met you at the boat party that you'd be an AWESOME little sib in Oh Snap! Haha. It's so great to talk to you about life/girls/career, and we def. need to do that more in the future, ok?? AND PLEASE DON'T GET MAD when I make fun of you please. Haha. LIVE A LITTLE...

Sandy Duong: Hello mommy Duong! Thanks so much for caring for me during all these years. You are awesome. I still owe you a cup...and probably many other things. Haha...Anyway, I'll be back and visit soon!! Don't be too lonely without me at night. =P AWW I'LL MISS YOU!!!!

Stephanie Qin: Stephy Q! It's so awesome being big sibs with you and Sandy this year. BEST FAMILY EVER. It's been amazing journey with ya, gurl. From LeaderShape to directors to officers to roommates to big sibs to FOREVER FRIENDS. Sigh, Imma miss you tons next semester, but don't worry, I'll be back! WATCH OUT. Haha. Thanks for everything...<3

Taehoon Kim: I'm SO glad you are in Oh Snap this year! Thanks for being an

awesome little sib and an AMAZING friend. Good luck with school, Launch, and FYM. I know Academic Branch will do amazing. Shhhhh...my 2nd favorite branch. =P Hahaha. Kidding. You need to cook me some authentic Korean food soon. Go Ma Wah! Talk to you in Houston! I need to show you around some of the amazing food places in Chinatown. Bashida!

Thuy T. Do: Hey Thuy!! SO glad to have seen you in the family potluck! Haha. You need to come out more, gurl!! Good luck in school!

Yong (Winnie) Guo: Facebook Queen. Have you always been this active in FB? You are so ridiculous. Haha. Anyway, this semester has been AMAZINGLY fun with you, missy. You have to invite me to your wedding, okay? I wanna see my 28 year-old son in law. LOL please don't get angry. You know it's all out of <3. Sigh. IMMA MISS YOU. Keep me updated pleeeeeease!

Justin Younki Lee: JUSTIN. WHY DID YOU JOIN OUR FAMILY SO LATE? I seriously only met you 2 weeks ago... and I'm graduating in 2 weeks. Hate you. Haha. Kidding...but seriously though, I really enjoy talking to you. And I love how you love Twilight. Please keep in touch, okay?? And see ya at EOS.

Daniel Chao: DCHAO. Oh, I miss you. Hope you are having a blast in H-town. Haha. You've been missing out on way too much this year. Anyways, ENJOY your upcoming semester. Come bother me once in awhile! (or more often). =P

Grace Ko: Gracieee. I still cannot believe I'm graduating...and you are a senior. Still remember you as that little freshman. Girl, you've grown up to be such an awesome young lady. I'm going to miss you dearly, but at least we have all our memories to cherish on. *MUAH*

Karen Chen: You know, you are an AMAZING girl. I'm honestly very very honored to have known you and become good friends with you. You continue to amaze me everyday...So much can be contained in such a small figure. =) I'm going to miss you dearly, and I know you have great things coming ahead of you. Stay strong. FIGHTING! Life is never dull with you. *MUAH*

Nancy Xie: Nancyyyy! Hope this semester is going well with you. Stop working so hard all the time! I really miss you, and I hope we got to hang out more before I graduated. BUT SOMEONE was too

busy for me. =P Have fun in NYC next semester. I know you'll do amazing, just as always. *sigh* Time flies by too fast... come visit me WHENEVER. *MUAH*
Keith Chan: Why, hello there. Thanks for breaking your promise to come to EOS. JERK. Lol. I hope you at least read this...this is my last shout out to you. Mr. Chan, thanks for always being awesome. Hope recruiting went pretty well, annnnd I know you are definitely continuing to partying. =P Haha. KEEP IN TOUCH, okay???

Tuo Li: If you read this, send me a facebook message. :) Social Entrepreneurship was awesome with you, btw. Haha.

Tim Lee: Hang in there!!! Don't work too much...take care of your health...smile more often...

Charles Lai: I'm writing this because you begged for a shout out. You don't even go here anymore. But I know you'll be reading this very carefully, so of course I couldn't leave you out. <3

Angela Huang: IM Champion!! YOU GO, girlfriend! Have a blast in your last semester.

Michael Yang: Will you be reading this? Haha. If so, STAY WARM up there!!! We shall have an ex-officers reunion soon!

Thu Doan: Thu! Your shoes have officially been donated to Warrior Dash. What an honor. Haha. Thanks so much for them btw...SUCH A GREAT HELP! Also, get as much rest as you can...your crazy work schedule. Sigh.

Henry Shi: Big Shi Chow Yun Fat. Enjoy your last 1.5 years. I'm so happy you got closer to your EPIC friends this year. I'm really proud of you for everything you have done. I'm also sorry for always being so mean to you. I'll be nicer from now on...in Houston.

Josh Hu: Mr. Hu. I'm going to miss you dearly!! Because of your last shout out to me (literally 3 words), I'm going to write you a terrible shout out. Here you go. Haha..KIDDING. But seriously though, I really appreciate you as a friend, and I know you'll have a very bright future ahead of you. WOOHOO to still having friends in ABSA 3 years from nowww. Haha. Also, thank you thank you thank you for always swiping me into J2. I'll give back one day. I promise. SKI TRIP???

Also also, I'm only a gchat away.
Grace Kim: Hello Miss Presidente! Man, you are a senior already!! AHH. Haha. Glad to see you are trying different things in Austin and LIVING IT UP this year.

That's the way to go! I'll see you back in Houston. Have an amazing spring semester. Keep ABSA strong!!!

Eugene Hsiao: Eugenie! I'm so glad I got to know you better this year. We will definitely keep in touch after I graduate. SMILE SMILE SMILE. Okay?

Richard He: Richard, your smile is seriously amazing. Makes my day every time I see you. (not to be creepy). Haha.

Patrick Chen: I will never forgive you for the two huge bruises on my knee. On a different note,

Daryle Utama: Can you cook? If so, cook me some of your home country food sometime! I want special treatment like Charles.

Louis Yu: Soooooooo about that food at GM.... :) Kidding. GET MORE SLEEP, LOUIS.

Sherry Zheng: Hey girl!! SO glad you are active in ABSA this year and making so many friends! Yup, this is exactly why I didn't come home to Houston as often... Haha. But it's worth it!! If you ever need anything, you know how to find me. Have an AMAZING four years in college. ROCK IT!!

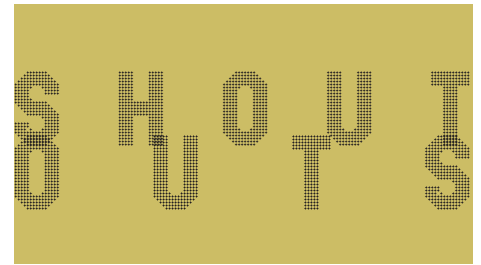
Eric Allen: Ahhhhhhh, Eric!!! I'm gonna miss you so much. BAD ASSETTTS. I'm going to think of you whenever I hear that phrase. Haha. You are doing an amazing job this year in internal. I can't wait to see more great things from you. YOU DA BEST, little sib!! You will always have a special place in my heart, fo sho!! BAD ASSEEEEEETS!

Robert Huynh: Hello fellow older ABSA member. You didn't come to Asia Café, okay? So it's not my fault, so stop blaming me. But in all seriousness, have you finally evolved into Garados? But I like magikarp better....:(Haha. HAVE FUN ABROAD!!!!

Lee Wang: Lee, get off your laptop. I keep forgetting you were in my branch... Oh professional director. Good times, eh? GOOD LUCK IN THE FUTURE. Keep in touch!!

Victoria Chiem: Oh Miss Chiem. We never got to eat this semester, what's up with that? But seriously though, I'm so happy to have met you and gotten to know you. You are amazing gal, and I'm going to miss you dearly. Keep in touch, okay? FOR REALZ. IM FOR REAL. Henry cant get all of you!! Haha...

Andreia Choi: Brazillian goddess, and my sista. Imma miss you so much. You are seriously one of the funniest and sincere



girls I know (and that's so rare). Have an awesome time in Disney Land. You know where to visit in Houston if you ever come. AKA. COME!!

