KISS Meeting

Wednesday, March 19, 2014

Present: Elizabeth, Skaidra, Alex P, Shane, Jamie, Arielle, Sally, Alex T, Mary, Natasha, Cynthia, Ian, Geoff, Chelsea, Khoa

Topic	Discussion	Action Items
Introductions	 One piece of advice for future KISS Exec Chelsea: To KISS members, go to events Geoff: Add 3 zeros to all numbers discussed in budgets higher stakes, more exciting lan: Listen to Geoff Cynthia: Become best friends with ESS Natasha: Enjoy all the awesome snacks Elizabeth: Seek out opportunities Mary: Bring food to WESEF meetings because they can get long Alex T: Be a good person (be adorable) Sally: Make sure everyone gets snack Khoa: Talk to everyone Arielle: Keep things light Jamie: Go to the gym more often = stress management Shane: If the answer is no, you're asking the wrong questions Alex P: Don't lose sight of the fact that student societies are partially for fun, but don't shy away from work or responsibility Skaidra: Don't be afraid to lean on your fellow Exec members Geoff: Make tables square 	
ESS Update (Jamie)	 Amended the constitution again, so Coffee Shop is overseen by more people April 3, 12:30-1:30 General Meeting Grad Ball, April 4th - Tickets sold next week at Coffee Shop. Tickets are \$10 and it is open to everyone Pub Crawl is March 27th. Lots of giveaways! 	
Grievances, Appeals, Petitions Survey (Geoff)	 Survey been put out by Feds to find out more about students' feelings There is a website with more in-depth explanation It is a really important survey, and it seems to be the first time they are seeking student input 	- Ian email out link

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Events Update (Sally)	 Board Games night is tomorrow, March 20th - There will be pretzels, chocolate trail mix, candy. Bring your own board games. Ideas Club is Thursday, March 27th. Will talk about its future to find out how it can be done next year. Could appoint someone to do it regularly. Sunday, March 30th is Laser Quest. Will be taking the bus there Talent Show is Monday, April 7th at noon. 	
Budget Update (Cynthia)	- There is extra money available, but working on allocating it elsewhere	
WESEF Update (Mary)	 Proposal meeting happened yesterday There were 10 proposals! (despite the fact it wasn't advertised) Elizabeth proposed funding for KISS Camping. Other proposals included: student garden at St. Paul's, Campus Coalition was funded and has now cleared by Plant Ops, job-hunting networking talks open to all ENV students, ERS symposium Funds haven't been allocated yet, but should be decided next week 	
KISS Elections (lan and Alex)	 Info available on KISS Website, under KISS Exec Tab in the side menu box How can we advertise KISS elections more effectively? Posted on Facebook, Post photos of why we ran for KISS Exec 	- Tell Everyone!
KISS Transition Manual (Natasha)	- Check in 2014 Transitions folder - Add everything to the Doc	
KISS Nominations (Alex + Skaidra)	- Nominate people	
KISS Exec Appreciation	- Suggestions? April 2nd Menchies	

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Alumni Association (Geoff)	 Have a proposed Alumni Affairs constitution. Worked with Special Projects, Kim, ENV Faculty, School of Finance, and existing Alumni Propose that we vote Cohort representative for the graduating year at this meeting (for future Alumni) - Instead will consider doing an online vote. We are working on retroactively electing past cohorts. Concerns have ben around managing finances and ensuring continuity This is beyond the scope of KISS, but KISS should stay informed 	