AGENDA FOR SATURDAY APRIL 22 (INTERNAL MEN’S COUNCIL)

Target arrival 4:00

4-4:30 we secure ingress to building and arrange tables and technology, bar

Tasks include setting tables with tablecloths and cutlery, putting beer and drinks in coolers with ice, set up TV and audio

5:15 food arrives,  everything is set up

5:30 people come in

5:45 Tim starts event

Pat describes the book in general (it is **not** about toxic masculinity!) and notes the questions that people could discuss at their tables

General welcome ask people to introduce themselves

Invite by tables to get dinner

6: 30 Tim calls people’s attention before starting the program. Pat introduces the Men’s council, invites people serving on the council to stand up, identifies Tom as circle liaison and invites people who currently are members of a circle to stand up. Men who want to be in a circle can contact Tom. Mentions Saturday breakfasts, email list, etc.

6:40 Program starts: This video is how we became aware of the book Show video (7 min [Richard Reeves: Of Boys and Men | Real Time with Bill Maher (HBO)](https://youtu.be/VEZwzyskSz8))

General reactions to video 5 minutes at table -

* 1. one question, turn to neighbor - is this an issue on your radar or is it new to you?  If not new to you when did you first become aware of this?
  2. Have you witnessed or do you know men in this situation?

6:50 Tim shows a second video (15 min) [Male inequality, explained by an expert | Richard Reeves](https://youtu.be/DBG1Wgg32Ok)

1. We distribute questions to tables for people to read

7:05 Panelists come up to react to video from own experience (Tim, Tom, Thaddeus, Casey)

7:35 Tables discuss questions

8:05 Whole group discussion facilitated by Tim

* 1. Post it posters on Walls
  2. Tables post most important reactions to questions on the big posters
  3. Flexibility with the ending.  If time, a group discussion, if not, Tim will pull together a document summary of the discussions and questions.

8:30 dismiss but first ask for help Clean up and organize room for Sunday social hour

Wash Table cloths, plates, and silverware