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January House Meeting

Tues. Jan. 20, 2015

Please sign in so we know who was here. Thanks!



Agenda

- SPEC 2015
- Elections 9th floor hall councilor
- HVAC Update
- Officer Winter Retreat
- Proposed SP Constitutional Amendments
- Budget Reminders
- Upcoming events
- Open floor
 - e Dessert



SPEC 2015

- Recruiting for SPEC 2015 is active!
- Guaranteed non-quad room in SP next year
- Election will be end of March, before spring break



Elections 9th Floor Hall Councilor

- Meet the candidate event (Jan. 13th)
- Voting (Jan 13th Jan 19th)
- Results



New 9th Floor Hall Councilor!!!



Sumit Dutta

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Make It Sectacular

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Updates from the committee

- e Lottery
 - We're working out finer details with housing currently
 - Room type lottery for continuing status students set to open mid-February
- There will be a town hall meeting on Feb. 11 at 7pm with housing to discuss lottery and other updates on the renovation project.
- Government
 - Overnment size for 2015/2016 will be reduced from 58 to 40 officers
 - 5 non-quad beds have been confirmed for SPEC
 - Non-quad beds for officers have been requested and waiting on approval from Housing



Winter Retreat

- Sunday Feb. 8th, meet at 2 PM in SP lobby
- Will include early dinner
- Expect to be back by 6 PM





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Sidney Pacific HVAC Bylaw Changes



SP House Government, 2015-2016

What's different?

- fewer residents
- smaller house government (~40 vs. 58)

What's similar?

 SP traditions and programs: brunch, coffee hour, hall councilor events, lectures, events open to all MIT grad students



Timeline of Bylaw Changes

January: Introduce bylaw amendments

February: Vote on changes (2/3 majority) of House Council (quorum needed)



Election Timing (permanent)

- earlier SPEC elections (end of March instead of beginning of April)
 - increase recruitment time
 - housing lottery deadlines have been historically getting earlier
- "Elections should take place no sooner than two weeks after the March House Meeting."



Athletics, Arts, Music (permanent)

Athletics: move from Residential Life to Resources

Arts, Music: move from Resources to Residential Life



House Governent Committees

President: Environment, CoSI (2), Community Service

Resources: AV, Aquarium/Plants, Athletics/Bikes, Inventory, IT, Controllers (2)

Residential Life: Brunch (2), Coffee Hour (2), Cultural/SPICE Chair, Orientation/Social Chair, Outing/Interest Groups Chair

Information: Photofile (2), Web/SPTV (3), Publicity (2)



Hall Council Composition and Elections

5 hall councilors:

- Phase I: to be determined by trustees (1+2, 3+4, 5+6, 7+8 Blue, 8 Orange+9)
- Phase II: Floors 2, 3, 4, 5, 6
- 3 votes/HC instead of 2 votes/HC

Hall Council Election:

- Spring 2015 halls will elect their respective hall councilors
- Hall councilors should be appropriately distributed in Phase II



Voting on House Council

- Current:

- 12 hall councilors (24 votes)
- 24 voting committee chairs

Proposed:

- 5 hall councilors (15 voters)
- 17 voting committee chairs

Budgeting

- Spring budget cycle starts on February
 15 (winter cycle ends on the same day)
- Vote on budget at the February house meeting (February 10)
- Spend (or save) your winter budget before transition
- Please submit reimbursement requests and spring budget requests by January 31, 11:59PM



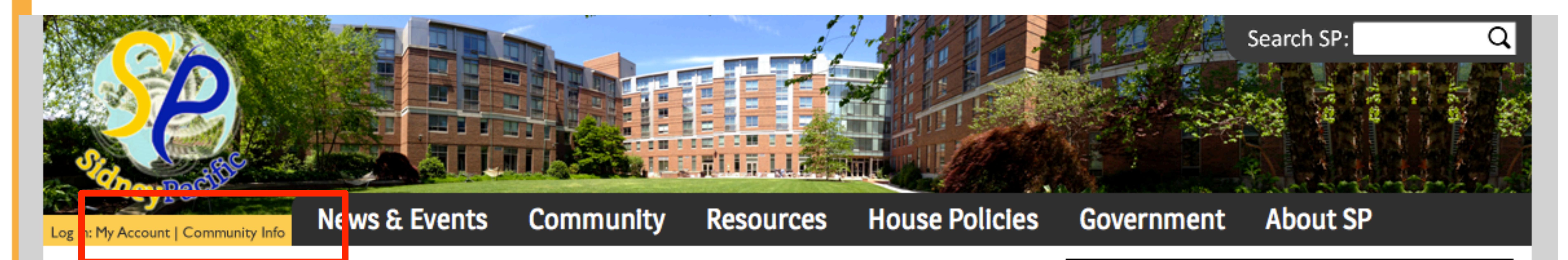


Budgeting

- Hall Councilors get automatic allocation
- Submit requests via S-P website
- For large events and purchases, send detailed descriptions to your SPEC member







Announcements

Power Yoga

SP Anno...

