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"You gain strength, courage and confidence by every experience in which you really stop to look fear in the face."

- Eleanor Roosevelt

Fundraising on *The Rocket*

Our first ever foray into TTC fundraising is coming up on May 23, a Friday. We will need 2-3 volunteers with a staff or board member out to three TTC subway stations: **King, Yonge/Bloor, and Dundas** to sell plants in order to fundraise for the agency. Each day will be divided into two shifts of 4.5 hours each. Early shifts (10:30-2:30) will be setting up at their respective station. Later shifts (2:30-6:30) will be closing down after sales. Volunteers like YOU are always vital to the success of these fundraisers.

Hopefully everyone received the e-mail I forwarded from Aalia. She can be reached at education@asaap.ca.

Please e-mail me if you can be at one or both of the shifts at volunteer@asaap.ca. Thanks to all who have signed up already! Keep it coming, guys!

In which we party with purpose

Keeping with our theme of moderate-sized fundraisers this season, we are holding *Party with Purpose* coming on Friday June 6, 2008 at 10 p.m.. This smashing kick off to the summer is being held at Empire Lounge. This hot club/lounge is located at 50 Cumberland at Bloor & Yorkville. We'll have two hot DJs (one hip-hop, one Desi), a great performance around midnight and plenty more!

We all love to party, so why not party with purpose? All we need is volunteers to come out with us, there is no volunteer responsibility to this--- only good times ahead! Come join us for an amazing night and have a blast, AND raise money for your favourite ASO (ASAAP)? Really hope to see you all there!



Prouder than EVER

We are underway for our most fabulous Pride ever

The Pride Committee of ASAAP and staff are all on the same page for a wonderful theme. We are going peacock crazy and pretty much blanketing ourselves in blue, green and turquoise.

Our next Pride Committee of ASAAP meeting will be held **next week Tuesday at 5:30-7:30** in the office.

Help get moving on concrete planning and enjoy the company of our phenomenal co-chairs, Ryan & Siva by joining us at this terrific meeting!

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How's your South Asian Heritage feeling? (Good I hope)

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