Hyun Kang: Treat Yinni well please. I'm sad I didn't get to talk to you as much this year...but whenever I do, I really enjoy our convos. What is UP with that?!? Haha. No matter what happens, you will always be remembered in my heart is one of the most awesome...errr I mean...one of the most FOBBY spellers EVER. =P Kidding. One of the most awesome people ever.

Joseph Be: JOBE!! You are amazing, and I'm so so so happy to have gotten to know you in college. You know, you are one of the most adventurous and down to earth people I know, and I hope you stay that way. Where ever you will be in the future, remember to holla at me, okay?? I'm always up for more adventures!! REMEMBER ME PLEEEASE!!

Christine Lau: Remember our first brown bag? Good times good times. You've grown so much, and I will miss you dearly!!!

Yiwen Xu: GO CAREERS DIRECTOR!!! NYC is gonna be amazing, right??

Diana Meng: You classy lady. Good luck in your internship next semester! YAYYYY! Keep in touch!

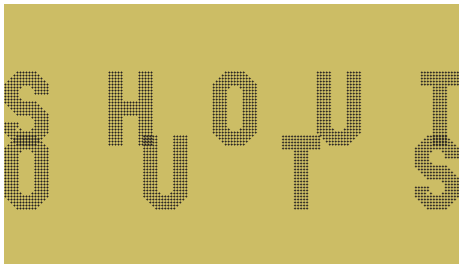
Connie Han: Haha, one of my most vivid memories with you is when we were trying to find a restroom at camping 2 years ago. Do you remember that? Anyway, I'm so glad you are so active in ABSA this year. GO CONNIE!!

Jeanna Yu: Never go rollerblading in Austin...or anywhere...ever again. Good luck in NYC next semester!!

Louis Yu

Eric Allen: Thanks for everything this semester and doing a wonderful job throughout. I hope all the best for you this break! Rest up!

Amanda Almeda: Sorry that the Trampoline didn't work out with me! I hope you're having a wonderful time this



semester! See you more next semester!

Sondra Batbold: Where my mom at D:, come out moreee, you dedicated officer, you.

Kristeen Chan: Always making the effort to come out! Thanks a lot and I hope you have a wonderful break!

Patrick Chen: Such cheer every second you're around us during OM. I hope you continue to live an amazing life! Have a wonderful break and live it up!

Chopin Chen: Hey girl, thanks for doing an amazing job this year in Admin. I'm so grateful to have someone like you be a part of my branch!

Yuansong (Frank) Cheng: Always a bright spot in the GM room. Although... seriously.... Sour cream...

Cassandra Chew: Great job this year in external! Keep up the amazing work.

Victoria Chiem: Dedication. Persistence. Loyalty. I'm thinking someone fits these words just perfectly, eh?

Andreia Choi: How fast this semester has passed, no? I hope your second semester here was amazing and full of excitement :)! I'll remember 2014, haha.

Angela Chow: Thanks sooo much for helping plan Alumni Weekend. I hope I was somewhat manageable to deal with :)

Amy (Xiaoyu) Cui: Hey Amy, you're an absolutely amazing person to work with! I'm so glad you decided to join Admin this year, I don't know how we'd manage without you!

Angela Eng: A... Sweet Leaf Tea will be ready for you next time!

Jeanne Feng: Hey girl, thanks sooo much for being a part of ABSA and doing an amazing job at Informer Editor :) keep up the great work!

Stephanie Ham: Stephanie! One of the most awesome people to be around! Always cheerful and supportive, haha. Thanks so much for everything you've done this year!

Connie Han: Thanks for letting me be the communal _____ for 306 :)

Richard He: Hey buddy, your dreams and aspirations are absolutely inspirational. I know for a fact you'll reach your goal one

day!

Stephen He: Mathnasium like a boss.

Eugene Hsiao: Hey buddy! I'm so sorry for not being free at all. I hope all the best and soon! I promise!

Josh Hu: Such passion for ABSA, it's crazy. You've done a wonderful job, a million times over. I'd say you did superior to last year, but then I'd get in trouble, so we'll leave it at that.

Rong (Laura) Hu: Oh hey look, Thursdays evenings are great times to not have class. I think we can all agree here.

Angela Huang: My grandmother :), haha. I hope your senior year is continuing to be a lively one :). I wish all the best in the future for you and hope you continue to excel in everything you do :)

Hannah Kang: So... Patrick will bring this up soon... Crawfish... boil.. YES!

Ariel Kao: Rawr. Sorry, I couldn't think of anything too amazing...

Grace Kim: What can I say, words can't describe :), You've done a wonderful job this year and never cease to continue such passion. Always smiling and enjoying life! I'm jealous, bahaha.

Taehoon Kim: Herro Mr. Nap at the best time, you have such a bright and hilarious personality that it warms the soul. Take care this break :)!

Jeeah Kim: Hey Jeeah! I hope your stay here in ABSA/UT was a wonderful and eventful time. I hope you'll remember us for the rest of your life (that's just how much of an impact we had!).

Minsu Kim: My other engineer! Hope you come out to more ABSA Events :)!

Vanessa (Susie) Kim: Haha, I am a survivor indeed at Alumni Weekend! Hope you got to know ABSA better that weekend :)

Eun (Grace) Ko: Such dedication. It's almost inspirational.

Denny Ku: What can I say, you beautiful beast, you. Your dance at rollerskating was amazing.

Cindy (Ying) Kuang: The amazing directors never cease to end. Thanks a bunch for taking the reins in Informer Editors and working hard on getting the final issue.

Christine Lau: Hey Girl :) Thanks for staying on with Marketing team and everything. I hope all the best for you in the future and I'm so grateful to have met someone as nice as you!

Helen Lee: Thanks for being a part of Admin again! You're always on top of things that it's perfect when I start lacking (don't let anyone outside of Admin know...

hahaha).

Jenny (Yueyang) Li: Thanks so much for being a part of Admin! I don't know where the informers would be without someone like you. I'm always impressed with the work you do :)

Anthony Li: Sorry for not hanging out with you too often! I've been crazy busy, hopefully this Spring Semester!

Stefan Lim: Hope you're enjoying your time here in ABSA. I hear you're quite a steal at Karaoke.

Kimberly Lin: Don't you ever forget Clementines and the impact that they have... enough to last arguing for a whole hour.

Cynthia (Cindy) Lin: Thanks sooo much for taking on Marketing Team (once again). You do an amazing job every time and I don't know how you manage to do it. Super-woman you are.

Jessica Mccarthy: Thanks for sending your articles on time, haha. I think you've done an amazing job this year in ABSA and I hope you have a wonderful break back home in Louisiana!

Diana Meng: You're one of the biggest impacts on my life :) Thanks so much for being there when I need someone to rely on, I don't know how I'd survive this semester without someone like you.

Vincent Nguyen: Thanks so much for all of the things you've done for ABSA these past few years. I don't know where we'd be without you.

Jennifer Nguyen: Congratulations on graduating! It was great knowing you these past 2 years in admin/marketing. Have a wonderful life as a grad, you deserve it ;)!

Alexander Nguyen: Hey Alex, thanks a lot for being a part of marketing team, you're one of the crucial components and I hope you continue to stay in ABSA!

Ken Nguyen: Thanks for the little help during Alumni Weekend! Greatly appreciated, I think I made the most out of it.

Ye Jin Oh: I swear I have your name down right now!

Isoken Omoruyi: Always a cheerful face to see at ABSA!

Jackson (Yu Jun) Pei: Can't wait to see you rip up the basketball season.

Henry Shi: This year's ex-panel is one tough crowd. Always showing up to events... making an effort to meet new members. Geez. (Note the sarcasm)

Molly Sun: Congratulations on graduating! Thanks for all of the wonderful advice and support you've given me through my first year here! I hope all the best in the

future!

Jennifer Tam: Work Buddy! I can't wait to see your activity in ABSA jump to a record high!

Stephanie Tchen: Soccer season is upon us! Haha, I'll stop this soccer recruitment.... Starting now.

Jane Tedjajuwana: Great seeing you at Houston Premium Outlets this Thanksgiving break! I hope your winter is a nice cozy one back home!

Tammy Tran: Sorry for bailing out on the Trampoline place! I hope it worked out.

