

INTERNATIONAL HOUSE OF RHODE ISLAND

ANNUAL PROGRAM REPORT JULY 1, 2008 - JUNE 30, 2009

Program statistics from our recorded attendance sheets are the following:

MONTH	# OF VISITORS WHO HAVE SIGNED IN
JULY	851
AUGUST	691
SEPTEMBER	832
OCTOBER	1090
NOVEMBER	676
DECEMBER	518
JANUARY	500
FEBRUARY	605
MARCH	773
APRIL	660
MAY	542
JUNE	451
TOTAL	8189

ATTENDANCE/MEMBERSHIP

Total attendance for all in-house events for which records are available was 8189.

There were 205 memberships (individual - 127 and family - 77 - student - 1).

There were 721 English as a Second Language students registered for classes.

There were 28 ESL tutors tutoring a total of 299 students.

French classes included 9 students enrolled
Spanish classes included 9 students enrolled.
Italian classes included 15 students enrolled.

WEEKLY EVENTS: Knitting classes, International Get-Togethers, Thursday Pot-Luck Lunches, Yoga classes.

MONTHLY EVENTS:

French and German Clubs (academic year only)

Exchange Visitors from Brown University Orientation and Coffee Hour.

MISCELLANEOUS EVENT: World Discovery Project: 6 international people went to the Lonsdale Elementary School in Lincoln, RI to give presentations about their countries/cultures to first through 5 graders. Libya, Korea, France, Italy, Germany, Turkey.

DINNERS, SPECIAL EVENTS**# of ATTENDEES**

Orientation/Luncheon Brown Univ. Graduate Student Early Arrival	20
Fulbright Foreign Language Teachers Dinner and Orientation	75
International Brown U. Orientation and Luncheon	114
International Friendship Program Pot Luck Supper	75
Visit to the J.F.K. Library	20
Mexican Dinner	47
French & German Clubs estimate # attendees for all meetings	147
45th Anniversary Party in Barrington	240
Children's Halloween Party & Puppet Show	23
Thanksgiving Feast	89
Holiday Bazaar (estimate)	300
Burns' Night Supper	56
Libyan Dinner	43
YoYo Ma Concert	95
French Dinner	79
Italian Dinner	66
Boston Museum of Fine Arts	17
Volunteer Appreciation Party	49
Cooking in English Class	7
Brown University Ambassador's Luncheon	41
Japanese Okonomiyaki Party	28
TOTAL	1,631

USE OF BUILDING

As an adjunct to our classes and programs, International House allows the use of the building to provide extended services to the Providence community as part of our outreach. The Brown University Taiwanese Student Association and the Rhode Island Japan Society held their New Year's Party and the Korean Student Organization from Brown University held their Thanksgiving Party this year.

GRANTS RECEIVED

Brown University \$15,000
Collis Foundation \$5,000
McAdams Charitable Foundation \$10,000
Rhode Island Foundation (Mary E. McCulloch Fund) \$4,993

TOTAL GRANTS RECEIVED: \$34,993

INTERNATIONAL FRIENDSHIP PROGRAM

Host Families Participating This Year: 28
Students Participating This Year: 31

COUNTRIES REPRESENTED IN THIS YEAR'S TOTAL ATTENDANCE: 102

see attached chart

VOLUNTEERS

85 volunteers recorded their hours of service this year for a total of 3,167 hours representing an average of 61 hours per week. Volunteers include community leaders, college students, retired teachers, college professors, professional men and women, senior citizens, and international students and visitors. In May, 49 volunteers and their spouses were treated to our annual Volunteer Appreciation Party.