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Associated Students of CWU Board of Directors

Equity & Services Council Meeting

May 8th, 2015

Friday at 3:00 pm

SURC 271

Call To Order:

Meeting is called to order at 3:04pm on May 8, 2015.

Roll Call:

Spencer Biallas
Olivia Durham
Jourdyn Payne
Bridget Bartlett
Keenan Williams
Thao Thunh Luu
Beth Vander Stoep
Mariela Munguia
Kyle Knutson
Karla Rojas
Brandon Pangilinan
Alex Thiongo
Robert Zingelman
Michelle Cyrus

Approval of Minutes:

Motion to approve the minutes from May 1, 2015

So moved by FASA
Seconded by EQUAL

Motion passes 6-0-0

Additions or Corrections to Agenda:

Move New Business to directly precede the Executive Board Report
Add EQUAL's funds request
Add Wrap-up report for the Wellness Center's Rock Against Rape

Motion to approve the agenda with noted corrections

So Moved by EQUAL
Seconded by FGSO

Motion passes 6-0-0

New Business:

- Wrap up Report for Rock Against Rape

The goal that the Wellness Center had for Rock Against Rape this year was to provide 250 people with the opportunity to learn information and participate with opportunities that educated them about these issues. Around 400 people ended up participating and only \$4,906 in total was spent, which is under budget. There were 25 booths that participated, where we also had an increase in student participation. We also had a student speaker share her story and experiences, which was received very well among the students. We were also pleased to have had the opportunity to reach out to the Yakima community, who also helped us with the event. 91% of attendees expressed interest in continuing the discussion about such topic, which is great! We would like to include more outreach opportunities here on campus regarding these issues, which includes the Clothesline Project. We were also interested



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in potentially re-establishing VIP as an official organization through ESC. Lastly, there are left over t-shirts from Rock Against Rape, which are on sale in the Wellness Center. All of the money earned from these shirts will go directly back to ESC funds.

- **ROTARACT Funds Request**

From the 28-31 of May, ROTARACT will be sending 3-4 people to Canada to attend the RYLA Conference. The members who are going already have everything paid for, which comes out to about \$600 per person. We are seeking \$600 for funds for transportation. This conference will help ROTARACT members build their leadership skills, so we are excited about that!

Spencer: So, please go back to your organizations and speak with them about this request so we can vote next week on this request.

- **EQuAL's Funds Request voting**

EQuAL is asking for \$2,104.40 for supplies and promotion efforts for Pride Week.

Motion to allot \$2,104.40 to EQuAL for Pride Week

So Moved by ABLE
Seconded by ROTARACT

Motion passes 7-0-1

- **Field Day**

Jourdyn: I just wanted to remind everyone about the first event of Pride Week, which is Field Day. This is happening on the 25th of May, which is Memorial Day. This event will be from 10:00-2:00. We are going to have a bunch of events throughout the day. So, from 10:00-11:30 will be the first set of events, 11:30-12:30 will be a barbeque, and 12:30-2:00 will be our second set of events. We will have the different color-coded teams compete for points, which will be given to the winners of the different events. There is an online application that you can fill out in order to sign up for the event.

Executive Board Report:

