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PhUS Council Minutes

Jan 28, 2015

Room 3208

Attendance: Mitch Prasad, Angela Ji, Dwayne S. da Silva, Tom Wierzbicki, Jackson Stewart, Andrew Rix, Scott C., Mike Lee, Geoff Martinson, Jessica Tran, Yolanda Lin, Jeremy Antepyan, Kevin Sin, Lingxi Li, Elaine Chang, Brad de Hart, Ana Baskalovic, Rachel Edey, Sunil Fazaluddin, Jerry Mejia, Gordon Ling, Jacky Tang, Jennifer Chatterton, Latashya Truong, Hailey, Moh Kazem, Chloe Van, Hafeez Dossa, Julie Chang

Guests: Jude

Absences: Stephanie Song, Jarred Kelly

Regrets: Dr Wayne Riggs

Meeting called to order at: 12:17pm

1. Approval of Minutes

Moved: Sunil; **Seconded:** Gordon

That PhUS council approves the minutes for Jan 19/15 as written and adopts the agenda for Jan 28/15 as written.

2. Standing Business:

3. Discussions:

1. AMS Ad-Hoc Committee – Transit Referendum Presentation (Mitch)

- The Mayor's Council proposed a \$7.5bn plan for transit structure improvements, which will be collected by increasing PST by 0.5%
 - After tax rebates, students and low income families are projected not to pay any more than they are already pay from this tax increase
- AMS has decided after deliberation to encourage students to vote "Yes" on the upcoming referendum because structure improvements would benefit students in transiting to UBC
 - Would improve the issue of affordable housing
 - Higher return on the U-Pass

- Regardless of the students' own opinion regarding this referendum, AMS wants eligible students (Canadian citizens who have been living in Metro Vancouver for more than 6 months) to vote to show the government that students are a voice that needs to be heard
- Voting will occur March 16-19, 2015 via a mail-in ballot; students will have to go to the Elections' BC website be registered to vote
- AMS is asking student constituencies to help raise awareness about this transit news and want to increase the number of students voting in this referendum
- More information will be sent out next week regarding this topic from the AMS

2. Interclub Round Table Google Document (Angela)

- Please click on the link below to access the interclub roundtable Google Document
 - <http://tinyurl.com/pmrk65d>
- Just a reminder that it is your club's responsibility to ensure that the roundtable items are updated and that old messages are deleted from the document
 - Roundtable items should be updated ASAP
 - Please note the following roundtable deadlines:
 - To be on the agenda is **the Sunday prior to the council meeting at 6pm**
 - To be on the minutes is the **Wednesday of the meeting at 2pm**

1. Round Table:

Faculty	
President	
Secretary	
VP External	
VP Internal	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Lounge: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Purchased new reusable cups and plates ○ Cleaned up lounge and office – please contact VPI if you want storage in the offices ○ New coffee machine will be arriving soon • PhUS Orientation: TBA • PhUS Retreat: please fill out your choice of date on our Facebook group
VP Social	
VP Sponsorship	
VP Finance	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Reimbursements were sent in last week, many should be ready for pick up already • Year reps – year events allotted \$350

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Skits night – \$250 are allotted to each year
VP PR	
Communications Officer	
Senate	
Sports Rep	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sports Night tentative dates: Mar 13 or 20, 2015
Grad	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • May 27 – Graduation Ceremony • May 29 – Tentative date of the Graduation Dinner at Sheraton
1st Year	
2nd Year	
3rd Year	
4th Year	
CAPSI	
LKS	
Kappa Psi	
Rho Chi	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Looking into planning an SSRP Information Session on Feb 4, 2015 from 12-1pm at room 3340
CHIUS	
PSSJ	
Yearbook	
HSSA	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Has a volunteer opportunity for pharmacy students to advocate for our profession to elementary schools <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ When: Feb 19-20, 2015 (during reading break) ○ Who: Students from a variety of healthcare professions ○ Contact: brielle.perler@alumni.ubc.ca
CSHP	
BCPhA	
UAEM	

Meeting adjourned at: 12:52pm

Moved: Angela; **Seconded:** Sunil

Be it resolved that PhUS council adjourns the meeting.

Approved: All | **Objections:** None | **Abstained:**