Psi Chi General Meeting  
September 20, 2005

Meeting was called to order by our President, Jenny Nerbonne at 8:05 pm.

The topic for this meeting was "Tips on Graduate Admissions." Dr. Rachel Foster-Lifson was kind enough to take time out of her busy schedule to share with us her wisdom and advice (as well as her humor 😄) regarding all areas related to selecting, applying, and being accepted to a graduate school in a psychology-related field. She had many great thoughts, suggestions, and tips to share and we greatly appreciate her enthusiasm and support in helping us pursue our educational goals!

NOTE: Dr. Foster-Lifson distributed handouts that included information such as websites about grad school and applying, helpful books, a timetable for preparing applications, and more. If you would like a copy of these handouts, please contact Jenny (j.nerbonne@chartermi.net). Dr. Foster-Lifson also welcomed anyone who would like advising to drop by her office hours. (http://www.chsbs.cmich.edu/Rachel_Foster-Lifson/Default.htm - Dr. Foster-Lifson's e-mail address, office location, and office hours)

Announcements:

* Ashley announced that Volunteer Points will be available for anyone who brings in plastic shopping bags to be donated to Mrs. Keeler's special education classroom at West Intermediate. (Ten bags = 1 Volunteer Point; Maximum of 4 points to be earned)

* Anna set up a quick display of catalogs and brochures of items that we are considering selling this semester. She asked that anyone who is interested in buying and/or selling Psi Chi merchandise this semester stop by on their way out and share their opinion about what they would like to purchase/sell in the upcoming weeks. More information will be provided in the next week or two by e-mail.

* Alyssa announced that Psi Chi will be volunteering at the Reading Day for Children event on Saturday, October 22 from 8:30 am - 3 pm at Finch Fieldhouse. Coordinators are especially looking for volunteers who know how/are willing to face paint or dress up as Clifford- the Big Red Dog. More information (including a sign-up sheet) will be available at the next meeting. Volunteers are needed for 2 hour shifts, 5 people per shift.

Meeting adjourned at 9:15 pm.

*Psi Chi's next meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, October 4th at 8 pm in Sloan 100. Everyone is welcome!!  (You do not have to be a member of Psi Chi to attend.)