Upcoming Events

- 7pm FED UP Movie Outing
- Thu 12am SP-MORE furniture & items collection
- Thu 2:30pm World Cup Viewing (Group Matches)
- Fri 12am SP-MORE furniture & items collection
- Sat 12am SP-MORE furniture & items collection
- Sun 12am SP-MORE furniture & items collection
- Mon 12am SP-MORE furniture & items collection

Latest Forum Topics

- » Room painting.. (jy_wang)
- » why are the AV rooms so .. (SPAnonymous)
- » SP Inventory Requests Spring 2.. (RyanK)

SP Forum...

- » Switch upgrade ==.. (Franck Dernoncourt)
- » AC this Spring.. (SPAnonymous)
- » Sublet.. (djoshi)

Calendar...

Want to be involved in SP?

Click here to start your application to become a SP officer



Something is broken in your room?

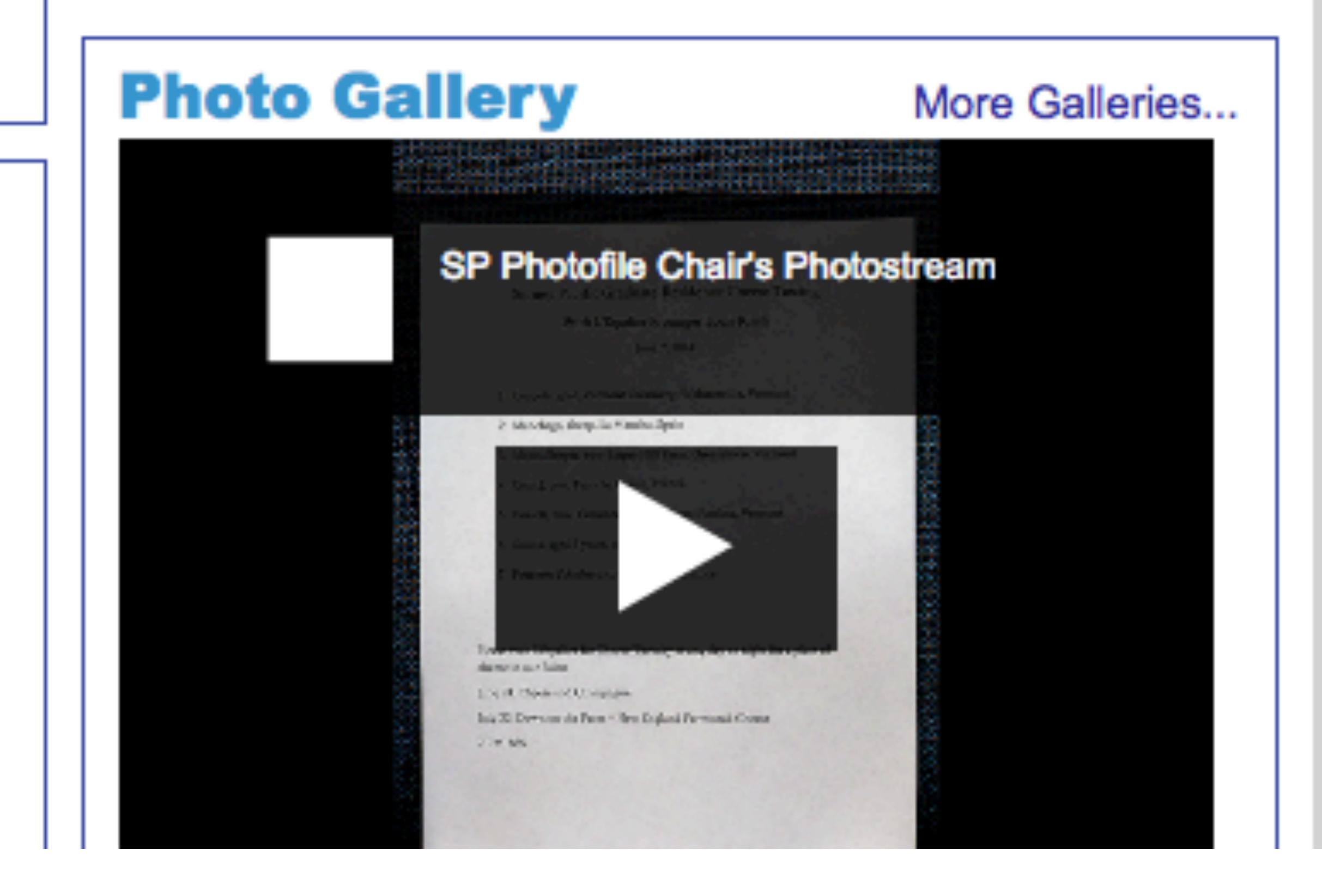
Click here to submit a repair request

FED UP Movie Outing

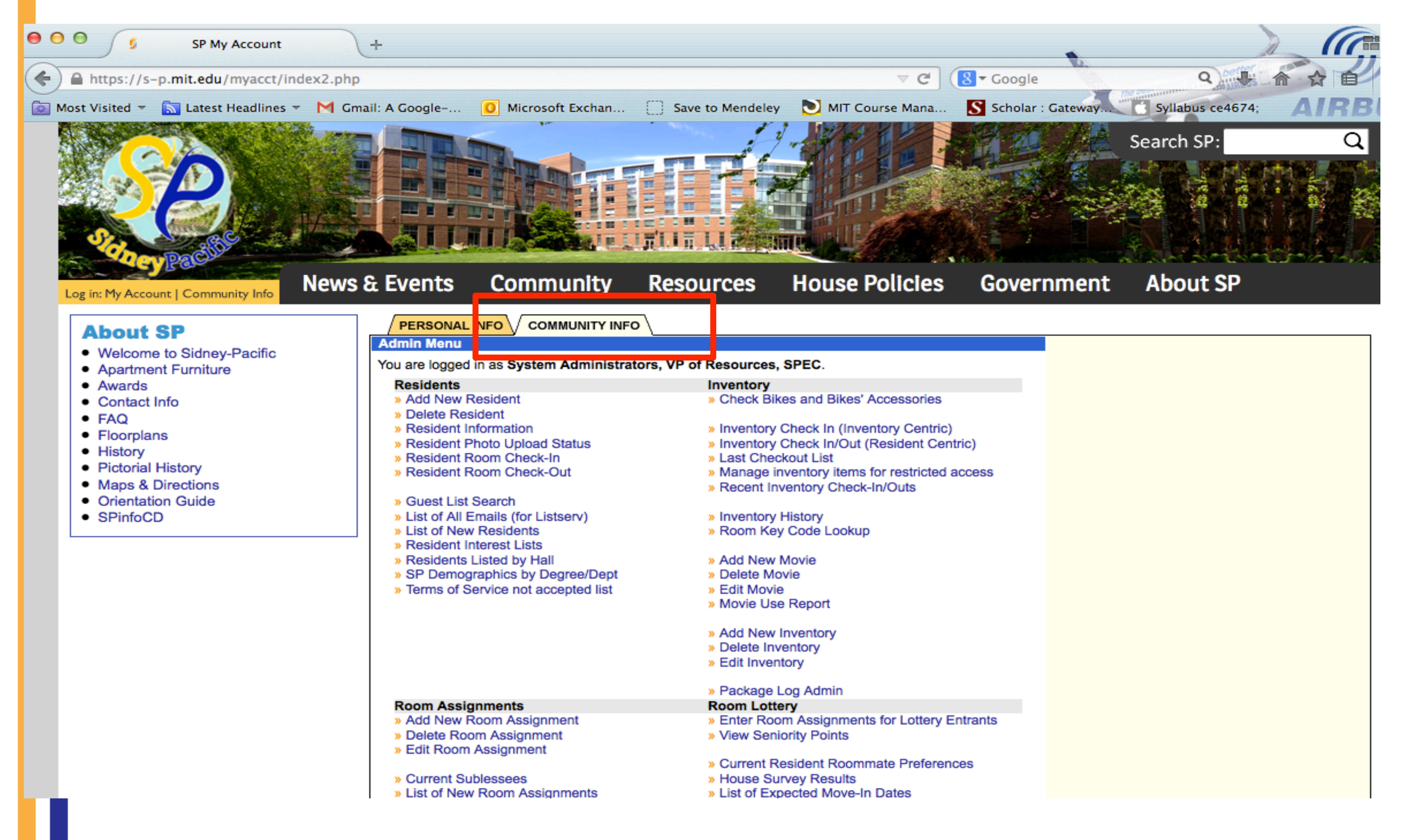
Wednesday, June 11, 2014 19:00 – 21:00 | Kendall Square Cinema | sp-cosi-chair [at] mit.edu

