

Students' Council Weekly Meetings
Minutes from 11/1/15
Taken by Yan, Zach

Members Present: Claire, Jason, Emily, Jay, Zach, Yancheng, Jessica, Mis, Julia, Saumya, Deedee, Ian

Members Absent: Alana, Tristan

Guests:

1. Moment of Silence
2. President Updates
 - a. Still looking for new Co-Secretaries
 - b. Discussing Smoking Policy with Franklyn on Friday
 - i. Franklyn might want to come and talk to everyone
 - ii. Less onus on those who don't smoke to confront those who do like smoking.
 - c. Setting up meeting with Jess Lord this week as well
 - d. Meeting with Mike Elias on Wednesday for further discussions on Events Committee
 - i. Ian and Mis have been invited to meet with Mike; Saumya will be there for Ventfull discussion
 - ii. Input from other sc members
 - e. Philadelphia inquirer about the honorary degree of Bill Cosby-Board decided **not** to take away his honorary degree. Views from other sc members?
 - f. Take that strengths quiz- Karina Weiner is coming to talk about our strengths and weaknesses, but Kelly Cleary isn't coming
3. Elections Updates
 - a. Still looking for co-secretaries
4. Appointments Committee Updates
 - a. AMA appointment- Victoria Ribiero
 - b. HCO Co-Heads: haven't been selected yet, we will re-send out the applications
 - c. Haverfest Co-Heads haven't come thru yet either *Haverfest Cancelled* in subject line-good idea
5. Budgeting Updates
 - a. Very close to finalizing budget
 - b. So seeing who hasn't spent money at this point, so that money can be taken back
 - c. Having a hard time coordinating with Bryn Mawr treasurers
6. Officer Updates
 - a. Academics
 - i. Sent out a list of all the new courses
 - ii. EPC is meeting with Bryn Mawr's EPC
 - iii. almost ready to have a focus group for the new requirement
 - b. Arts
 - i. Pulled together a rocky horror screening for Haverford, which is going to make it into the Bi-Co newsletter (!!!)
 - ii. Working with M.I.A. to collect/make artwork for their open mike event about identity.
 - iii. Continuing to put out e-mails to the community about art events.
 - iv. Figure out a time to hold office hours in the COOP
 - c. Athletics
 - i. Still have to call health services
 - ii. Will try to meet with Wendy

- iii. Will possibly talk to Jess Lord
- iv. Also met with the Women's Lax coach about the step-up program
 - a. Working on a promotional video to advertise the program
- d. Campus Life
 - i. Sent out emails about DRPs
 - ii. Still have a couple dorms that don't have DRPs
 - a. Lunt and 19 will potentially not have parties until DRPs are determined
 - iii. Meeting with Mitch tomorrow about laundry issues
 - a. Even just get the machines to work would be great
- e. Multiculturalism
 - i. Sent out emails that did not get answered most of the time
 - ii. Weekly meetings with the Rufus Jones Institute about the schedule for the MLK retreat
- 7. Class Year Reps
 - a. 2016
 - b. 2017
 - i. Working with Saumya on the Blue Bus committee
 - ii. Sent out the dining center survey, about 400 responses
 - c. 2018
 - i. Met with Ben Hughes
 - d. 2019
 - i. Talked about how the first-year rep could be the head of the first year Dean's Council
 - ii. JSSAPP meeting went well
- 8. Non-Officer Updates and Comments
- 9. Moment of Silence