



INROADS Puget Sound Student Association February Newsletter

Greetings to INROADS Interns, Friends, and Community!

I hope all of you are making the most of each day, as they seem to quickly slip by! Please read through this newsletter thoroughly, as there is critical information for events that we need your participation in! I ask you to please enjoy and read forward, and to also let me know if there are any articles you would like to contribute, questions, or feedback you can offer. Please email me at lanz@u.washington.edu for further contact!

All the best,
Lanna Wei
IPSSA Vice President
Newsletter Editor

Birthdays for February

Stephanie Lin 2/1
Linh Nguyen 2/6
Mytam Nguyen 2/7
Velma Ragsdale 2/15
Emily Woo 2/18
Dan Chhan 2/22
Jonathan Tam 2/24

WHAT? TSUNAMI RELIEF FUNDRAISER!

Who: You!!

Where: Red Robin in Southcenter, Auburn, and Federal Way

When: Thursday, February 17th, 5-9pm

Why: It is a great opportunity to raise money and participate in community service in order to give back. Please read details below!

February is:

Black History Month, National Children's Month and Dental Health Month

Feb. 1st National Freedom Day

Feb. 2nd Groundhog Day

Feb. 12th Abraham Lincoln's Birthday (Tom Hanks is related to him)

Feb. 14th Valentine's Day

Feb. 21st President's Day/No School/INROADS Office Closed

Feb. 22nd George Washington's Birthday

The coupon for the fundraiser can be printed at:

<http://students.washington.edu/ipssa>

CALLING ALL INTERNS!!!

Enjoy a good meal, while raising funds for Tsunami Relief!

What are you typically doing Thursday evening: studying, watching TV, hanging out with friends? Instead, why not enjoy a good meal with your fellow INROADS Interns, and help World Vision with their efforts in Southeast Asia after the devastating tsunami that ended and changed so many lives that tragic December 26, 2004. Stop by the Red Robin in Southcenter, Federal Way, or Auburn from 5:00-9:00PM on February 17, 2005 enjoy a great burger and milkshake with a group of friends and 10% of your bill will be donated to World Vision. Just make sure to print out a coupon from <http://students.washington.edu/ipssa> and hand it to your server before ordering. Simple enough right?

Most importantly, the concept of "Strength in Numbers" is a crucial statement in order to donate a significant amount to World Vision, and help those who are struggling to survive on a day to day basis. So please call your friends, your families, your sponsoring company, and who ever else you know to come out and enjoy one good meal for one great cause. Hope to see you all there!

For more information, contact Alice Liang at alliang03@msn.com

A Message from Anousinh Siharath, Professional Development Specialist

Thank you to all of those who helped volunteer at the Talent Pool Training. Please email/mail me your community service hours for this past weekend.

I hope midterms are going well and that you're off to a good start in February. I will be on campus on the following dates for your February coaching session. This is an IMPORTANT one to attend because I have an important announcement to make to everyone. The topic of this month's discussion is "Change" and how to handle change in the workplace and in your own personal life.

OUT OF STATE INTERNS:

Please call me to talk one on one.

SU INTERNS:

2/15 Pigott Hall 11:00 AM-1:00 PM

UW INTERNS:

2/16 ECC 11:30-2:30

2/17 ECC 11:30-2:30

Please email Anousinh at Asiharath@inroads.org . She will meet a group every hour.

Volunteers Needed!

March 3, 2005 is the INROADS Career Expo and intern volunteers are needed to assist from 2 to 6 p.m. at the Boeing facility on East Marginal Way. Please email Jeannie Shek if you are interested in volunteering at jshek@inroads.org .

Information from Tanisha Roberts, Managing Director

After 3 1/2 years of work with the organization in the role of National Recruiter and Professional Development Specialist, Anousinh Siharath has decided to move on. She will remain very active with the local office in her role as an alum. We wish her the very best in her new endeavor and are extremely sad to lose her as a vital team member yet, we are very proud of her and the growth she has and will achieve.

Anousinh's last day with the Puget Sound office will be **Friday, February 25th**. Beginning Monday, February 28th Anousinh will be working for Mercer Human Resource Consulting here in Seattle as the West Unit College Relations Coordinator/Recruiter. We will be having a farewell celebration in Anousinh's honor on **Friday, March 4th at Gillian's from 6 to 9 p.m.** in Seattle. There are still several items that we need to work on before Anousinh's departure here in the office. Please do not bombard her with a number of emails but wait and convey your expressions/emotions/questions at the campus visits later this month.