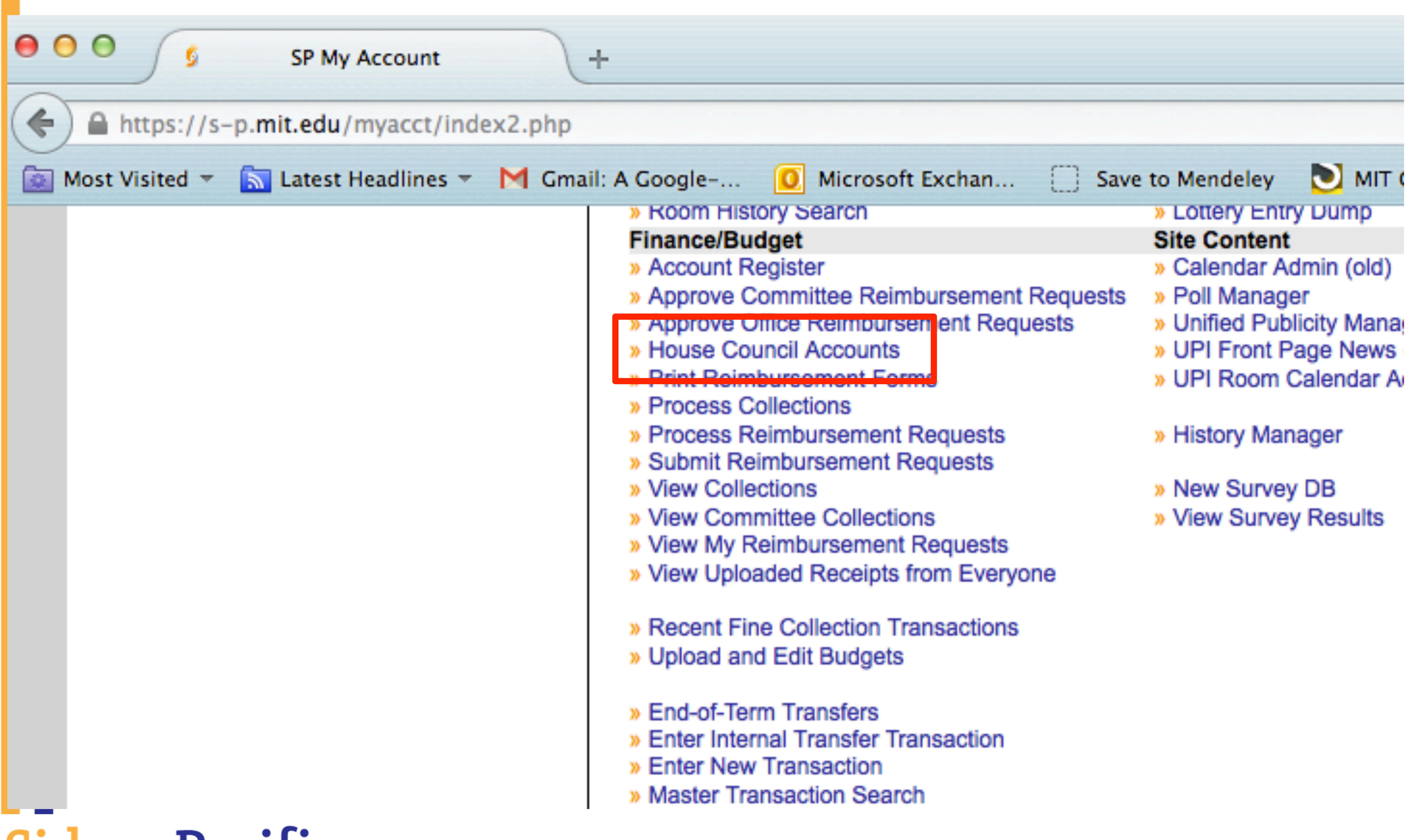
A new documentary - provocative, engaging, and on a subject we see 3 times a day - is out in theaters! FED UP is a movie about the food industry, government, and the obesity epidemic in America. They claim that "everything we thought we knew about food and exercise is dead wrong." Join us for a movie outing this Wednesday (June 11th) at 7pm for a viewing at the Kendall Square Cinema, organized by the SP CoSI and Outing chairs. Sign up to get a spot and a subsidized ticket!