Tony Tran: Sorry! I hope your calculus tests went well.

Nook Truong: What else is there to say, oh Ham making master.

Erica Tsao: Come out more! Puh-lease :D.

Daryle Utama: Always in an ecstatic mood during OMs, I hope all the best for you in the future! Take care and get some rest this break!

John Vinh: Always looking good at football. Hope your senior year is coming about as good as you wanted it to be!

Tracy Wing: WATERMELON. Lols.

Jany (Jiaqi) Xu: Thank you so much for being a part of admin, I don't think I could have been able to get through this year without you and the rest of the media directors help!

Jeanna Yu: Hope your wrist gets healed soon!

Sherry Zeng: Thank you so-so-so much for helping out with Alumni Weekend! Have a wonderful break!

Janet Zhou: Control think? I think not! Actually... I probably am...

Patrick Chen

Grace Kim: You have been a great president and officer but most of all you have been a great friend. Happy holidays!

Daryle Utama: "Ta shi Shei?" you know what im talking about =P and I STILL WANT MY SHIRT BACK!

Josh Hu: You sexy beast

Louis Yu: Sorry for turning the shoutouts late. THANK YOU!

Richard He: I say if we don't get tax benefits then lets start making money

Terence Ko: Come over and let's play some FIFA so I can beat your booty

Taehoon Kim: HEY! I'm your SECRET SANTA!!! Hopefully you won't read this before I give you your AWESOME GIFT!

Internal: I just want to say you guys have all done a terrific job. I could have for a

better group of people. It's great to see all of you guys grow throughout the year and I'm glad to have you as my directors. Most of all I'm glad to have you guys as my friends. Hope you guys have a wonderful holiday and make sure to be safe. I still need you guys next year.

Jenny Che: black and yellow still owe me money! >=(

Hyun Kang: I'm still better than you in FIFA

Tracy Trieu: we need another OU weekend

Vincent Nguyen: Hey thanks for

Jon Fong: how's China?

Cari Pak: cReAtIvIiTy!!! Sorry I tried. I'll make it up to you.

Kristeen Chan: eat, sleep, karaoke, FIFA, basketball, and repeat. If only life were this simple =(

John Vinh: you still owe me a tap house drink!

Stephanie Qin: I'm going to have to cut your budget for this year Stephanie =P

Chris Rodgers: let's play basketball sometime but don't invite van. I don't want to break my ankle.

Andy Wong: hope you see this shout out! You were the first one to respond to my facebook status btw!

Eric Tsang: O_o O-O o_o The FACES!!! I dunno but HEY!

Ken Nguyen: Ken! I have yet you see your place. Invite me over some time and we need to have a roommate reunion.

Michael Tarnq: your not even in ABSA but since you replied to my facebook ill write you a little something "Hey Michael!"

Christine Lau: WHEEE!!!!!! Sorry its late at night. You think I should be use to staying up late with all those papers I have to write for marketing.

Eugene Hsiao: Here is your first shout out

Eugene Hsiao: Here is your second shout out! I was gonna write you a third one for precautionary measures but were on a budget and I can't write that many.

Cassandra Chew: Little French Toast all grown up =(MAKE ME PROUD!

Frank Cheng: miss our late night chats but then I don't because I love my sleep. no more marketing papers WOOHOO!

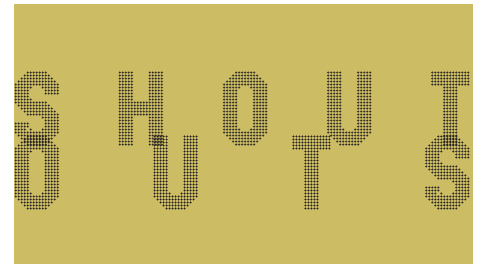
Stefan Lim: we need to go karaoke again

Jackson Pei: Teach me basketball

Cathy Shen: we never hang out anymore =(

David Chen: your invited to our next internal outing, transportation director

Karen Chen: best girlfriend in the world!



Karen Chen: Here is your second shout out. Eye me shoe (say it out loud)

Sherley Loo

Academic Branch: I adore you all. A: Branch always makes my day. I am so lucky to be working with such an amazing group of people and I love our spontaneous late night chats. Thanks for always being there for me. <3

Taehoon Kim: Spend more time with us! And oh yea~ When are we going to have our meetings in the nice conference rooms in the SAC? : DDDDDD

Jaclyn Nguyen: You are always so fashionable. Can you please stop looking so cute? You are making me look bad in my t-shirt and jeans.

Jason Watt: Watt's on second? VICTOR KING?! Hey, no flapping anything around till we get to the Malcolm X Lounge. mmk?

James Song: Remember what to do for April Fool's now. : P I still can't believe how much honey you put into that dessert cup. Qwertyasdfg : D

Jessica McCarthy: SHOW ME AROUND NEW ORLEANS. I love turning study sessions into long talks about Mardi Gras and Louisiana and you have some serious rapping skills.

Kevin Chu: How many branch members can you fit in a car? : D

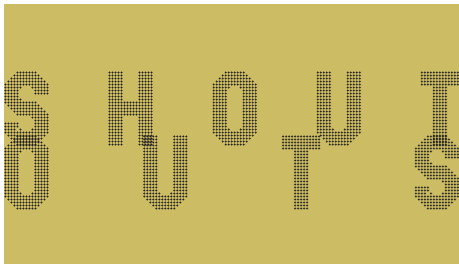
Mei-Lynn Hua: Don't stress too much! I am always here for you! Let's go on food adventures we've been talking about.

Frank Cheng: FRANK FRANK~ Yay for being non continental U.S. buddies! Thank for being my pea in the pod for the roller rink social. Floor Hopping?!

Alexis Ngyuen: This is what we need: Krunk Dance Party/ Date: TBA/ location: Anywhere and Everywhere.

Elaine Cen: First, reading round: up, then LEAP and now ABSA. You are one chill gal. It is always an adventure with you. AAAAAND we're off!

Jee-Ho Kang: Hey Camho! You are very charming and infectious. If you ever need



anything, you know where to find me. :)

Hannah Kang: It was fun eating with you we need to hang out again sometime. Thanks for feeding me crepes. You make me one happy girl.

Christine Lau: Work out buddies? : D

Black and Yellow: OMGUSH. With every moment I spend with y'all, I can't help but have a big grin on my face! Here's to many more great times to come!

Eric Allen: you had me when you first said "BLACK AND YELLOWWWWWW!!!~"

Jenny Che: I LOVE YOU BIG SIB <3 You always put a smile on my face and it always fun talking to you.

Hyungoo Kang: You are such a funny and caring guy. Thanks for messing up my hair every time you pat my head.

Kristeen Chan: YES WICKED IS SO AWESOME and so are you! It was really is joy being in Black & Yellow and sing sing Kristeen!!! Also, your nails are GORGEOUS.

Cari Pak: Four words. "Taehoon's swimming cap trick".

Cathy Shen: I am so sorry I had to kill you in ABSA Assassins when we were bonding so well. D: Let's be friends?

Louis Yu: I am so happy to have met you at ABSA camping and your car rides are the best!

Grace Kim: Hey Coach Kim!! I am lovin' the boots so much. The blue really does go well with jeans. Let's catch up with milk and Milano cookies!

Daryle Utama: HI MAMM!

Josh Hu: HI JOSHHHHHHHHHH. Happy? I have acknowledged you!

Richard He: Thanks for the surprise drink from Tap House! If you ever want J2, you know what to do haha.

Patrick Chen: Singing Shaggy and Brian McKnight was really fun! One more thing: NO MORE JELLO.

Vincent Nguyen: You are an awesome photographer and have great taste in music!

Emily Kong: When I hang out with you, I always have a fantastic time. I miss that and please let's do it again sometime. :]

OH SNAP!: OH SNAP! Let's have more feelings chats.

Luther Fan: Sup? You are a really cool dude. I love our random conversations and that FYM poster you made looks FANTABULOUS.

Jeanne Feng: Hey there 6th grade P.E. buddy! Stop being sick and come out and eat lunch with me! We need to catch up!

Cindy Kuang: Hi Cindy! I heard you are an amazing artist! : D

Jordan Nauuman: Hey brown bag buddy. I had lots of fun planning and discussing strategies to kill during the ABSA Assassins. Let's do it again next year!

