

Hello Chimers,

We attempted an earlier meeting time in hopes of seeing no faces but that didn't quite work out. Here's what DID work out though ...

Those in attendance were: Yanila, Priyanka, Krishna, Kelly and Nancy T. We brought these qualities: ease of being, happiness, light, peace and appreciation.

We are introducing a newer curriculum to Chime In and one of the first things we will do is focus more on our required reading. All Youth Ambassadors should read A Fuller View which is a collection of essays from contemporary thought leaders who have been inspired by Buckminster Fuller. **Please read this book and be prepared to report back to us, write about it, meet the author on one of our calls and have brilliant conversation about it at our first meeting in November.** That gives you a whole two months to read it and absorb the material. Won't that be fun? We are like our own special book club who no doubt will be inspired by all that read. We of course, invite anyone on this email to read it and discuss it with us in November. This will be good times!

Updates about India. Check out our chime in page and take a look at the donate button. We don't wanna brag, but how big is that? <http://chimein.org/india/> The official dates are March 1 - 12, 2018. This means it is time to start fundraising. Priyanka has helped to put together a letter that we can use as a tool to get donations. This and any other assistance will be shared with everyone so if you have tools that work for you when fundraising, please pass it along to us all. While fundraising it is good to think of gifts we offer to donors for their contributions. **Kelly and Nancy T will brainstorm to come up with some more ideas of gifts we can give but don't let that stop you from coming up with your own.** This is a great time to create your own crowdfunding page on youcaring.com or kickstarter.com or whatever suits you best. This is getting exciting. I can smell the curry now! (why is it always about food with me??) Oh and by the way, once you create your crowdfunder page, we will share that link on the Chime In website.

Updates on PBL. We are in contact with the former Ambassador of Tourism, Mildred Espinosa, from Guatemala. She is partnering with us to assure our funds are allocated according to our wishes. Kelly (at the very least) will be going there in December to represent us and the official launch of PBL.

Then we got to catch up a bit more with Yanila. She is gearing up for her trip with Echo. They are putting together a video. If you would like to contribute to

the video or would be willing to share it on social media that would be great. You can learn more about all of this in the group chat on FB. All the info is there. Here she comes, Brazil! Yay!!!

Great news from Priyanka and Krishna - They will be headed to the UN to represent Chime In, India and Ecuador. The focus will be the UN's sustainability goals and they hope to bring back a world of info to be shared with us all. Best wishes on your trip. You will be amazing!

We wrapped with a music minute from none other than our very own, Kelly Sullivan Walden. Here is the link. <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=buswvJrOf8>

Enjoy and see you next time. We will let you know that time and date soon.

xoxo
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