

## **Disaster Shakti Meeting February 20th, 2006**

**Present:** Anders Goranson, Gargi Roysircar, Stephanie Miller, Mike Brodeur, Alison Roy, Kate Airey, Claire Dunnett, Vanessa Partridge

### **Committee Reports:**

#### **PR/Fundraising**

- Website link, titled *Disaster Shakti*, is available on the Multicultural web site, please visit [www.multiculturalcenter.org](http://www.multiculturalcenter.org)
- Flyers about the Disaster Shakti relief trip will be placed around Manchester, NH by Alison and Kate, and Kate will also post them in Petersborough, NH
- Catherine Peterson took our group photo

#### **Scholarship**

- Psychoeducational outline – Anders would like the Team to start reviewing the psychoeducational outline and read the articles pertaining to PTSD he handed out,

#### **Trip Accommodations**

- Anders and Gargi are working on renting a van, Anders did find one from Budget Rental but the cost was \$750 for the duration of the trip
- Stephanie will call her pastor in New Orleans to see if they have a van we can rent
- Transportation to Logan Airport, Boston – we could use Thomas Transportation

#### **Gargi's Updates**

- Mississippi – Alison will provide information about finding contacts in Mississippi and contact Common Ground
- Cierce is in New Orleans, has been sent by Shamsa to help find temporary residences for people, she would like to connect with us when we arrive
- Gargi handed out trip informed consent forms which are to be returned by next week Monday February 27th

#### **Self-Care**

- Mike discussed having a potluck dinner on March 6<sup>th</sup> after class at Gargi's house, everyone will bring a dish, but we together help make a salad and set the table

**Next Meeting: February 27<sup>th</sup> 3:30 pm – 4:30 pm**

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