- **Chair: Spencer Biallas:** This past week were Student Government Elections for next year's officers, so I have had several meetings with the candidates. I have also been dealing with several funds requests submissions and have had a couple of meetings. I have been feeling a bit under the weather, so it has been a relatively slow week. Last Saturday was General Assembly (GA) for WSA, where we discussed the legislative proposal for next year. Some of these things included the use of food stamps on campus, having online education resources (textbooks), and more. So, if you want to make a difference in this capacity, come talk to me.
- **Community Programmer: Olivia Durham:** This past week has been really busy for me. I have secured orders with the Publicity Center about the Spring Food Drive and for Minute to Win It. I have also been calling businesses about prizes for the Minute to Win It games. I also wanted to remind all of you about the calendar I have set up in the back office space. I have been adding dates of events as you discuss them at our ESC meetings, but if you have anything else you would like me to add, please let me know. You can also refer to the calendar when you are planning events or if you are looking for more ways to get involved with ESC. Lastly, you all should have gotten an e-mail from Hannah in CLCE about the International Games Night, so keep that event in mind if it is something you are interested. I think that could be a great way for everyone to get involved with a variety of students on campus.
- **Advisor: Michelle Cyrus:** I want to remind all of you about funds requests. If your organization is requesting anything over \$200, a funds request must be submitted within 10 days of the time that you need the money. If the request is under \$200, you need to submit it 5 days prior to the time that you need the money. If food is included as a part of any of the events you are hosting, be sure to get a food justification form submitted to me, if you do not meet that requirement, then your food requests will not be approved. Whatever you need in order to ensure that events are successful, please remember I am here to help. Remember that Dr. Cleary has requested that the organization members who suffer from macro/micro aggressions, submit a statement regarding any of those events. If you want your story told, this is a great way to tell it. Change can happen!! So, remember that it is voluntary. They go to Dr. Cleary. clearyd@cwu.edu. And please remember that IT IS VOLUNTARY.

Org Reports:

- **ROTARACT:** We have submitted our funding requests submitted for RYLA. We are also working with the CLCE on efforts regarding Unheard Voices.
- **BSU:** We have got all details taken care of regarding Black Grad, but are just waiting on funds for graduation. We will probably be hearing more about the funds early next week.
- **FASA:** All that FASA has going on currently is the voting for next year's Executive Board.



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- **EQuAL:** As stated before, EQuAL's primary concern right now is Pride Week. All of the events during Pride Week can be found on the calendar that I provided last week. Also, I would like to remind you all that Lav Grad is on the Thursday of Pride Week.
- **MEChA:** MEChA's retreat will be on May 15 and 16, there will be more information to come regarding that. We are also hosting our dance tomorrow evening from 6pm-12am in the SURC Ballroom. Elections for new officers is also coming up. It is exciting and encouraging to see people stepping up and taking great responsibilities.
- **ABLE:** We have moved the location for our graduation to the patio area right outside of Hogue. Hogue 126 is now the office of Disabilities Services. The dog wash at Messy Mutts is now 1-5 pm on the 16th.
- **FGSO:** Our members have still been working with Ellensburg High School students. We got to be a part of an encouraging and inspiring story about one of the students who wants to become a doctor, so we are currently seeking out ways to make those dreams come true for her.
- **AUAP:** We are currently planning AUAP Night, which is our biggest event. This event is happening on May 26th at 6:00pm!

Old Business:

- **Minute to Win It**
Spencer: Again, we are asking each org to come up with two game ideas to bring to this event.
Brandon: The two games that we are going to be hosting are Oreo Inchworm and Bobble head Pedometer.
Beth: We are planning to host the egg-spoon game and "Bootay Game"
- **Food drive**
Olivia: Just a reminder about the food drive, I will be finding a week to stop by all of your organization's meetings to talk about the food drive and allow your members the opportunity to sign-up to volunteer for this event. So, stay tuned for that! This food drive is going to be a big one and I am very excited that we get to help FISH Food Bank out because they are very much in need of donations!

Issues/Concerns/Announcements:

- **Recognition packets**
Recognition packets are due TODAY. So, if you have not turned one in yet, do that as soon as you can. If you have turned your packet in, be sure to pick up your concert ticket for the upcoming Student Government sponsored concert.

Public Comments: Public Comments may be submitted to Spencer Biallas in person or via email ascwucommunity@cwu.edu. Public comments may also be presented at the time of the meeting

Adjournment:

Motion to adjourn the meeting for May 8, 2015.

So Moved by ROTARACT

Seconded by BSU

Motion passes 7-0-0

Meeting is adjourned at 3:57pm.