

Meeting Minutes 5/8/2012

Tuesday, May 08, 2012

7:01 PM

Attendees

Sohani

Anshuman

Seetharam

Raghavender

Santanu

Vaishnavi

Minutes of the Meeting

- **Bollywood Party**
 - Do we have to do it at Myxx?
 - Away from downtown, might not draw too many people
 - Club is free- No advance
 - DJ free? Sridevi to follow up
 - Host it next Friday
 - Issues with Case people. Other plans already in place for 18th night
 - This Friday is too soon
 - If Satrang is willing to put in manpower, this Friday might be possible
 - Satrang will sponsor \$250 as part of their philanthropy event
- **IASER**
 - Budget discussion
 - Is it too high? Is it justified?
 - New sound-proof room needed
 - Progress now based on number of pages, not books
 - Low progress made last year
 - Unavoidable circumstances, should improve this year
 - Presentability and accountability to be improved
 - Expectations of IASER
 - Have their own library- Too big a dream for short term dream
 - Project needs more funding from other sources for it
 - Has to clear doubts
 - CD has audio format?
 - How to prevent piracy? CD/ DVD no longer safe
 - Discussion Document updated
- **Jagdish's Visit**
 - Need to arrange meeting between Jagdish, volunteers and donors on the weekend he is here
 - Either Waldorf's party room or hotel
 - Seetharam in charge of donors
 - Partho in charge of hosting Jagdish tentatively

- **Aragati Budget Approval**
 - 2nd installment of the due budget to Aragati is approved(\$2500)
 - Expected increase in budget this year(\$7000-7500 from \$5500)

- **Next Edition of Abhilasha Due**
 - Have Rajneesh's story in it, publicize for the marathon
 - Anshuman in charge of creating a special marathon-dedicated version
 - Put up ads in India International