Heather Ha: So Jee: Ho had an impromptu brown bag with you. When is it my turn? : D

Nate Aniekwu: Thanks for the ride to the Haunted House Social. And where is yo weave?!

Sherry Zeng: I hope that massive headache of yours is gone! P.S. your hello kitty laptop cover is unbearably cute.

Kimberly Lin: Hey girl! You are so nice and sweet! I'm sorry that Frank is your floor buddy and I hope he doesn't terrorize you too much. P.S. big chains and bling look good on you.

Ahmed Quadri: I love talking to you and keep coming to ABSA and family events!

Jane Tedjajuwana: You are so hilarious and always fun to spend time with!

Justin Fong: I think it is really cool that we both know Sarah. I hope you are having fun in ABSA and YEA POKEMON on the phone!

Molly Sun: Momma Sun! Please teach me your ways so I grow my hair as quickly as yours and dance as well as you do!

Brian Li: trollin snap 4 lyfe

Stephanie Qin: Thanks for giving me so much advice and help because everything worked out!

Sandy Duong: Thanks for an awesome brown bag adventure to get a H.E.B. turkey! Remember to take a swim in that super nice pool of yours before you graduate!

Betty Wang: I had no idea that we would bond over what we did haha. Let's hang out more and right back at cha. You are beautiful, gorgeous, and perfect the way you are. <3

Danny An: Dear Danny, you have a great smile and I am telling you that you did not see me Michael Jackson sliding inside Mccombs.

Jennifer Nguyen: Hey Diva! I love your style. I am so glad I overslept. I got dinner,

long walks under the dimming sky, movie night and more! ;) Please

Eric Tsang: Why are you so awesome? Why have I not met you earlier?

Ben Williams: Take care of yourself and don't work out too hard. I absolutely love being in the same family with you. Here's to chillaxin' on the 14th.

Jany Xu: I can't believe we are here! I am so glad that we are in ABSA together. I think we never had our Starbucks date from the spring. Let's make it happen this winter?

Helen Lee: Hey brown bag! I am enjoyed eating at Littlefield Café for the first time and I am so glad I got to know you better.

Amy Cui: First BB cream and now ABSA. Your room is like an ice box burr. I love eating with you and I promise no more seafood!

Janet Lee: Every time I see you, it is always involved with fast food. First McDonalds and then Wendy's. But it was a good night. 20 dollars and fries and frosties!

Jeeah Kim: You are really sweet and super nice. I can't believe you know the owner of Burger Tex and it was fun volunteering with you!

Stephen Chen: Thanks for keeping me company while I was just trying to pass time in the J East lobby. Family love <3

Vincent Nguyen: Why do I never see you around anymore? Also, I hope everything went well with registration!

Daniel Li: HIGH STAKES WITH SALINAS

Sharon Chung: Where are you my twin?!

Yiwen Xu: You are always smiling and have so much energy! I hope that your fallen posters get picked up soon and we get hang out to make up the time we missed in Dallas.

Kleverin Sitohang: hao piao liang

Loren Wang: I so did not ditch you! But you need to smile more in your pictures.

Kyle Kong: You're so good at Cranium omg!

Josh Hu

ABSA: Thanks for all the memories so far! This semester has gone by way too fast, but I am so excited for the upcoming semester and all the great events we have planned. If you ever want to grab lunch or dinner, please feel free to reach out!

External Branch: I am constantly amazed by how hard you guys work. I cannot stop

telling everyone how awesome each and every one of you are. Thanks for making my life so much easier by always being on top of things and taking initiative. I hope I have been there for you all this year. I may be your officer, but I am also your friend. I can't wait for the all great things we will do next semester!

Alex Nguyen: Seriously, the Dodge for a Cause poster was SOOO good. You have major designing skills!

Alexis Nguyen: We missed you at Susan G. Komen! Still nice to see you coming out!

Amy Cui: Hey Amy, sorry I didn't respond once you told me you weren't Stephanie! Didn't mean to! I am just as excited to talk to you haha

Angela Chow: You did such a good job with the ABSA Childhood Desserts Fundraiser! I need to give you back your ABSA pen!

Ariel Kao: Ariel! The rollerblading social was a lot of fun! Thanks for still being active!

Armon Khorrani: Thanks for getting me dirty before Warrior Dash began! It was SOOO fun tho!

Betty Wang: Betty! I really enjoy our chats! I'm really excited for the Ballroom Social! By the time you read this, it would have already happened! Haha

Brandon Nguyen: It was awesome seeing you at Komen!

Cari Pak: Basketball star! I can't wait to see you play on our coed team! You will be the leading scorer. Congrats on Member of the Month!

Cassandra Chew: Cassandra! I love how I always see you in the Mil Lab. Thanks for taking initiative in External Branch and for all your hard work!

Cathy Shen: Cathy! I really enjoy our small chats. We really need to schedule a lunch! I shall have an old branch: new branch outing soon, cause I know how much you miss External!

Cho Yan Kung: YAY FOR MIL LAB! Haha

Cecilia Leon: Hope you had fun at Juicy Tart!

Charles Lai: I didn't forget! Yay for Warrior Dash and Komen!

Chopin Chen: Sorry our brown bag was cut short a little. It was really awesome talking to you. ACC 311 bleh.

Christine Lau: Great job on marketing team!

Cindy J. Lin: Thanks for all your hard work with Marketing Team. Can we seri-

ously do a Brown Bag ASAP?

Connie Han: Connie, you are an awesome co-big sib! I'm gonna miss you when you do your internship next year! Thanks for all your help with director gifts!

Dar Iamsuri: It's awesome that you came out to GAM! Thanks for coming out to a lot of ABSA and family events, especially helping us cook.

David Chen: Glad to see your still coming outto ABSA events!

Daryle: Hey Jay! Jajajajaja. Yay for our stats group! Hope you are ready for all those business classes next semester!

Denny Ku: Denny! The Rollerblading social was a lot of fun. How's MPA treatin ya? Thanks for still being so active in ABSA STILL! It's awesome!

Diana Meng: D. Meng. Thanks again for being such a great co: big sib and ex: officer! I enjoyed our deep convos!

Douglas Wang: Thanks for coming out to cook for Thanksgiving Potluck! It is always awesome to see you at ABSA and family events!

Emily Kong: Hey Emily, really good job as Family Director! I can't wait to see what you and Hannah come up with next!

Eric Allen: I love your grandma's cookies and your ham. Why are so awesome at cooking/baking food?

Eric Tsang: Come to more External Branch outings! Hehe

Erin Sun: Thanks for helping to clean up at Pie-An-Officer! It sure was smelly...

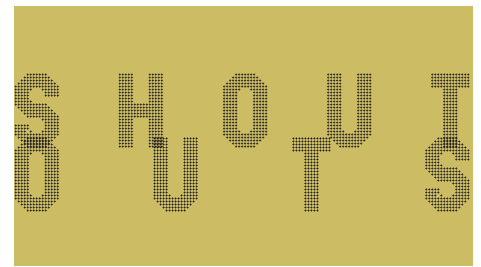
Eugene Hsiao: You are always a great friend. Thanks for that.

Felicia Tsao: Seriously, you are one of the coolest and most fun people I have met in ABSA. I will always remember the first time I really got to know you. Enchanted Rock!!! Crawling through the caves behind you...you guided me and made sure I did not fall and die. From then on, I knew I could trust you. Anyways, it's been awesome being your little bro. You were there with me on the most thrilling day of my life aka SKYDIVING! Good luck with everything. You will always have a friend in me! When Hanging in the Moment comes on, I will always think of you!

Frank Cheng: Frank, you always seem to have a smile on your face and a positive attitude. Don't ever let that go away! Congrats on getting baptized! If you ever need to talk, you know where to find me.

Gong Chen: YAY for completing Komen and Warrior Dash!

Grace Kim: CONGRATS ON ACCEN-



TURE! Thanks for leading the officer panel and providing us with so much guidance and advice. It's gonna be so sad when you graduate! (don't think about it now!) Have fun in Vegas for Thanksgiving!?! LOL

Grace Ko: I LOVE GRACE KO!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

Hannah Kang: You are doing a really good job as Family Director! If you ever have a question, feel free to reach out to me!

