

Quarterly Meeting

Student Social Work Association

Meeting date: September 19, 2017

Executive and Voting Member meeting was called to order at 1:05 pm in the SUS building on the Abbotsford UFV campus.

Attendees Present:

- Shawna Leighton-President
- Kristen Dalen-BSW Faculty Representative
- Breana Reedman-Curriculum Representative
- Jamie Gazlay-Public Relations Assistant
- Chloe Smith-Treasurer
- Tannis Driedger-Secretary
- Melissa Ly-Public Relations Representative
- Jasmine Shergill-Vice President
- Raina Nareg-Advocacy Coordinator

- Absent: Christine Dargahi- BCASW Representative, Beppie Yuzwa Curriculum Representative

- Left early: Jamie, Chloe, Raina

1.0 Check-in

2.0 Event-SSWA Café

2.1 September 28, Thursday, 1-2:30

2.2 Jasmine waiting for confirmation that atrium is booked

2.2.1 If not, it will be in Social Work room

2.3 Poster is made, just waiting for location confirmation

3.0 Curriculum follow-up-Breana

3.1 Discussion about survey results

3.2 Information was discussed with Anita and Margaret

3.3 Chloe suggested finding out what 3rd years think, possibility of giving them the survey next year

3.4 Tabled for now, 2018 executive can follow up if they decide to

4.0 Treasurer update-Chloe

4.1 New cheque book starter kit \$174.50 +

4.1.1 Chloe will look into possibility of continuing to use old check book

4.2 Expenses for SSWA

- 4.2.1 Receipts need to be given to Chloe for reimbursement
- 4.3 No response from SUS regarding funding request for Clubs and Associations Day yet
- 5.0 Risk management training September 11, 2017 report
 - 5.1 Unsure about liability of individual members regarding events
 - 5.1.1 Tannis will follow up to get more information
- 6.0 Clubs and Associations Day
 - 6.1 Acknowledgment of great job done by Melissa in organizing and assigning tasks
 - 6.2 SSWA execs have received some emails from BSW 3rd years expressing interest in SSWA
- 7.0 BSW Meeting report-Kristen
 - 7.1 3rd year BSW students unable to attend SSWA meetings due to classes during SSWA meeting times
 - 7.1.1 3rd year BSW students only allowed to attend quarterly meetings, due to confidentiality
 - 7.1.2 Shawna may meet with them and connect them with various SSWA members, according to interest
 - 7.2 Survey for 3rd year BSW students coming out soon regarding timetable feedback
 - 7.2.1 SSWA asked to encourage participation and let them know that faculty listens to feedback
 - 7.2.2 Jasmine and Jamie will present info about the survey when they give information about SSWA to Lisa's class on Thursday night
 - 7.3 New MSW chair is Anita (former chair was John)
 - 7.4 New BSW chair is John (former chair was Lisa)
 - 7.5 Discussion about reserved seats for Child Welfare
 - 7.6 Discussion about why Social Work classes cannot be used as upper level Arts and Sciences electives
 - 7.6.1 Broader range of knowledge beneficial
 - 7.7 Discussion about going off of social media
- 8.0 Discussion about funding for conferences
 - 8.1 Information about who can access funds, how money can be divided
- 9.0 Event-Burger and Brew night
 - 9.1 Tally of tickets sold so far
 - 9.2 Raina will get licence for 50/50 draw
 - 9.3 Possibility of Toonie toss
 - 9.4 Money from ticket sales needs to be given to Raina
 - 9.5 Need one other person to help Raina with 50/50 draw on event night
 - 9.5.1 3 for \$5.00, arms length for \$10.00

Meeting opened to 3rd year BSW students at 2:00

Arrived: Yannick, Chelsea, and Marty

- 10.0 Discussion about SOWK 283 as pre-requisite for SOWK 483
- 11.0 Upcoming timetable survey discussed
- 12.0 Discussion about paid practicum
- 13.0 Discussion about CASWE
- 14.0 Discussion about information regarding SSWA positions and mandate