

Students' Council Weekly Meetings  
Minutes from 10/2/2016

**Members Present:** Ian Andolsek '17, Sergio Diaz '17, Nicole Bonsu '17, Jordanlee Parra '19, Jarren Jennings '19, Henry Li '19, Clayton Brandt '17, Michael Furey '17, Walt Plumlee '18, Sydney Dorman '19, Leslie Luqueño,

**Members Absent:** Tristan Pepin '18, Julia Blake '19, Kiamani Wilson '18, Madison Skerritt '17, Saumya Varma '18, Susie Siyu Jiang '18, Adedoyin Eisape '17

**Guests:**

1. Moment of Silence
2. President Updates

i. Both resolutions passed, and there wasn't much debate about either one. A Q and A brought up that this might have been the student body being on board or that there is a sense of complacency about changes to amendments.

ii. A group of students came up during the pro-con debate for the alcohol policy and showed that there is no space in the program for amendments to the policy. A 2/3 vote was taken to change the agenda and allow this space. Eventually, a group of students who felt this was not allowed in plenary found rules in the rules and order that such a vote a change was unconstitutional. This event brought up questions about the current order of the constitution that we may now want to refine and improve. Additional frustrations were present about how the alcohol policy is treated and its effectiveness. The policy has not been meaningfully evaluated in approx. +25 years and perhaps an update is needed. Currently the Alcohol policy seems like an afterthought to plenary.

iii. The first amendment created a position called multicultural lessons to help make honor council more accessible to various identity groups on campus.

iv. The second amendment is designed to create a 'task manager' for the innovation program.

v. first innovation workshop was hosted last night, the event went well with 25 or so attendees.

1. VP Updates
  - a. Two appointments this past week
  - b. Customs Co-Heads and Haverfest Co-Head and CER appointments are scheduled for week after fall break.
  - c. More attendance at appointments would be appreciated
3. Treasurer Updates
  - a. Grievances were finished this week.
  - b. Mock Trial is hosting a paid event and where the money would be used to pay for the event. They wanted to inquire if there was a profit would the money could be reused in future mock trial events.
  - c. SC questions what guidelines should be in place for clubs and organization who which to raise funds for exterior methods that are not SC funds
  - d. Student council looks at the Rufus Jones budgets and makes adjustments to how the money should be used.
    - i. Paint the walls and GCC cut until proper links are provided
    - ii. Love your body new cups suggested
    - iii. GCC paddle tournament prize budget scaled down to 30\$ total
4. Co-Sec Updates
5. Officer Updates

- a. Academics
    - i. Survey has not been received
    - ii. Comp-Sci into class size received very positive feedback
  - b. Arts
    - i. Providing more access for community members for to get information on arts related events. A separate email list for those who want art events compiled into one resource.
    - ii. Music and Art taster went well.
  - c. Campus Life
    - i. Not present
  - d. Multiculturalism
    - i. Not present
  - e. Athletics
    - i. Not present
6. Representatives
- a. 2017
    - i. HaverJobs in Havertivity, Haverford campus jobs, CPGC internships, alumni posting abilities. Discussion on how Havertivity would not be able to cost efficiently add another modulus. This idea could still persists in another form, another app.
  - b. 2018
    - i. Office hours to gauge community interests
    - ii. Nerd house talking about getting community houses funded through a different means? Community houses are different that historically honored clubs as well as standard clubs.
  - c. 2019
    - i. 600 dollars off the one cards because money can be spent on various non authorized things. Talk of how some of this money can be accessed for students on financial aid
  - d. 2020
    - i. Working to create a microaggression workshop
    - ii. First years complained about being first years being forced to go to plenary.
    - iii. Post customs first year activites.
  - e. International Students
7. Non-Officer Updates and Comments