Heather Ha: Hey Heather, I was just joking with you about you know who at the Mil Lab!

Helen Lee: Thanks for all your hard work! I LOVE looking at the ABSA flickr!

Henry Shi: What happened to Basketball with the Ex: President? Anyways, awesome seeing you at the Rollerblading Social!

Isaac Wu: Good job, along with the other athletic directors, leading us to a COED FOOTBALL CHAMPIONSHIP!

Isabel Hsu: Karaoke sometime next semester! Get ready to be amazed.

Jackson Pei: We should play basketball together again! And we should go to Tap House again as well! Thanks for being such a good member!

Jaclyn Nguyen: Mac N Cheese is the best! Thanks for coming out to all our events!

James Song: Glad you're liking ABSA and Oh Snap!

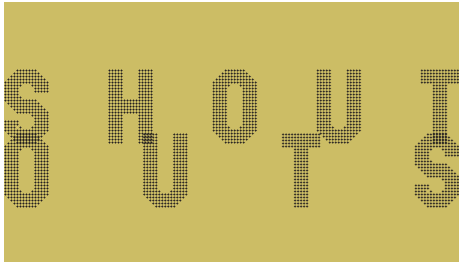
James Yang: Always see you walking from the Honors Quad!

Jane Tedjajuwana: JANE! I need to try some Indonesian food soon. Thanks for changing your profile pic back to External even though you didn't have to!

Janet Zhou: You are doing a really good job at the General Meetings. Keep it up!

Jany Xu: You were awesome for coming out to VSA Date Auction. And you did such an outstanding job with the Graffiti video! Keep up the hard work!

Jason Watt: Patrick, Terence, and I think you should be the next Mr. McCombs. Anyways, it was fun talking to you during Warrior Dash.



Jason Wu: Jason! You are the man. Let's get lunch one day!

Jeanne Feng: I really enjoy the Informers! Always so fun to read!

Jeeah Kim: I'm REALLY glad you were my running buddy for Race for the Cure. It was awesome getting to know you!

Jee-Ho Kang: So, when you gonna change your profile pic to External Branch?!?! ;) JK. Thanks for all your hard work this year! Facebook Notification King!

Jeff Su: Jeff, thanks for all your hard work being Athletics Director!

Jennifer Nguyen: CONGRATS ON GRADUATING! We had a lot of awesome chats last year, and I'm really glad that you are still a part of marketing team! Best of luck! Keep in touch!

Jenny Che: We NEED to get lunch soon. Thanks for all your help with Dodge for a Cause! You were seriously a lifesaver.

Jerry Chang: Thanks for being a great member! We should troll Stephanie sometime!

Jess Tew: You're pretty awesome! Thanks for coming out to family events!

Jessica McCarthy: Good job with all the workshops! Can't wait to attend even more interesting ones next semester!

John Chen: Thanks for going to Cici's with all of us! You're pretty cool!

John Terada: Congrats on graduating! It really has been so long since you were officer, but you still are making a large impact in ABSA. Thanks for all that you have done for ABSA. You truly have left a legacy. I know you will go on to do such great things!

Karen Chen: Karen Chen, I love all our chats after Interpersonal Communication! I am always here for you!

Kathy Van: Dang, you live far away from campus! Thanks for being so active in our family!

Kevin Chu: I'm so excited for Feed Your Mind!

Kimberly Lin: Keep up the good work! Assassins was a lot of fun! Thanks for helping with cooking for Thanksgiving Potluck.

Kristeen Chan: I'm glad you like ABSA so much! Thanks for coming out to Komen. You and Cari were pretty fast.

Kyle Kong: You are so nice for taking the blind man home! What a great guy you are!

Loren Wang: Thanks for always being the "thinker" in External Branch! It's awesome that you always speak up and express your opinions. Thanks for eating at Cici's with me. Thanks for all these years of friendship!

Louis Yu: I am truly amazed by how hard of a worker you are and how caring of a person you are. Hang in there – I know engineering is super tough! If you ever need to talk, I am here for you!

Lucy Lian: Hey Little Sib! See I will always remember you from now on!

Luther Fan: Great brown bag! You are so active in our family! Let me know if you have any more questions about anything!

Mei-Lynn Hua: We need to have another brown bag!

Molly Sun: Oh Molly, look how far we've come. The first time I met you, you were the scariest girl ever – "Why is she so intense about Mafia?" Anyway, now I know that you are truly harmless and one of the kindest older women in ABSA

Stephanie Ham: I'm really glad we have become so much closer this year. I really enjoy talking to you and chatting about everything. Thanks for being a good friend. And you snore really loud. Also, too bad you can't be in more than one relationship on FB!

Nate Aniekwu: Thanks for always coming out to family events! And I know I will see you at volunteering events soon!

Nook Truong: Thanks for the ride to Austin Stone!

Patrick Chen: Officer hangouts at your place are the best, especially when we don't sleep until 5 AM! When you read this, hopefully our ski trip during winter break is planned. Anyway, you know I'm always here to talk about anything!

Richard He: Thanksgiving is coming up in one day (food!), and you are definitely one of the friends I am truly thankful for. Thanks for being my BHP: buddy, fellow confidante, and close friend! I am always here for you buddy.

Sandy Duong: I really hope your my TA for ACC 312H. Thanks for taking the time to cook and serve the turkey. Awesome older member!

Sean Zhou: Sean! Good job when you filled in for Richard! Keep up the good

work.

Sherley Loo: Thanks for eating at Cici's! I know it wasn't your favorite restaurant, but I'm still glad you came!

Sherry Zeng: Good job with the bake sale! I can't wait for EOS. I bet it will be amazing!

Stefan Lim: Stefan, you're a fun guy to talk to! We should get lunch sometime.

Steph Tchen: I can't believe that I didn't know you were in Personal and Family Finance. That class is so boring. Anyway, thanks for all your hard work this year.

The Thanksgiving card design was awesome!

Stephanie Qin: Thanks for the lunch at Torchy's Taco! It was really good! Let's have more lunches next semester!

Taehoon: I'm really glad we went to Pluckers! HOLY MACARONI. Anyway, hope Thanksgiving isn't (or wasn't) too lonely. I heard you got pretty excited with FIFA, but probably not as loud as Terence!

Tammy Tran: HOPEFULLY YOU DON'T READ THIS BEFORE EOS. I'm your Secret Santa!

Terence Ko: I love you more. But seriously Terence, I am so glad we have become such good friends. Also, you cuss too much when you play FIFA. Please control that potty mouth of yours. My innocence is being corrupted.

Victoria Cheng: Thanks for being a great little sib and coming out!

Victoria Chiem: I see you in the mil lab a lot!

Vincent Nguyen: Thanks for always taking pics and helping ABSA in any way you can!

William Ruy: COED CHAMPS!!!!!!!!!! YEAH BABY!

Winnie Guo: So much Oh Snap pride!

Ye Jin Oh: Hey Ye Jin! You are welcome to come to our family events if you want!

Yiwen Xu: I'm so excited to see what you have planned for New York CFT! I bet it will be a blast!

Grace Kim

Daryle Utama: I know this year has brought a lot of changes for you but I'm so proud to see how much you've grown and how you've really stepped up to this leadership position. Don't get discouraged and face each challenge with the excitement of learning from the experience!

Terence Ko: Your passion for ABSA never ceases to amaze me. I really appreciate all the thought you put into not

only your branch but also the organization as a whole. I'll pray for you to secure an internship for the summer so that you can think about...you know

Josh Hu: You are one of the most organized officers on the panel! I know I can always count on you to get things done, and done right the first time. Thanks for taking such a strong leadership role in your branch and for our late night talks/runs to HEB!

Patrick Chen: Though I know I get on you sometimes about the details, I am so amazed by the positive changes you've created in Internal. Member retention is stronger than ever, the gap between upperclassmen and underclassmen is insignificant, and we won IM CHAMPIONSHIPS under your reign! I can see how hard you're working and I really appreciate that. I'm always here for you and will always be your biggest supporter so never forget that!

