Introduction

The International Club once again had a very active year. It was a recipient of the ODK award for the "Organization of the Year" in 2000 and was nominated for the organization of the year award and the social event of the year award this year. The Club was also approved to have a special house for the 2002-2003 academic year. The International Club promotes global understanding and friendships and presents a variety of cultural programs and activities to the campus community. The club has more than 90 members and all Moravian students are welcome to join.

Mission

· To introduce rich and unique world cultures to the Moravian community.
· To enhance diversity of the Moravian community through cultural and social activities.
· To commit ourselves to “Global Education, Global Understanding, and Global Involvement.”

Goals

· To work together as a quality team because we know “Together we make a difference.”
· To enhance global awareness and cultural diversity of the Moravian community through active cultural, social, academic and sport activities.
· To provide assistance and counseling while installing confidence in club members and directing them to reach their educational and personal goals.
· To reach out to the local community by enriching club members’ lives beyond traditional education.
Events  (Fall 2001- Spring 2002)

I. Culture Programs:
1. Flag Raising Ceremony ($70)
2. Nepalese Diwali celebration***
3. Chinese Moon Festival ($120) *
4. World Calligraphy ($30)
5. Annual International Club Dinner ($750)
6. Holi Festival ($200)

II. Social Events:
1. Welcome Picnic and tailgating ($320)
2. Homecoming breakfast for Alumni ($160)
3. Halloween Party ($55)
4. Appreciation Tea Party ($210)
5. Thanksgiving & Christmas Dinners with faculty
6. International Dance ($75)
7. Spring Welcome Party ($80)
8. Year end Party ($350)*****

III. Sport Activities:
1. Second Annual Ping Pong Tournament ($75)
2. Bike and Boat Trip with the Nature Conservancy ********

IV. Academic Activities:
1. Networking Reception ($150) ********
2. Czech speaker ($100)********
3. Welcome reception for alumni/speaker from turkey ($50)*****
4. Islamic Culture Discussion ($15)****
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5. Canadian Speaker ($200)**
6. International club Website opening ceremony with ethnic Food($75)
7. Benazir Bhutto Lecture at Lehigh University($5)

*Co-sponsored with South Campus Dorm Council
** Co-sponsored with foreign languages Department, Political Science Department and Economics and business club
*** Two Weeks in Nepal Program
**** Co-sponsored with Amnesty International
****** Being Co-sponsored with Amnesty International
******* Co-sponsored with Alumni Association and Accounting Club
******** Co-sponsored with Accounting Club, Economics and Business Club
********* in collaboration with the Office of International Studies

International Club organized or co-organized 23 different activities and events in the academic year 2001-2002. The proposed list of activities for the next year is given below. On behalf of the International Club, I would like to request $3200 of funds for the 2002-2003 academic year.

Proposed Events (Fall 2002- Spring 2003)

I. Culture Programs:
   1. Flag Raising Ceremony ($70)
   2. Islamic New Year ($175)
   3. World Calligraphy ($50)
   4. Annual International Dinner ($750)
   5. World New Year Celebration ($175)
   6. I-bid- Cultural Souvenir Auction
   7. Cultural Display and Competition ($25)
   8. Ethnic Food Program-Monthly ($200)**
II. Social Events:
1. Fall Welcome Picnic ($200)*
2. Halloween Party ($75)******
4. Appreciation Tea Party ($175)
5. Open house at international club House ($50)
6. Homecoming Breakfast for Alumni ($150)
7. International Dance ($75)
8. Spring Welcome Party ($100)
9. Year end Party ($200)****
10. International movie night at the international club house ($50)

III. Sport Activities:
1. Third Annual Ping Pong Tournament ($75)
2. Bike and Boat Trip with the Nature Conservancy***

IV. Academic Activities:
1. Career networking reception ($200)*****
2. Reception for Rotary Club visitors and other foreign delegates ($75)
3. Guest speaker (1-3 per year)- ($250)

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******Co-sponsor with IMPACT
Officers (2001-2002)

President: Bindesh Shrestha
Vice Presidents: Bindee Shrestha and Petia Damianova
Secretary: Reena Patel
Treasurer: Amrita deZoysa

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