

# Student Government Association Student Government Council – Modesto A. Maidique Campus Cabinet Agenda and Meeting Minutes November 15th, 2017

- 1. Welcome Everyone to our official Executive Meeting!
- 2. **Upcoming events:** 
  - a. Agencies & Bureaus Reports!
  - b. SPC
    - i. Friday 11/17 Movie Night Dunkirk in GC 280
    - ii. Relax, Refresh, Recharge Pre-finals event: December 7th in the GC Fountain from 11AM-2 PM. We will be having DIY bath bombs for our students, face masks and will be providing tips that they can use to make finals week a smoother one for them!
  - c. BSU
  - d. CSO
  - e. RHA
  - f. Multifaith
  - g. Homecoming
    - i. Congratulations and thank you to the Homecoming Committee on their work!
    - ii. Homecoming Applications are open and available at go.fiu.edu/hc18apps. The deadline is December 1, 2017
- 3. Cabinet Reports:
  - i. Secretary of Internal Affairs
    - 1. United Way:
      - a. Waiting for meeting time (hopefully this week)
      - b. Looked over fundraising ideas for events with them
    - 2. SGA Calendar:

- a. Contacted Orgsync Calendar's organizer to see if he can add SGA events to it (alternate of Gmail or Outlook calendar)
- ii. Secretary of Media Relations
  - 1. Working on graphic for the food pantry drive
- iii. Secretary of Leadership and Development
  - 1. Had Krista send an email regarding the student experience survey
- iv. Secretary of Sustainability
  - 1. New Project?
    - a. Aquarius BBC MMC Lakes
  - 2. Tabling this morning
  - 3. Recycling bottles
    - a. FIU Stadium
    - b. Green Library
    - c. Engineering Center
    - d. Student Academic Success Center
    - e. SGA Office
    - f. Possibly Housing
  - 4. Sweetwater Garden Project
    - i. Pushed date back to January 6th
- v. Secretary of Governmental Relations
  - 1. Student Lobbyist
    - i. Info session date for advocacy program December 7th
- vi. Secretary of Educational Programs
  - 1. Emailed Interns with updates (Shadowing, retreat, meetings, events)
    - i. Event on January 23rd from 11am-2pm
  - 2. Intern meeting (11/7)
  - 3. CLS, Secret Santa
  - 4. Sent out Doodles for interns to attend events
  - 5. Sent out email to cabinet/Senate about intern shadowing
  - 6. Helped making food pantry boxes
  - 7. Reached out to BSU and they told me that the would reach out to me in the week to come.
  - 8. Started Secret Santa for SGA
  - 9. Communicated with SGA BBC program Gerald
- vii. Secretary of Student life
  - 1. Contacted CSO to follow up on Engineering Center Initiatives
  - 2. THURSDAY NOV.16 @4:30 TABLING AT THE HOUSING QUAD

- 3. Meeting w/ Housing Director 11/29 to talk about printings in the halls
- 4. Panther Dining Outreach addressing International Students concern

# viii. Elections Commissioner

- 1. -This week I conducted interviews for the board
- 2. -Emailed all applicants for the vacancy positions.

# ix. Secretary of Diversity and Inclusion

- 1. Gender inclusive bathrooms:
  - a. Talking to Scott Jones about BBC bathroom
- 2. International Students:
  - a. Meeting with the committee for the job fair in the spring
- 3. Trans Awareness week event this Friday 11/17 in the GC pit from 11am-2pm
- 4. Homeless awareness week by AB from 3-5pm

### x. Secretary of Academic and Health Affairs

- 1. Food Pantry Campaign
  - a. Its Underway!!!!!! Lasts until 11/17 at 5pm
  - b. Offices participating include CLS, BSU, SGA
- 2. 24/5 \*NEW\* starts November 27th
  - a. Collaborating with BSU to promote 24/5 before and during finals week.
- 3. Recharge for Finals
  - a. Full Schedule is done!!!
  - b. Giveaways and Food have been ordered.

### xi. Secretary of Transportation

- 1. Meeting with Mayor Gomez from the Police Department in regards to Safety and the Guardian App
  - a. Police Department wants to partner to promote the Guardian App as a solution to the ongoing safety issues
- 2. Send police officers along with Krista to do chapter and council visits
- 3. Reserve GC Pit/table for free giveaways if students download the app on their phones
- 4. If there are any other ideas on how to promote the app please let me know:)
  - a. Mayor Gomez will look into adding more blue lights in housing and in the current bus stop depending on their budget
  - b. If budget is the issue on installing the blue lights then they would like SGA to help
  - c. RedCoach Thanksgiving tickets still on hold with Parking
  - d. Panther Mover Banner edit design

- xii. Secretary of Veterans Affairs
  - 1. Letter In for a Veteran:
    - a. Veteran's loved the cards<3
  - 2. Meeting with Mike Pischner
    - a. This Thursday
    - b. Hopefully get mr. pischner to take action on all my plans I need him to
    - c. Brainstorm new ideas that I can start doing
- xiii. Secretary of University Affinity
  - 1. Athlete appreciation day November 22nd from 11am-2pm in GC pit
  - 2. Meeting with JP in from 1:30 to 2pm to discuss t-shirt for rallies
- b. Chief of Staff Report:
  - i. Remember: Reports are due Monday by midnight! Form is on Orgsync!
  - ii. Make sure to complete office hours!
  - iii. Remember if you ever need anything I'm here for YOU!
- c. President Report:
- d. Vice President Report
- e. Advisors Report
  - i. No office hours for finals week
  - ii. No Cabinet or Senate meetings for finals week. Please focus on your classes!
  - iii. Will be conducting grade check on December 19th
- f. Deputies Report:
  - i. CRACK COOKIES EVENT TODAY at 8pm!!

Cabinet breakout session

4. Meeting adjourned at 6:00pm