Taehoon Kim: I know we have this love/hate relationship but I want you to know how proud of you I am. I can see how much you've broken out of your shell and you went from being a shy director last year to an officer with probably the biggest presence in ABSA. I can see how much you care about the people in ABSA and that is so inspiring.

Louis Yu: Please take care of yourself. GREAT job on Alumni Weekend and everything else in Admin branch...you are such a hard worker and you take so much off my shoulders by being so detail-oriented and on top of things.

Richard He: We need to finish the conversation we started in SAC haha. I'm so glad to have gotten to know you better this year. I love our conversations about life and relationships. Thanks for stepping up in your leadership role and I'm excited to see how all your dreams pan out in the next few years.

Angela Huang: More studying at coffee shops please! I can't wait till next semester when we really hit up everything on our bucket list!

Sondra Batbold: I'm going to miss you next semester. But we'll keep you updated via Skype!

Victoria Chiem: You are beautiful, strong, precious, and loved by so many. No matter what happens, you should never forget that. I will always be here for you no matter what and God will never test you beyond what you can endure. I'm so excited about our time together next

semester!

Henry Shi: Too bad you won't be able to play basketball with us next semester Good luck at your internship!

Diana Meng: You're leaving next semester! Better come visit often!

Hyun Kang: Karaoke round 2?

Grace Ko: Snoopy!

Kawai To: Excited to see what else AALC has in store!

Nathan Chen: I never finished by second veggie burger from Huts...

Karen Chen: Ahh!! So excited about getting my tattoo! You must come with me and hold my hand!

Eugene Hsiao: This shoutout reminds me to text you to see how you're doing/catch up.

Cari Pak: Hey cutie! So glad you're part of our family this year! Congrats on Member of the Month and can't wait to play football with you as well <3

Kristeen Chan: Thanks so much for teaching me about marble nail art! I'm obsessed now. I love our conversations/hangouts <3

Alexis Nguyen: I haven't seen you in a while! Let's grab lunch and catch up!

Jerry Chang: Thanks for helping us "cook" for Thanksgiving Potluck LOL. I love seeing you around and I'm so glad to have gotten to know you better this semester.

David Chen: So I went to Vegas over Thanksgiving break and played poker at the casinos...when are you going to invite me over to play with you?! Haha

Isaac Wu: I hope your tuberculosis goes away soon!

Steph Tchen: Thanks for always driving for family events even though you're not a big sib...I really appreciate it. We need to team up and play water pong again haha

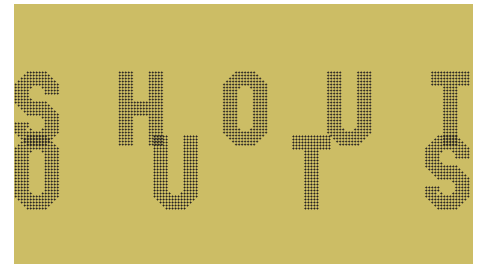
Sughanda Puri and Puja Machchhar: Thanks for coming out to watch Breaking Dawn with the family! I can't wait till part 2 comes out!

Jee-Ho Kang: It's so great to see you so involved in your family! I hope we can do some joint events soon!

Frank Cheng: Can we work out together sometime? Haha

Jeeah Kim: I'm going to be so sad when you leave back to Korea. I love seeing you around and our random car "adventures"

Molly Sun: Can't believe you're graduating this semester. Thanks so much for being an amazing big sib and all your advice over the years. I'll see you in Houston in August!



Stephanie Qin: We still have one more semester together! Let's make the best of it yea?

Eric Tsang: Sleeping in management buddy. I am not looking forward to that paper haha

Hannah Kang: So blessed to have gotten to know you better this semester. Talking with you has taught me a lot and I am so excited to see you grow in the next few years. I know He is going to use you to do amazing things on this campus.

Ginu Scaria: I didn't know you knew Dimple!

Stephanie Ham: Your kind: heartedness and sincerity towards people humbles me, challenges me, and inspires me every time I talk with you! So blessed to know someone like you!

Sherry Zeng: I love seeing you smile You have such a positive attitude about life and I am so happy to see how strong you've been this year.

Jenny Che: I'm free to talk anytime you need! I see a lot of myself in you and I really pray you will learn to find peace this year!

Cassandra Chew: Thanks for all your help in Assassins...seeing you always makes me smile. Are you going to play basketball too? We should start training together!

Eric Allen: I don't know how you balance everything! You are so busy...but your passion for ABSA is so contagious. Thanks for being awesome

Jackson Pei: Baby.

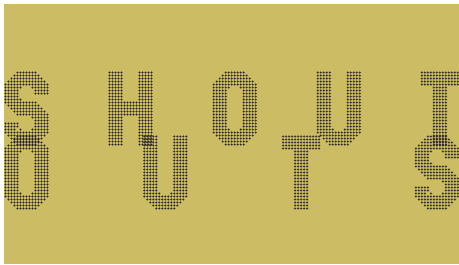
Stephen He: Lunch sometime?

Nook Truong: You're one of my best friends and this semester would have been so much harder without you constantly by my side. I thank God for blessing me with such an amazing person who challenges me to be better, open up my heart to others, and serve without expecting anything in return. Thanks for making me so happy

Kevin Chu: Can't wait to see how Launch pans out under your leadership!

John Chen: J2 again soon?

Ariel Kao: Let's grab lunch or something and catch up...I always see you around



but we haven't talked in a while! How's your semester going and what's new? I miss having you in a branch!

Denny Ku: Did you finish the book?! I miss going to church with you

Courtney Chen: It's going to be weird going to our first EOS that we DIDN'T plan right?

Erica Tsao: I never see you anymore!

Kevin Nguyen: I hope your professor liked your picture of the moon...haha

Cindy Lin: Note to self – plan another lunch date with Cindy Lin soon.

John Terada: Can we backpack across South America before we start at Accenture?!

Robert Huynh: one of these days Brownstein is going to catch us texting each other in class : __:

Lee Wang: Mmmm still craving that yogurt tapioca drink!

Ken Nguyen: When are we going biking?!

Sherley Loo: We need to control our late night eating habits : _: hahaha

Yiwen Xu: I'm hearing great things about you from Terence. Love your bubblyness and smile!

Vincent Nguyen: I got to be in your profile picture for like 2 weeks...I can die happy now

Janet Zhou: You're an amazing artist... thanks for making all the officers look good every Thursday! Haha

Jany Xu: Loved getting to know you better this semester! You are such a goofy girl!

Helen Lee: You're doing such a fantastic job as media director this year! I'm really seeing you break out of your shell this semester and grow within your leadership role...good luck preparing for case interviews and let me know if you need any help!

Linda Ye: Good luck recruiting for Accenture next semester...let me know if there's anything you need! Also – if I haven't done so by the time this Informer article comes out, remind me to give you Andrew's email! Haha

Emily Kong: Great job with family stuff

this year! The program is stronger than ever!

Jessica McCarthy: Let's brown bag sometime!

Sean Zhou: I've really seen you step up as financial director and take a more active role in ABSA. Thanks for all your hard work!

Kim Lin: Do you prefer Kimberley or Kim?

William Ruy: Tell me the story! Even though we kinda have a love/hate relationship, I'm so glad I've gotten to know you better this semester. You crack me up

Tracy Trieu: Let's go boot shopping together!

Scott Garzone: Hope you enjoyed watching Breaking Dawn with so many beautiful ladies!

Jake Han: Haven't seen you around recently! We need to go study at a coffee shop again

Jason Watt: Hey they made Clark Field into a lacrosse field now! You should teach me how to play!

Terence Ko

Mei-lynn Hua: How have you been?! Haven't talked to you at all since our brown bag. Let's catch up!

Stefan Lim: Hey man. I'm really glad you're in my small group. Look forward to more bonding times with AKPC and Crossroads. I encourage you to continue to reach out to our ministry. Also, I hope ABSA is going well for you too. :P

Janet Zhou: I'm glad you've been coming out to more ABSA events. You've been a wonderful director and a great new friend.

John Chen: Have you thought about me and Janet's heart-to-heart to you a while back after Slosh? I hope you have. Great job this semester. Also: 48/50, 12/50. LOL.

