

CASE #8675309 - THE MINUTES

Attention: Department of Organized Crime

In re: Undercover observations

Name of organization: Hitchcock House

Date: 11/4/04

Location: The Green Room

Activity: House Meeting

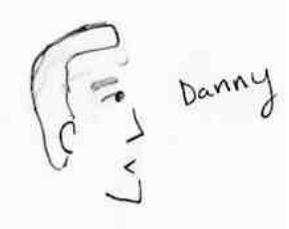
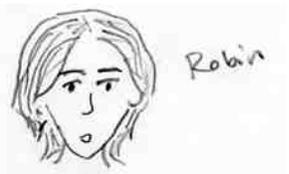
Observing officer: Jesse Raber

Cover: "House Secretary"

Sketch artist: Clara Raubertas

Cover: Caricaturist

Sketches



Observations

The mtng begins. Claire Gilbert, the rnglder, is cmlping about low attndnce. Thinks that ppl are nt coming fr fear of lngth. Perhaps our war on bores is succeeding? She inssts tht everyone be concise. House Writing Contest ongoing. There will be a new "Business" sctn of the mtng for ppl who are nt Council mmbrs to share imprtnt proposals & have dscssion with the House, separate from the "General Announcements." You can tell they're on the run. This is a *long* announcement... you can tell by the detail in Clara's sketch. Heck, I don't even have to write in shorthand any more.

Robin & Jeremy Veenstra-Vanderweele come up to thank the House for mkng Hllween great. They lsted some accmplces, but I cldn't ctch all the names.

The RA's are rning some new knd of racket: you pay \$15 to see family holiday entrtnment! I pity the ppl who *don't* pay!

I think we have a lead on this "Jason Novak." His real phone # is 4-5740, not 4-5750! I rcommend we take the wiretap off of Maren Hulden now.



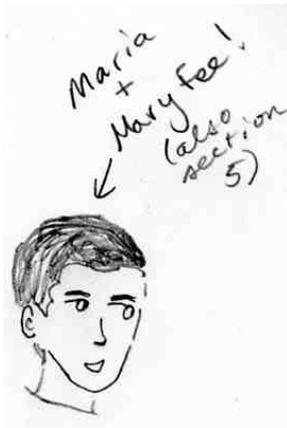
You can tell by that face that she's sinister.
Smthng for the Code dprtmnt: "This week's study break is brought to you by the letter B."
Barbiturates? Big Eddy? — New gear is in. Look out for hoodies w/ a new logo on 'em. Prbbly it will be an armdllo again.



She says "service project," I say "money-laundering operation." The cncnsus in the House is that they like hunger. There may be some kind of "hunger drive." Or they my wrk fr hunger grps in the nghbrhood. What kind of sickos *like* hunger?



They claim to have \$633.68 bfore rcnt expnses.
I'd chck all the usual Cayman Isl. acctts.



As Clara points out, the real scl chrs are nt here.
They sent "B.T." instd, who rd a prpred sttment cncrning "Hllween Scrt Sntas," which were cool, & "Sleepover," which is frthcming on 11/19/04 (Fri.)
"B.T." also rprsnts Section 5, which has "nothing to say" and "no Minutes." His grip on pwr is tghtning.
I wd be alarmed.



Sm stbacks fr the House on the IM Sprts frnt: they lost everything. But "it was a good fght," Shnnon says. I bet it was. Prbbly thr oppnents are nt any kneecaps the richer.



Wtch out for this Julia. She's in chrg of all the food! & she inssts tht everyone do their clnings! @ Bartlett there will be $\frac{1}{2}$ prtns & tofu will be back.



It lks like there is some knd of turf war going on. Do you know about this yet? Hitchcock & Alper rcently scuffled, & schdled a major shwdwn for ltr in the qrtr. Thngs are gonna get nsty. "Corr" is also saving his magic fr ltr, so wtch out.

[Section reps]

Section reps come & section reps go, tlkng of Mchngelo.



Dn't be fooled by Clara's lbl: his name is Ryan Rubin. If you guys run into him he may try to tell you that his name is Dprtment of Orgnized Crime, but don't blve him. Snell has nthng to say.

[Jeremy]

The air hckey tbl will be sold!
Maybe.



The House is expndng its hldngs in the book dprtment, by dvlping its pvt lbrry in the Green Rm. Ppl can dnate bks to it or ask for bks to be dnated to it.



Margo wnts everybdy to cm see sm "UT" shws. I ddn't catch their names, but UT is already a well-dcumnted crmnl orgnztion, so I'm sr you gys have the info on file smwhre.

[Jesse Friedman]

It's tough breaking into the House. JF wanted to be a wise guy, but they booted him over to Snell.



Jim "Bad Movie Night" Holland cms up, anncing the bd movie, "Spookies," fr Sndy @ 10:30: Same Bad time, same Bad channel.



Every Sprman has his Lx Lthr; every Btman hs Jkr. Shrlck Hlmes hd his Prfssr Mriarty. Jim Holland has Elizabeth Hackett. ElzbtH is tkng ppl to "The Incredibles" & scrning sm other "good" mvie @ 8 on Sndy.



There was an "Elctrl Cllge" cntest, & guess who won? Bruce. Sms fshy to me. Eithr he rggd the cntst or rggd the elctn. I'd rcmmd invstgting, bt I thnk that's illgl.



There is a "Hitchck House Frml" on Strdy. As if life itslf wr nt a bg engh chrade . . .

Meeting ends at 10:41 P.M. I'd better get out of here.

Summary: Despite waning attendance at meetings, and diminishing meeting length, Hitchcock House seems to still be going strong. Their coffers and their manpower remain robust, and they have been keeping their eye on the Mother's Day Weekend ball, if you know what I mean. And I think you do. And if you don't, I'm talking about the Hunt. And if you don't know what that means, the Hunt I am referring to is Scav. Scav Hunt. It's important for us to remember down at the precinct that even though things seem to be slowing down for winter, we can be sure that Hitchcock will not be sleeping; it's just resting its eyes. Capisch?

