



AAP In Action

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_A chance to highlight and connect the Aids Awareness Poets around the Nation.

First of It's Kind

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Aids Awareness Poets. We are the future of activism in our country. We are reclaiming our health and the health of our fellow community members. What affects one portion of our society will be the determinant affecting the fate for the rest of us.

Through this newsletter I would like to keep everyone updated on the status of all the chapters around the United States. From the looks of things, we may become international soon! I would like to be able to highlight more chapters and their events but need help!

If you have pictures or comments send them to me! Let me know when you get new members! If Devin is coming to your town let me know and send in pictures of him asleep. It may come in handy.

AAP in Action is ready to keep us all connected.

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Suggestions? Additions? Contact me.

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Think about It

We are all advocates working to infect knowledge about HIV and AIDS. The past Fall Quarter was amazing. There were units doing phases and creating more opportunities to spread awareness using Aids Awareness Poets as the platform. There were new members and old came together to bring quality and exciting events to their campuses and their cit-

The impact in the community is necessary and we should continue to spread awareness. Let's not forget that awareness is just the first step and that we must encourage our brothers and sisters to engage in taking active efforts to protect their health.

AAP...Around the Nation

"Phase one went pretty good I was surprised with some of the remarks I got like stay the hell away from me and my favorite was are you trying to tell us some thing? But after I told the that I am a AIDS Awareness Poets they where very relieve. Over all this is a good thing that we did using the status shockers i think we should do this every month." – Curtis Pendegraf

"The Mobile AIDS Coalition will hold a program in observance of World AIDS Day on Tuesday, December 1, 2009, at 5:30 p.m. The event will

take place at Government Plaza. I would like for some of the members to support at this event. They have done both HIV testings on campus for us this year so it is very important that we show our support." –Mobile Chapter

"Delta Sigma Theta Sorority, Inc. asked if we could volunteer at their Health Forum on from 6-8pm as performers, greeters, runners, or help with set up (at about 5pm) and tear down. Plus Free Census Shirts!" - Omaha Chapter



Fundraising Tips

- Go to local health departments ask for sponsorships
- Raffles from local shops giving coupons or small prizes
- Basketball game 3 on 3
- Selling hot chocolate, apple cider, candy canes
- Contact college medical centers for sponsorships



Ways to recruit new members:

- Have a campus movie night with sign ups available
- Go places as a group wearing t-shirts:
 - Mall
 - Movies
 - Bowling allies
 - College or high school sports events
- At the health department recruit doctors and nurses
- Link up with other Aids groups in the community



PAST EVENTS

- WORLD AIDS DAY**
- PREMIERE OF "GOD, ME, HIV?"**
IN D.C. AND FLORIDA
- WOULD YOU LOVE ME IF I HAD HIV?**
- HIV COUPONS**
- MOVIE NIGHTS**



Devin Internationally known

DEVIN VISITED WITH OMAHA CHAPTER AFTER PERFORMING IN IOWA AT BUENA VISTA UNIVERSITY.

HE WAS ALSO SPOTTED IN AFRICA AND THE MIDDLE EAST.

Upcoming Events:

- January Phase**
- February Phase**



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