Yiwen Xu: I'm so proud of the work you've done as a Careers Director this semester. Things are only going to get crazier with Scoring Careers and NY CFT around the corner! Thanks for all your hard work.

Cathy Shen: Great job this semester Cathy. I'm so thankful that you are able to balance a job, schoolwork, and being a director this year. I can't wait for NY CFT planned by the Careers Directors!

Eugene Hsiao: Hey buddy. Sad to see you go, but I'm thankful for when you were there. Also, I'm thankful to have gotten

closer to you this year.

Ariel Kao: You know, I don't talk to you much, but when I do, you're funny in a laugh-at-you kind of way... And I mean that in the nicest way possible. You're a sweet girl, and I'm glad ABSA is a home for you.

Denny Ku: Denny. I didn't kill you in Assassins this year, but I'm out to get you.

Eric Allen: Eric, I can tell how much you care for ABSA through your actions as a director and as a big sib. Keep up the good work man. Also, you made literally the best ham I have ever tasted.

Angela Chow: I'm really glad you've been around more this semester. I hope you'll be sticking around more next semester as well!

Sherry Zeng: Daryle's so handsome!

Isaac Wu: Hey buddy. Sorry I killed you in Assassins. Thanks for being such a great big sib hosting our events at your place. I need to step it up as a big sib haha.

Jeff Su: Hey there champ. Teach me how to be good at basketball :[

William Ruy: FIFA after this.

Hannah Kang: I'm loving our Family Events this semester. Keep up the good work!

Emily Kong: Hey there. I'm glad we've gotten a little closer this year. See you in Mill Lab! :P

Betty Wang: It's wonderful talking to you. Don't be a stranger in my life! Your wittiness is something I will always welcome.

Frank Cheng: Frank, you are a funny guy. We need to have another lunch since our last one was rushed so much. Hope your first semester at UT was a good one!

Jee-Ho Kang: Jee-Ho, turn down the Oh Snap! pride and turn up the ABSA pride.

Jane Tedjajuwana: It took me about 3 tries to spell your last name correctly, but I can still say it perfectly! I hope you had a good first semester at UT!

Loren Wang: Nyan Cat saves me in the Mill Lab every day. Thank you Mr. Wang.

Cassandra Chew: I don't know why, but I feel like you are so much more talkative this year. Last year, I had no idea you were so funny. Don't take that the wrong way haha.

Stephanie Tchen: I really thought you were a junior... Speech Pathology... What a cool-sounding major. Get it? Cool-sounding? Ahahaha. I slay me.

Stephanie Ham: You know, we don't even know each other that well, but you always say hi to me with a wonderful

smile on your face. I enjoy saying hi to you, but let's try to get to know each other more too, yes? :]

Jeanne Feng: How come you don't talk to me after all of our wonderful quality time at Dallas CFT huh?!

Jany Xu: Jany, you really brighten my day with your cheery disposition and enthusiasm. Thanks for helping with Scoring Careers!

Helen Lee: Thanks for being my super navigator during Dallas CFT haha.

Chopin Chen: Thanks for helping out with Scoring Careers! Also, sorry I've been mispronouncing your name. :x

Jason Wu: Great job on the website. I always see you at events, but you never say a word! Speak up man!

Sherley Loo: How dare you assassinate my director in her own abode! (Impressive. High-five.)

Kevin Chu: I'm glad you got a director position after being such a dedicated member last year. I hope being a director has exceeded your expectations!

Jacklyn Nguyen: I feel like most of your interaction with me was at Dallas CFT... Which I feel isn't a good representation of myself... Let's have lunch sometime. :]

James Song: Fellow Pearland citizen! I think I only know like 2 other Pearland people who are business majors, but they're older than me. Let us cultivate the Pearland population!

Jason Watt: Dude... Teach me how to become Mr. Swollhouse like you.

Jessica McCarthy: Sorry I killed you in Assassins! Great job on the workshops this semester! Can't wait for next semester's.

Sean Zhou: Good job filling in for Richard during that General Meeting. Nerve-racking isn't it? Believe me, I feel you.

Kimberly Lin: Adjusting to everything is tough, but I hope ABSA has made it easier on you. You're a beautiful and sweet girl, and I really enjoy talking to you. Well listening anyway, I stink at talking.

Professional Branch: I couldn't ask for a better branch. Thank you so much for all your hard work, and helping me grow as a leader. Let's continue to grow as leaders and friends in ABSA.

Officers: You guys are so awesome. Being an officer has been one of the most enriching experiences in my college career, and you guys only make that experience even more of a blessing. WE'RE HALFWAY DONE.

Grace Kim: You have been a fantastic president, and I am so thankful for your

support and encouragement.

Daryle Utama: Sherry's really pretty!

Patrick Chen: Can I wash my clothes on your abs?

Josh Hu: I love you more. I do not cuss that much while I'm playing FIFA... Ok I do, I'm sorry. Also, I am also thankful we have become good friends. Even if you're not quite as handsome as me

Louis Yu: Zombie Louis. You are a man who has my utmost respect for your intelligence, care for others, and overall awesomeness. And since you've been calling out old officers about coming to ABSA events... That means you'll be active next year right? Haha.

Taehoon Kim: Dude, you've really grown as an officer and leader. I remember our one conversation in JCL last year about us and ABSA. Look at us now! Haha. Looking forward to next semester buddy.

Richard He: Richard, WE ARE LIFTING NEXT SEMESTER.

Cari Pak: You need to stop staying up ridiculously late!

Kristeen Chan: How come you don't invite me to play bball?! :[

Jackson Pei: Teach me how to hoop like you.

Alexis Nguyen: SORRY ABOUT OUR BROWN BAGGGGG.

Molly Sun: I still cannot believe you won Assassins. I'm jealous. I'll let my video do all the mushy stuff. GOOD LUCK IN THE REAL WORLD MOLLY AND I HOPE YOU VISIT ABSA 25 YEARS FROM NOW.

Grace Ko: Talking to you is so fun. Thanks for helping me and having great conversations with me!

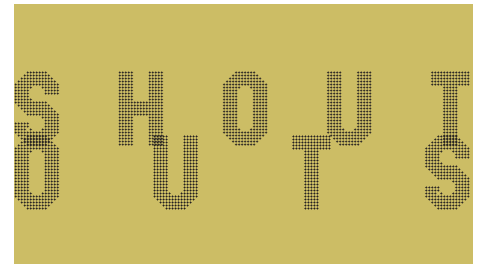
Heather Ha: Dude, I miss you. Let's chill sometime. Just us though. None of this Oh Snap! business.

Andreia Choi: Hope you enjoyed your surprise going-away party! I will miss you so much, but you better keep in touch! 2014 World Cup!

GET ON OUR LEVEL FAMILY: You guys have been so awesome! Be ready to achieve a new level next semester!

EVERYONE ELSE: Sorry if I didn't get to you! I just think of names until I get tired of it. If you want a shout-out. I'll make one on your Facebook for the world to see! Thank you members of ABSA for a great first semester, and I am greatly looking forward to the next!

Felicia Tsao



Eric Allen: What up biotch! Teehee. It always surprises me when I meet someone who outsasses me, but here you are! Lol I'm gonna miss your crazy energy. I have no idea how you're always bouncing off the walls...do you never get tired?? Hehe. But underneath it all I know you're a super hard worker and always on top of yo shits. Best of luck with everything! And don't lose that cheesy infectious smile of yours!!

