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My dear ~~Mrs.~~ Takahashi

Your letter concerning the possibility of your appearing before our Lakeview Club in January needs an immediate reply. However, our group has no more meetings until August and I can do nothing without sanction from the board as to whether it is permissible for me to give you our membership list. I cannot on my limited budget in Allied Arts section afford the \$35 fee. I would very much like to accept your other offer of a fee of \$15 which included the list of all members and an opportunity of announcing any functions or trips. However, I do not feel justified to give an affirmative reply on my own authority, and since your dates are so few and you have to make your plans so far in advance, I am at a loss as to what to reply.

As soon as we have an executive meeting and I can bring the matter up, I will have to table it. Perhaps when we do meet, I will be given the permission to give you our membership list. I am still a relatively new member and we have very definite rules about membership.

This is not a very satisfactory answer and I

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Wish that I could have you set the date aside for us. However, you can see my point of view and I do not feel justified in asking you to hold the date open for us.

As soon as I do get more information and authority from the board, I will contact you again and see if you still have the time available for us.

Thank you for your interest. I know your program would be of great interest to us all and am still hopeful that it can be arranged.

Sincerely

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