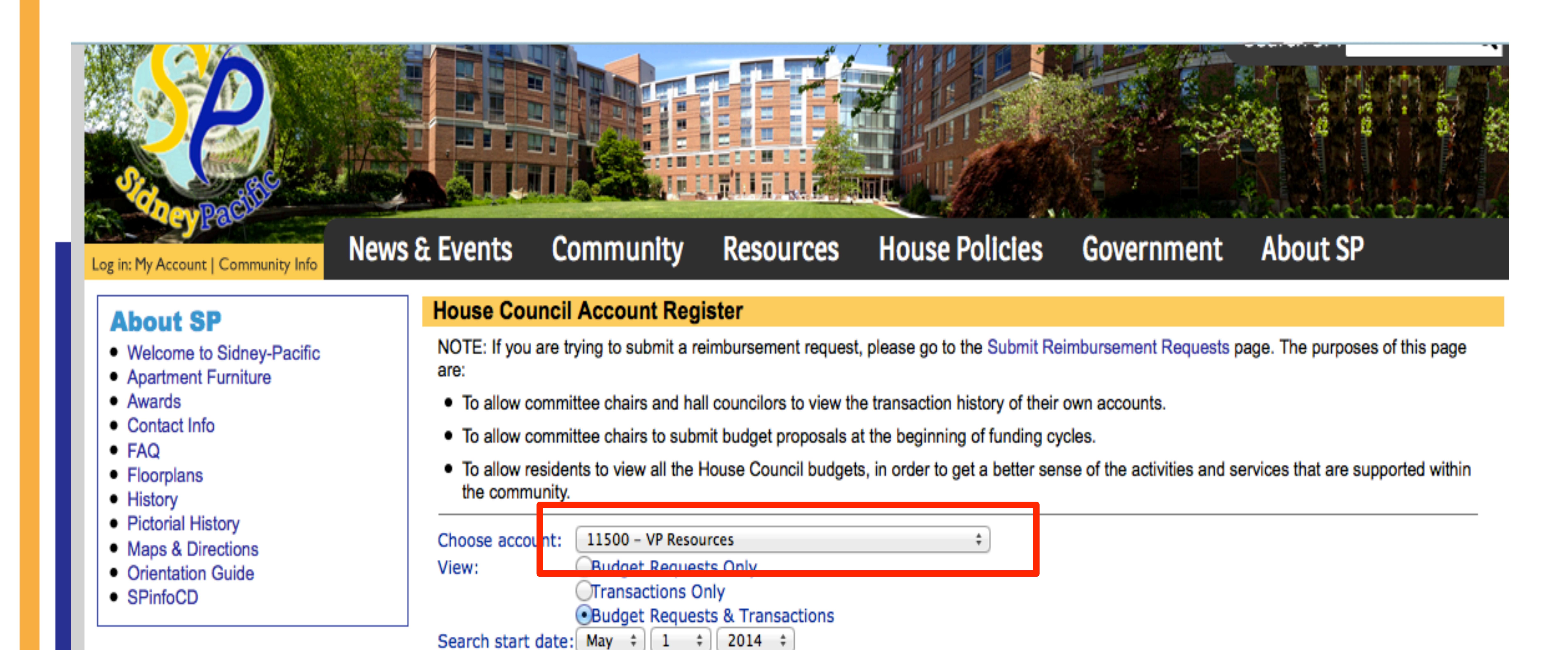
Before you take another bite...











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Account View

Transaction Key

Payment (PO, Event Budget Capital Budget Budget Allocation Internal Transfer Requistion Req. Collection Request Request Reimbursements)

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Click here to add new capital budget request. Click here to add new event budget request.

Click on a specific budget allocation to submit a reimbursement request.

No relevant transactions found after 2014/05/01.