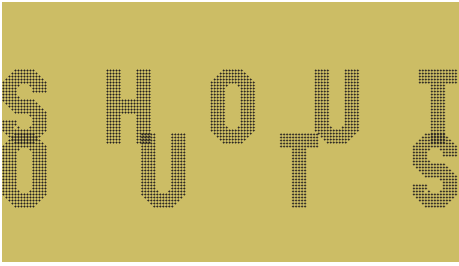
Sondra Batbold: Hey there cutie. It's always so nice seeing you around, and I'm sad we didn't have a chance to hang out more! But I'll take responsibility for never showing up at anything ABSA lolz. Best of luck with everything! I know you'll do good things cuz you came out of the best branch ever...bahaha. Okay I take it back. Don't wanna start shit or anything

Courtney Chen: My favorite fug!!! Buahaha. Jk jk. I don't know what I'm gonna miss more. You calling me a slut or me calling you a hobag. I hope these shoutouts aren't censored...lolz. Neeways, it always brings a smile to my face when I see your funny face around, and I'm really gonna miss you! I'm sorry I'm inflicting Erica on you, but I know she'll be in good hands. teehee. Good luck with everything! Pretty soon it's gonna be you graduating, and we'll both be old...and alone... together. LOL I believe that's the way you phrased it. <333

Victoria Chiem: Hi cutie! You're such a smiley sweet person lol. I feel like I'm always catching you in the best mood when I run into you. Best of luck with the rest of college! Enjoy it...it goes by too fast <3

Angela Chow: I will always think of you as the girl who survived living in the SAME ROOM as my sister...while staying pretty and cute. Haha I'm sure I'd be a hot mess after 3 days let alone 3 months. I know you're a smartypants, but don't study too hard! Erica can be right SOMETIMES... Best of luck with everything!

Sandy Duong: You're my mom away from home. I love coming over to chat and eat your ridiculously yummy food. Can't believe it's been 4.5 YEARS ALREADY! I can barely remember what it felt like to



be a freshman, but I know you were there with me at Blanton. You've always been such a smarty, and I know you're gonna do all sorts of amazing things...but don't forget to open a restaurant one day! And give me a VIP pass for all-you-can-eat, ok? <333 I'm really gonna miss you. Let's keep in touch!!

Winnie Guo: Hi little! Er..ex-little! I know you've moved on to a bigger and better family, but I'll always remember you as a member of Oh You Fancy Huh. Hehe. You're such a sweetheart, and I'm gonna miss seeing your smile! Good luck with school! Enjoy it while it lasts...pretty soon you'll be the one graduating. <33

Eugene Hsiao: I love your cardigans. And your swag. I don't think anyone else can fit so much sass into 1 and 2 syllable words lolz. Best of luck!

Josh Hu: Hi handsome. I'm so proud of you for becoming such a kickass officer! I still remember Enchanted Rock when you were still a director and I was still...a non-active member in ABSA. Lolz. We survived caving AND skydiving together! I always have such a blast talkin to you, and no matter how jealous Erica gets, your adoption as an honorary brother still stands bahaha. Gonna miss you tons! And always always feel free to reach out if you need anything okies? Best of luck with school!!

Angela Huang: Hi hi pretty! Holy guacamole, crap, and cow. I feel like it was just yesterday that I was interviewing you for media director and you were NOT SCARED cuz of stupid Jon. And my inappropriate posts on Facebook. Eh. Let's chalk it up to my inappropriateness altogether teehee. You were such a kickass director and I know you rocked it as an officer, but you've always been so awesome to chill with, too! You're such a smarty-pants, and I know you'll do great things. <33 Good luck with everything! Even though I know you don't need it.

Jason Jeng: Skydiving buddy! Glad we got to live through that experience together

Ariel Kao: Hey there cutie pie! You were

just in diapers and all of a sudden you're in college?! Hehe I've known you for forever, but I've never wanted to punch you in the face the way I've wanted to smack Erica. Lol JK! You've become such a sweet and smart girl...woman...lady? and I'm so glad I've had the chance to get to know the grown-up version of ya! Cuz she kinda rocks. Good luck with everything, and I am fo realz when I say you can call me/text me/email me if you ever need anything. <333

Grace Kim: Hey prez. You've done such a great job this year leading a bunch of boys! Hehe and you've still managed to keep your ridiculously infectious smile. I know you've always got a lot of stuff on your plate, but you always handle everything so gracefully. Teehee. See what I did there? GRACEfully. Yeah I'm clever like that. lolz. Have a great rest of the year!! <33

Taehoon Kim: I don't think I've met someone with so many different versions of a sexy face. I think I've counted 7 from you. And most of them aren't even intentional WHAT. Guess your default face is just meant to sizzle.

Cindy Lin: Hey there pretty! We didn't hang out enough this semester. I is sad. You're always such a blast to be around, and I'm really gonna miss you! You have always been such a sweetheart, and I'll be honest you're one of few people I go to ABSA for. Even when I'm having a shitty day, I love running into you cuz you always make me smile. <333 Please let's keep in touch! And keep rockin it as Marketing Team Head you hotshot you.

Jordan Naumann: SKYDIVVINGGG!!! BARBEQUEEEEE!!! BRISKEETTTT!!!

Jennifer Nguyen: Hi girlie! Yaaay we're graduating!! You are such a cutie, and you were definitely one of the best little sibs ever last year! I know you've moved on to that other family but you will always be an Oh You Fancy Huh member in my heart lolz. You were a kickass media director last year and you're an awesome graduating senior this year teehee. Coming to ABSA wasn't as daunting when I knew I would run into you!! <333 Best of luck chickie!!! Gonna miss you lots.

Ken Nguyen: You're ugly.

Kevin Nguyen: You're the other half of my favorite Kevins! Lolz it's always fun running into you dt. Good luck with the rest of school! Enjoy it while you can! PS say hi to my other favorite Kevin I never see that dude anymore! >>

Stephanie Qin: Hey Stephanie! I love how ya'll let me invade your place and your dinners on random nights. And it's always a blast chatting with you. You're so cute and wonderful and I'm really gonna miss you! Good luck with everything. Rock out the rest of MPA! You can doooo it <33

Henry Shi: Hey there buddy! Scotland's been forever ago, so WHY are you still threatening me with that STUPID UNTRUE COMPLETELY FALSE STORY. Teehee gonna miss you!

Molly Sun: Congrats on graduating Molly! You're donneeee! And done early Such a smartypants. I'm gonna miss randomly bumping into you and explaining pop culture references to you. Hehe. Best of luck with everything! I'm gonna miss you <333

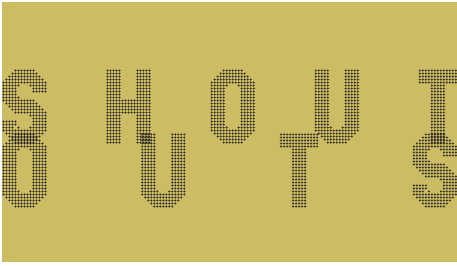
John Terada: Hey professor! It's been too long since we've hung out...but look! We've made it to the other side (relatively) unscathed. And you're doing awesome things!! Our panel was so much fun, and you were definitely a part of making being an officer so memorable. I'm gonna miss ya! Good luck with everything! And keep that booty shakin bahaha

Eric Tsang: Eric! Have I mentioned that even when I'm having the shittiest day you still make me smile? Lolz you're so goofy and funny, and it's gonna be weird moving on to another part of my life without you in it somehow! Shepton, Plano West, UT, ABSA...we've always run into each other! Crazy crazy. Gonna miss you buddy!

Erica Tsao: JIA. I LOVE YOU. You know how much <3 <3 <3 We've been through so much serious AND stupid shit together, and I'm always gonna be grateful to have a sister like you. I could say more stuff. But it would be waaay cheesier and I don't want your sensitive gag reflex to kick in. Vomit's never sexy.

Loren Wang: Teeheehee we shall call you WANGSTA. Lolz. I think that was the first time we met when you became a kickass little in Oh You Fancy Huh. You're such a funny dude, and I love running into you at Mil Lab! It's always nice seeing a friendly face. Gonna miss you buddy! And good luck with MPA!

Lee Wang: Hey there hotshot! You're so fun to talk to. Fo surious. Not many people can talk philosophy, pick up artists, and pop culture all in one conversation. But you make it look good pahaha. PS You are the most stylish dude I've ever met. You



put me to shame.

Jon Wong: What up kiddo! Ugh I don't know how you did it, but somehow you've trained me to answer to grandma. You're such a cool kid, and you were an AWE-SOME little in our family last year. It's always a blast seeing you. Best of luck with the rest of school!!

Parry Ying: Hey cutie!

Louis Yu: Hey Louis! I love love LOVE what you've been doing with Admin. I always feel fuzzy inside when I see something I've devoted so much time to do so well! I'm so glad I got to know you more this semester! You are one fun guy. Keeping the tradition of Admin badasses hehe. Best of luck with everything!!

Jay Lee: You are my favorite over all of the other shout outs. That is all. Thanks.

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