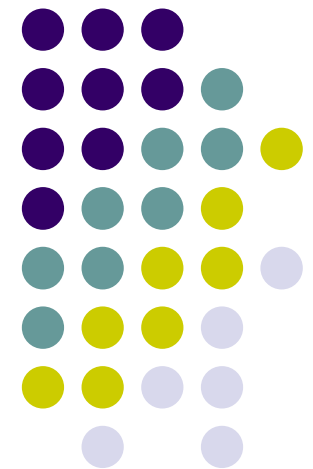
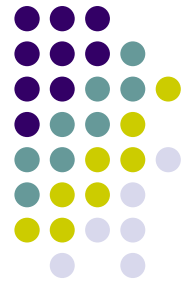


# Project Jump Start:



April 7, 2010  
6:30p.



# Meeting Agenda:

- Background and History
- Focus
- Events (past, present and future)
- Available positions
- Future ideas/directions

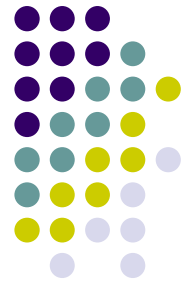


# History of PJS:

Oct, 2005 - Dan Andersen and Julie Della-Maria began going out to meet the homeless of Baltimore City, taking out about 20 sandwiches once a week.

Nov/Dec, 2005 – School administration was contacted and 501(c)3 status was established.

April, 2006 – 3 students were awarded Schweitzer Fellowships to help fund the organization. At this time, ~30-50 sandwiches were made once a week.



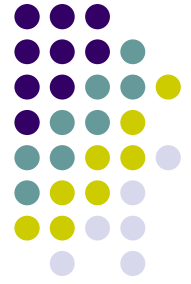
## More History:

**2007** – 2 students awarded Schweitzer Fellowship to address dental issues. Approximately 60 sandwiches handed out twice a week.

**2008** – 1 student awarded Schweitzer Fellowship to address medical issues and another to address pharmaceutical issues. Now, 70 sandwiches are being handed out twice a week.

# Issues:

- Medical Care – abscesses, infections, drug/alcohol addiction, mental disorders
- Dental issues
- Social problems – outside of mainstream society, not on programs they are entitled to, turned away from agencies/services
- Detoxification
- Lack of affordable housing
- Unemployment

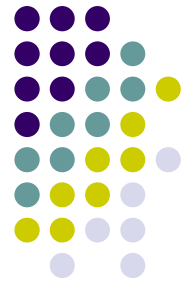


# Focus:

Short-term:

- Outreach
- Advocacy
- Consistency w/  
completeness





# Focus:

## Long-term Goals:

- Continued outreach to the community
- Recruitment and retention of students from each discipline of study (2009!)

Interdisciplinary approach to each individual



**In Summary . . .**



**Improve Quality of Life**



# Past and Present Events:

- Food drives every Tuesday and Friday @ 5:30p all year round
- Collect clothes and toiletries for our clients
- Pick up donated Panera Bread and Bon Appetite pastries
- Fundraisers to cover summer food drives (Pickle's Pub)
- Fall fest, Student Activities Day (med and dent school), SON Orientation Fair
- Comfort (e.g. conversation, prayer, etc.)
- Communicate with area homeless organizations (HIP, SHARP)
- Collaborate with Phi Delta Chi, Black Law Student Assoc, Law School, Dental, PT, SSW, SNMA, USAD, Nursing, Bon Secour and individuals to complete service hours.



# Future Events:

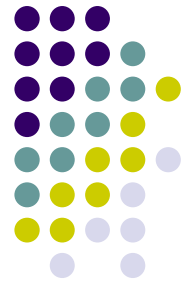
- Collaboration with SON on April 13<sup>th</sup> (next Tuesday)
- End of year appreciation dinner
- Collaboration with Schweitzer fellows to implement job training for the homeless?



# Available Positions



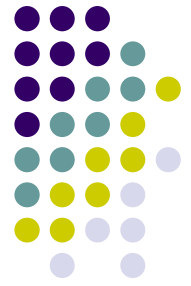
- Participate in biweekly food drives (help prepare or go out or both)
- Donation collection and management
- Food drive shopping
- Fundraising Committee
- Hands in Partnership representative
- Panera Bread and Bon Appetite pick-ups
- Public relations committee
- Secretary
- Senator and Alternate senator
- Treasurer
- President, Vice President
- Webmaster
- Contribute Ideas!!!
- Please contact me by April 23<sup>rd</sup> (in 2 weeks)



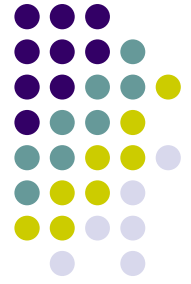
## Future ideas/directions:

- Appreciation Dinner  
Ideas? (Potbelly's, Zellas Pizzeria, etc.)  
Date? April 30<sup>th</sup>, May 7<sup>th</sup>
- Collection competition between schools
- More Fundraising
- Data collection and research team (Ex: a client is currently looking for food banks in Maryland.)

# PJS in Action:



# And More:





# Thank for your attention!

- Please take a copy of PJS position descriptions
- Schweitzer Info  
<http://www.schweitzerfellowship.org>