Choose account: 11500 - VP Resources

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Upcoming Events

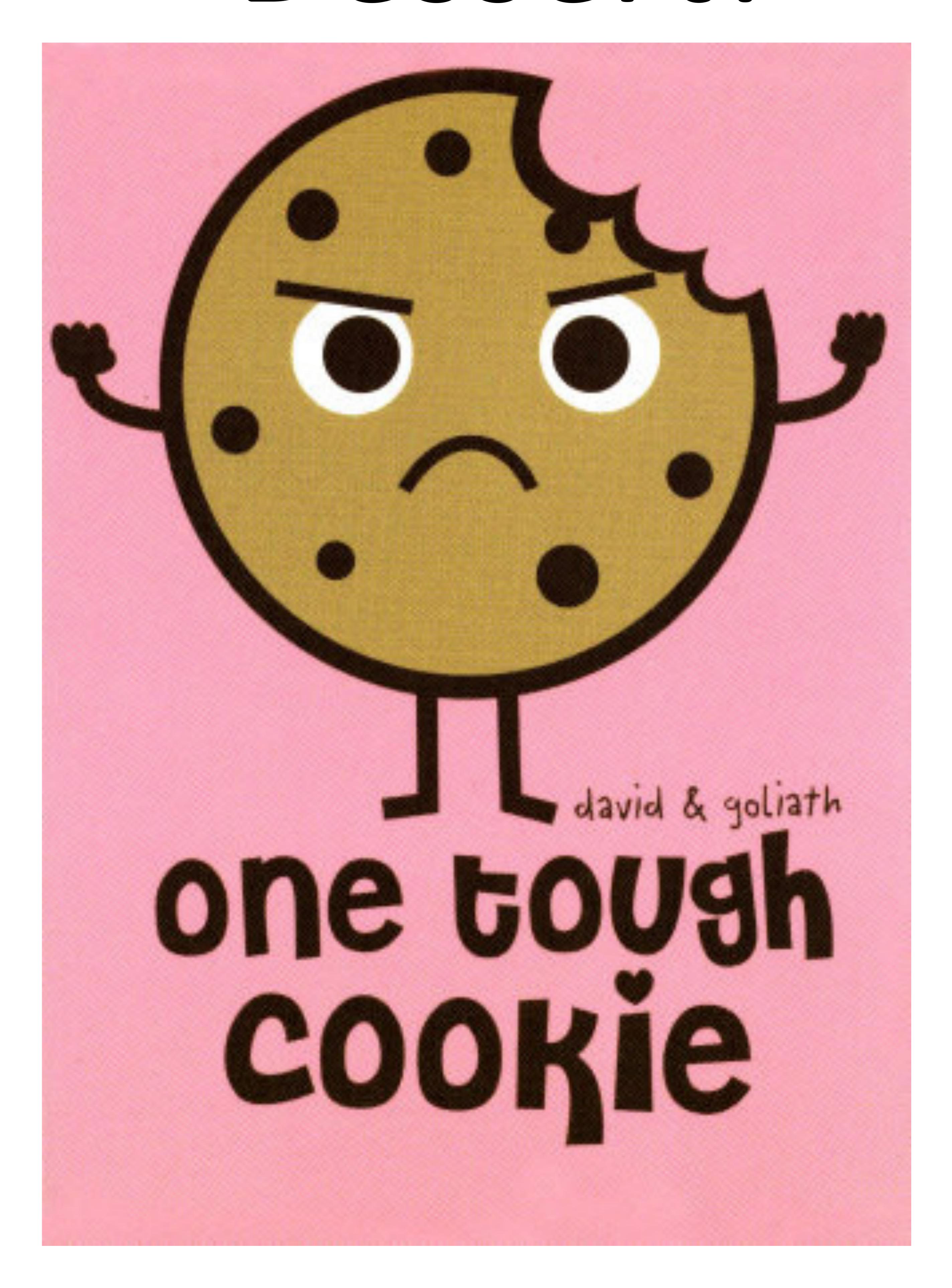
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- Jan. 25 (12pm): Brunch
- Jan. 25 (1pm): SP tea party (make your own tea blends)
- Jan. 28 (9pm): Coffee Hour
- Feb. 1 & 8 (8pm): Power Yoga
- Feb. 2 & 9 (8pm): Zumba
- Feb. 4, 11, 18, & 25 (8pm): Coffee Hour
- Feb. 8: SP Winter Retreat
- Feb. 10 (7pm): February House Dinner & Meeting
- Feb. 11 (7pm): HVAC Town Hall Meeting
- Feb. 13 (7pm): SP Wine and Chocolate Evening
 - Feb. 15 (8pm): Spring Open Doors Night
 - Feb. 22 (7pm): ?Oscars Viewing Party?

Open Floor





Dessert!





Remember to sign in!