

Meeting Minutes:

University of the Fraser Valley Social Work Student Association (SWSA)

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Location: Tim Horton's

Date: July 18th, 2012.

Time: 5:05pm-6:12pm

In attendance: *Stephanie Van Dyke, Julie Burk, Johanna Morrison and Sara Smith*

Sending Regrets: *Katherine Palmateer, Aislinn Ivey and Jodie Hutchison,*

Motion to begin meeting: motion to accept by Stephanie, seconded by Johanna.

Motion to accept minutes from previous agenda (June 10, 2012): motion to accept by Stephanie, seconded by Johanna.

Reports:

a) Student Advisor (Katherine):

-Not available for meeting.

b) BCASW Representative (Johanna):

-No news on next BCASW meeting.

c) Fundraising Coordinator (Julie):

-Has not received any feedback on how the grad dinner went.

-Possible survey to gain feedback from the grads on the dinner.

-No plans to fundraise in the summer due to lack of students and resources on campus during summer semester.

-Will plan fundraising events for the fall in August.

d) Faculty Representative (Stephanie):

-No news on next faculty meeting. Stephanie will look into it.

e) Treasurer (Sara):

- Bank account is at \$405.81.

- bank account issues resolved (re: online login).

-Julie is to be reimbursed for purchased graduation dinner decorations.

New Business:

a) Week of welcome:

-Johanna will email Martin to ask what SWSA has done in the past for this event. She will also ask Martin for itinerary of September events schedule if it is available.

- SWSA wants to make gifts to hand out with thank you cards, Jodie has volunteered use of clay making at prior meeting.

- Stephanie will consult Jodie on when she is free and SWSA can get together to make gifts.

b) Community Garden:

-No movement from SWSA on the community garden.

-No SWSA members were able to attend the planting held on June 18th.

-Community garden task will now be handled by Johanna.

c) Newsletter:

-Julie will send a draft of the newsletter to SWSA members by the end July.

-another newsletter will go out in October

d) Fundraising / event ideas for the summer?

- Ideas will be revisited in August for fall semester.
- Once an itinerary of events for Fall is received, SWSA can plan events for Sept/Oct.
- Julie will email Teila about pride events and collaborating with SWSA.

e) “What’s your Vice”:

- Possibility of Katherine’s group, Pride and SWSA working in collaboration.
- In September, invite groups from UFV to add to event.
- Julie will email Teila about where they currently stand and begin to work forward.
- Stephanie will ask Laura about Booth for opening week.

f) Binders:

- Binders need to be done, Sara will do them. Jodie has one of the binders.
- A “noted days” section will be added to binder in which Julie will make a “noted day” for grad dinner.

Old Business:

- SOWK 380 group projects:
 - Both SW 380 groups went well and thank SWSA for their help.
- SWSA Board:
 - SW depart is moving, SWSA will have thier own space to have meetings.

-Have to wait until Sept to redo the board because it may be moving.

-Decide closer to the date.

-Possibly have a section for student outreach.

-Volunteer opportunities:

-No volunteer opportunities as of now, keep eyes and ears open, will discuss further at next meeting.

-Decide on date for next meeting via Facebook.

Motion to Adjourn meeting: Stephanie, seconded by Johanna.