



April 29 meeting

1. We made \$37.80 profit on the Krispy Kreme Doughnuts!
2. The Albion Fellows Bacon Center sent SPJ a thank you letter for the fifteen dozen doughnuts we donated to them. Donating these doughnuts also helped SPJ complete a service project for the year.
3. We voted to help out with High School Media Day next spring. Yes, we know it's a ways away, but the sooner we plan, the better the events are. This event will also fulfill our service project for next year.
4. FOI Project- How much difficulty does the college press have with accessing records on campus? How accessible are salaries and complaint reports? Will the University hand them over to us, or will this raise controversy on campus? This is our big project for next year. We need a Task Force to head this operation! The Task Force needs to research what is involved in doing this project and the steps we need to take to go about it. Our idea right now is to have our chapter do research on USI and then send a survey out to other Region 5 schools and see if we can get them involved. If you want to be on this Task Force, reply to this email!!!!
5. Mary A. Schroeder is retiring after 37 years of teaching. She was one of the first faculty members hired by the University and founding member of the Department of Communications. A scholarship fund is being set up in her honor. SPJ decided to donate \$100 to this fund.
6. NEW YORK CITY! Remember, SPJ is headed to New York City in September. If you want to go, reply to this email! And unless you want to pay your own way, SPJ needs more fundraiser ideas for the summer. The more money we get, the less each of us has to pay to go to New York. Let us know if you will be in town this summer to help out!

Have a great summer!
Melanie Branum
Secretary