

HAZE Snowball Survey

for Hazing Discussion

1. How would you define the term “hazing”?
2. In the film, Gordie’s mom says that she had no worries that there was anything Gordie couldn’t handle. Hazing activities often develop and perpetuate because the planners don’t think about the hidden harm inherent in some activities. Sometimes even the people who know you best cannot predict how you may respond under stress. What are some examples of activities that some might see as harmless, but which may be unsettling for others?
3. What are your personal values, and the values of the groups to which you belong? How well do your new member activities promote group values?
4. How could you break a long-standing “tradition”? What activities could be introduced to start a new tradition and replace a questionable one?