

USUSA Eastern Student Fee Allocation Meeting

Date: 2 April 2024

Time: 8:00

Attendees: Dyson, Lily, Shaun, Madysen, Sailor, Kacie, Mollie, Tiara, Madisen, Brooklyn, Hadley, JJ, Jess, Allie, Cam and Eric

Late: Haylee, Kaitlyn

Absent: Esi

Approved last meetings minutes

Student Fee Discussion:

- Jess Brinkerhoff is here from the athletics department. Talked about how he would like things to stay the same from where they are at currently. BDAC has seen the improvements that we have asked for. The money from the community will also be used for the improvements for next year. They have ordered new equipment that will be here for next year as well. They are also updating the training room in the BDAC. Are the newer hours going over well, have people utilized them? It is beneficial and the students have enjoyed having the new hours.
- JJ is here from the newspaper and he is asking for the same amount as last year, \$5,000. They are updating their online presence and have 9 students who help run podcasts. They are working on covering the events that are relevant to our campus. They have new cameras that allow them to take better pictures for the newspaper as well. These photos will also be available for students in the weeks to come. They are hoping for a social media specialist and for a specialist to work on the newspaper online.
- Last year we increased the BDAC/Athletics and we decreased the Newspaper budget. Everyone has asked to sustain this year. Everyone is happy to have everything be sustained.
- Dyson entertained a motion for: A stipulation for BDAC/Athletic fees is that Jess needs to meet with our Athletic Representative about any purchase over \$5,000 and our student fees cannot go towards wages. Shaun moved the motion and Lily seconded the motion. Everyone said Yes (Lily, Shaun, Kacie, Mollie, Tiara, Madisen, Brooklyn, Hadley, Haylee, Kaitlyn)

USUSA Business/Activities:

High Stakes Bingo: Lily

- This Thursday, set up at 6 and we will meet in the office.

Transition Letters: Allie

- Each of us is required to write a transition letter for the next person. This can include ideas you have, your day to day etc. These are due on the 17th.

Upcoming for the Diversity Team:

- Diversity Conference: This will be on Thursday the 11th and is for anyone and everyone. It will be from 9-5 but we can come and go as we would like. Please register online for the event beforehand.

Photo Reminder: Dyson

- We will be taking pictures at the CIB at 4:30 this afternoon to take pictures. Try and get there early. Just wear your polos, don't worry about wearing your name tags.

Lite Brite: Lily

- We will be setting up for Lite Brite the night before but we will receive more information on that as it goes on.

Motion to adjourn meeting: Dyson

Move to the motion: Shaun

2nd: Hadley