

USGA Joint Session Monday July 17, 2006

-Officer Roll Call

-First 5 minute open period

-Assembly Reports

-GOA

-Soda machines in Nesbitt and Myers take credit cards

-USGA Officers Picture Poster in different areas on campus **with** maybe a **small column about the officer who is related to that area.**

For e.g. In Bossone (**Engineering Building**) A USGA Officer Poster with a small column from Steph (**COE Representative**), or in the **DAC** a column by Dillon (**Athletics Representative**)

-USGA T-shirts distribution during New Student Days (Sep 06), Activities Unlimited etc

-Survey Students to see what they want to see in programs etc. For e.g. Survey for CAB program: Spring Jam as in which band would the students like to hear.

-Beginning of the year having a USGA Meet and Greet – opportunity to show what we have achieved in the past.

-Mary Lou –contacting CAB, OCA and strategic calendar

-At least one Joint meeting in a term (food) which is promoted campus wide – maybe in Ross Commons etc. Also, maybe arranging the setup so that students can see all officers, kind of like an semi circular setup.

- Also, internally too work together as much as possible without just saying this is SLA, AAA or GOA but more of a USGA/Student Body issue.

-Colors of Drexel (Blue and Gold) throughout campus

-Mandell theatre: movies or games like scene it

-Open meetings

-AAA

- +/- grading resolution

-Upgrading faculty lists

-Drexel Review

-Facebook publicity

-Move in help with student govt. leaders

-Plug for usga on student desks upon move in

-Big push with the shift

-Some sort of outrageous publicity – hands on

-Get our website out there

-SLA

-Multipurpose Facility

-Looking at designs and critiquing it

- Off-campus housing websites
 - We are going to have one
 - Great resource for students -> start of improvements for off-campus housing
- NJ transit discount passes available at the desk
- SEPTA discount passes are difficult to get – 10% off IF we sell 50 a month
- Have signed papers to upgrade the electronic laundry systems – Installed by move in
- Philly car share
- Parking situation

-Individual Reports

-Presidents Corner

- Meeting with Papadakis Wed.
- Dinner with Taki
- Big supporter of USGA
- More Drexel banners
- Extending Caf hours...still up in the air
- Since Taki is walking through the dorms, commuters also want a forum with him

-New Business

- Business cards \$45 – for each assembly
- USGA T-shirts
- In a week about : update on SAFAC
- Office/Mailbox cleanup
- Plus/minus grading explanatory document resolution
 - Handed out
 - Will also create a press release and the actual packet
 - It's not our job to do this...put pressure on provost office to do this
 - Disclosure: Students deserve this info even though we were against this for the students
 - This was promised many times to be handed out by provost and never was
 - Clear packet with provost office so they can't find any errors in our published document
 - Estimated launch time for this: As early as possible and re-introduce it in the fall
 - Motion to accept pending changes and implementation decisions: Motioned by Stacey Second by Steph
 - Yes: 10 No: 1
- Arcade in main building
 - Complaints of what is down there

- Market this and add things
- E-mail Craig cae24@drexel.edu
- Check facebook forum**

-Old Business

- Lancaster walk block design
 - Shown
 - Any ideas?
 - Tabling it and looking for new logo ideas
 - Talk on USGA forum that will be up by the end of the week
- Changing USGA logo
- Strategic plan
 - AAA: Utility of academic advisors
 - Univ 101 revamped – instead of class 1 week maybe attend activity mtg
 - Course sequence consistency
 - College based competitions
 - Red flag courses (things only offered every other term etc)
 - SLA: Handed out
 - MPF
 - Public Safety secret shopper audit
 - Judicial Board recruitment
 - Follow up to the Gallup poll
 - More push for Activities unlimited
 - Joint: winter carnival – maybe team up with CAB and part of homecoming
 - Lighting trees around DAC
 - Keep track of ourselves – Gov tracker
 - Shaft demolition: contaminated land and owned by Amtrak not feasible upwards of 7-10 million dollars
 - Group of student contacts-street force-contact Jeff-each person get 1 other person to join

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Second 5 minute open period

Officer roll call