

SUA Meeting Minutes 2.20.18

Assembly Members Present: Max Jimenez (President), Alice Maimberg (VP Internal Affairs), Katherine Le (VP of Diversity and Inclusion), Jessica Xu (VP of Academic Affairs), Lauren (Cowell Alternate), Natasha Bramer (Cowell), Cameron Elliot (Stevenson), Katie Keeshen (Stevenson), Zach Klieman (Stevenson), Sabina (Crown), Saalini Satry (Crown), Rebecah Kenny (Crown), Alicia Freedmen (Merrill), Miranda Huezo (Merrill), Emma Cunningham (Merrill), Kimberly Balmorez (Porter), Ted Jaich (Porter), Mamie (Porter Alternate), Quinn Chalmers (Kresge), Ian Gregorio (Kresge), Jos Dubon (Kresge), Yonatan Melesse (Oakes), Arvind Vallabha (Oakes), Ayo Banjo (Oakes), Thomas Ramirez (Rachel Carson), Matthew Forman (Rachel Carson), Angel Solorzano (Rachel Carson), Kiryl Karpiuk (College 9), Samantha Sanchez (College 9), Saxon (College 9 Alternate), Jonathan Kung (College 10), Liam Staninger (College 10), Claudia Flores (College 10), Max Lyon (Prism), Noah Thoron (Treasurer)

Assembly Members Absent: Judith Gutierrez (VP External Affairs), Tamra Owens (VP Student Life), Keshav Kumar (Cowell), Nikolasi Niumeitolu Saafi (APISA), Raymond LeBeau (SANAI), Kaitlyn (BSU), Alexcis Delos Santos (Bayanihan), Angad Singh Dhadha (Sikh Student Association), Fatima Mohammad (MSA)

Meeting Called to Order: 7:50PM

Roll Call: 7:50PM

Approval of the Agenda: 7:55PM

Approval of the Minutes: 7:55PM

Old Business 8:00PM

HOLI at 8:01PM

- Our general fund has \$7,995.88 and programming has \$39, 580.96
- We funded \$6,400 in 2017

Sam: considering that this event gets bigger every year, we should fund them the requested amount. Motion to fund HOLI \$8,500 from Programming.

Matthew: Second

No Objections

Resolution for Adopting an Interfaith Meditation Space on Campus 2017-2018 8:07PM

Katherine: motions to adopt the resolution for adopting an interfaith meditation space on campus.

Sam: Second

No Objections

Move into a vote: 27 In Favor - 1 Opposed

Committee Reports 8:18PM

Cruz Crown Update by Ayo

- Purpose of the event is to unify all UCSC students. Can be seen as a non-binary showcase or pageant. Have bright lights and everyone screaming--the crowd going wild. This moment is more than just an event, it is symbolic for the pain many may go through, and the relinquishing and stripping of social conditions and norms.
- Event of agenda:
 - Two uc regents and four uc chancellors are on board for the gala of giving
 - Performance by SUA (perform beyonce?)
 - Fashion walk--walking in your own style.
 - Intermission--with vendors, so we can charge them for selling food
 - Talent/lip sync part
 - Two minutes to show off whatever talent you have.
 - Crown from there
- Banana slug crown for uniqueness, UCSC Football slug for humor, core slug crown for heartfelt and meaning
- Judges will be chosen for neutrality
- Organizational outreach director
 - Vendors, city on a hill press, kzsc, clubs interested in tabling, tables (reservation), tickets counter
- Advertising/marketing director
 - flyer/poster designs, trailer director, shirt/pin designs, strategies to get the word out
- Itinerary/Roles
 - Technician/data director: make sure every tech aspect is taken care of, works hand in hand with music director\

- Music director: works hand in hand with tech/data director, dj oversight, playlist creator, cue person
- Executive vice chair: making sure Ayo isn't overwhelmed, aids in overseeing all subcommittees task completion, creates rubric for fashion walk, questions and talent/lip sync, security, fallbacks, clipboard holder
- What's next:
 - Cast roles, finalize itinerary, contact security, set permanent meeting date, START
 - Needs real commitment and dedication to make this happen. If not, Ayo will just utilize SUA assembly time.

Max: could be a celebration of students. We are always working and doing things, and there hasn't been a celebration of students.

Miguel: when you say non-binary, do you mean all-gender inclusive?

Ayo: I don't know the right language, so I will need help, so come to the meeting. What is the right term?

Miguel: all gender inclusive

Emma: celebrating students over a pageant. I get what you're going for and I think it's good, but I think you should make it a celebratory event for everyone involved so that everyone can enjoy it.

Kim: is there a tentative date?

Ayo: It was sunday, then thursday and then friday. The room will be 0338 or 0339.

Zach: Along the lines of what Max and Emma are saying about the celebration of students. Good idea to invite campus performing groups (ie. an acapella group)

Katie: Within the itinerary posted, that doesn't give that many folks opportunity to perform and take time. Find ways to showcase student artwork/work. Make it a broader event about student talent.

Ivan: incorporate performance and arts, and programs that aren't really seen as represented as much through UCSC. Cruz Crown can be inclusive of the different talents that students have. If you incorporate elements into all of that, it will be more representative than a pageant.

Ayo will send out one last link to solidify a time to meet. What will be the best way to find a date to meet.

Kim: post the poll on to Facebook.

Ivan: it would be best to include this in everyone's report backs to see if anyone in the senate's are interested.

Closing Remarks and Adjournment: 10:00PM

Jane: I think tonight went considerably well. Should we have a reflection of how things went and how we can do things in the future. Sounds good to everyone.

Emma: Is the recording going to be posted or put somewhere so we can access it?

Max: It was live-streamed on facebook. If you need help accessing, please let me know.

Jane: Jessica recorded it so you can reach out to her if you want the recording.