

Date: January 22, 2012

Location: C1423

Time: 10-11:30

Attendees: Becky

Zac

Yanick

Chris

Jayne

Emily

Taylor

Lesandra

Claire

1. Welcome

- Welcome to Lesandra!

2. Check In/Ocean Levels

- Zac, low, first day of practicum
- Chelsey, at waste with stress
- Yanick, at her shoulders with stress, very busy
- Jayme, at her waste for stress
- Lesandra, dry, doing well
- Chris, knee to thigh level, would like stress levels to be lower
- Emily, feels she's doing well but knows stress is about to come
- Taylor, knee level, practicum stuff, otherwise good
- Claire, knee level, has been better, balancing practicum and classes
- Becky, knee level and can feel the stress coming

3. SSWA Motto

- The last cohort "community everywhere we go"
- Ideas, have 'activate' somewhere
- "Figure this shit out as we go"
- "SSWassup"
- "Ignite and activate"
- "Social working together"
- "Ignite passion and activate..."
- "Ignite the spark and activate the heart"
- Take the motto "ignite and activate" to next meeting

4. Women's March Updates

- Chilliwack: great energy, many came early and stayed late
- Was able to network with the organizers
- Results of the Chilliwack march: Spoke about not being able to open up a shelter because of location
- Help with a solution

- Legal support was given to the community to try and sue the city
- Becky giving advice because of practicum placement on how to go about fighting for this issue
- Find out how to support, by finding meeting etc to sit in on to support
- Zac put motion forward, Emily second the motion for Yanick to find ways to help support the Ann Davis society
- Jayme bringing up the woman who sang at the rally in Chilliwack and get contact info
- Vancouver march, around 7 people from social work program, weather not the best, energy was good
- Chilliwack, drummed at the beginning from 11-11:30
- Vancouver, speakers for 2 hours before the walk began
- This time next year, may be a good time to get together with this cohort to come together and do the rally next year
- Taylor mentioning SSWA could have a say in the creation for next year
- Becky motion forward, Taylor second for helping with the women's march next year through SSWA

5. Meeting updates

Ø Diploma

What was said that the meeting:

- Was Friday, Jan 19th, brought up draft schedule for diploma for fall 2018-winter/summer 2019
- Basic things, talking about removing stats to get into the BSW, didn't talk about a reason why
- Bachelor end said want to remove it, hasn't removed it yet for diploma because BSW hasn't physically removed it from guidelines for stats
- Review IPT forms, spelling errors

Ø BSW

- Cancelled meeting, first one in February 9th, going with previous rep

Ø SWHS

What was said at the meeting:

- Let us know there is lots of funding for the library, movie equipment etc
- Possible chance to get training for when the media would like to speak to us, everyone said 'YES' Becky motioned, Yanick second
- 5 year video of what the sw program has been doing here
- Switch over time for SSWA awkward, talking about having a mentorship
- Becky mentioning to be confident within the meetings, we are the voice for the students
- Emily will start making contact to go through with media training
- Email and facebook page to get student contact and let them know if they have questions and to stay in touch for example to talk about the library funding
- Let students know to contact sswa through email: sswa@ufv.ca
- Idea to put a piece of paper in student room to let students add what they would like to see as resources in the library

- Email Emily for library fund ideas by Jan 31st

Ø Advisory Council

- They want an official SSWA list of everyone's names
- Will have that updated on the social work page
- Having big problems with MCFD recruitment/ keeping individuals
- Advising council wants to be a part of the different events ex. Women's march
- Would google calendar work well instead of facebook to see different events?
- Taylor to create a google calendar Motioned by Yanick, second by Zac
- Add advisory council to the google calendar

Ø Professional Studies

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Ø Curriculum

- Haven't had the meeting, Feb 2nd now
- Summer classes wanting more selection, profs work less during the summer
- There are four classes, one child welfare only but students want more
- Taylor and Claire discussing their roles
- Curriculum role will be ending and being brought up to professional studies rep
- If offering electives more often than have to take away from somewhere else
- May be helpful to explain how classes are chosen and set up, respond to the vote on facebook about summer schedule, get back to the students to explain why things may not be feasible

Taylor; summer classes

6. Fundraising & Events

- Townhall 12\$ per meal to Townhall but can charge whatever you want
- World day of justice Feb 20th
- Coin drive, "chocolate for change"
- Lunch and learn 10\$ (bring own lunch)
- Ice cream social, buy bulk ice cream/cones 2\$ cone
- Bingo night (maybe 50/50)
- V-day come ask for love advice (booth) with basket raffle maybe do the day before v-day
- MMIW march, downtown Van Feb 14th
- Karaoke night (at the school?)
- Trivia night (at the school?)
- Food truck event at the school, contact SUS
- Skillshare day
- Documentary film screening, popcorn, drinks 50/50, debate panel, Yanick contact?
- Pink shirt day, anti-bullying Feb 28th
- Orange shirt day, Sept

- Picnic on the green dunk tank profs?
- Art battle (at Townhall?)
- Coffee night, music, board games, drinks
- International Women's day
- Dodgeball
- Theater sports
- 30 hour famine/ films
- Coldest night Feb 24th
- Bake sale during midterms
- Book sale not textbooks, end of semester, ask other students if they want to get rid of books ask to split the \$
- Event about self care, lunch and learn?
- Try to do an event every 6-8 weeks

Ø 2 ideas each!!!!

Ø Chris' poll on event times

- Most popular Monday 4-5:20 for event times
- Not many students outside of SSWA voted
- Diploma

Ø Documentary Screening

Ø Welcome event

7. Diploma Rep

- Welcome Lesandra

8. CASWE – Jayme

- Try to develop what all students would like to see in their program
- Death and grieving
- Get polls on facebook to see what students are interested in
- Go to classes and get students to fill out a piece of paper

9. Bio-photos

- No time to do today
- By the end of Wed Jan 24th, blurb of self and photo send to Becky through student email

10. Mental Health Collaboration

- Got an email, wanting us to involved in an event
- ASSIST training though CMHA, is costly, try to get a grant through the school
- 2 day training, roughly 2,500\$
- Looking for a group of 30 MAX, 10\$ per person (for materials)
- First come first serve
- Student enhanced education fund
- Include lunch in the training

11. SUS Package Signing

- 8 days away from having to hand in to be official.

12. Closing/Items to carry forward.

- Taylor looking at what to choose for fundraising
- Email social work students to contact us through facebook
- Jayme contact classes about going in
- Blurbs and photos by wed
- Yanick contact Willow who has organized SOGI123 for next rallies

Feb 5th 10am, agenda items in by Jan 31st