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GUILD PRESIDENT
Guild Council Report
25/10/2017

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INTRODUCTION

A relatively short report from me this time. I've been quite sick, so I have been out of action most days. Main thing to update everyone is that the Strategic Plan and Partnership have now been drafted and designed. After approvals from both Guild Council and the Vice-Chancellor are received, both will come into effect.

MEETINGS ATTENDED

Please note that this is not a full list of all the meetings that I have attended. I have only included the main one's worth noting to Council.

Date	Meeting
28/09/17	Senior Deputy Vice-Chancellor
28/09/17	Strategic Resources Committee
28/09/17	UNISFA Camp Approval
29/09/17	WA President's Conference
02/10/17	Reid Feasibility
02/10/17	Associate Director, Maintenance & Operations
03/10/17	Multicultural Week
03/10/17	Hot Brew Society
03/10/17	Education Council
04/10/17	Director of Student Experience
04/10/17	Academic Council
04/10/17	Guild Council
05/10/17	Minister of Education & Training – Sue Ellery
05/10/17	The Partnership – Chair of Academic Board
07/10/17	Guild Ball
09/10/17	Reid Feasibility
09/10/17	Director of Student Life
10/10/17	ODAY Planning
10/10/17	Workplace Health & Safety Committee
10/10/17	The Partnership Layout
10/10/17	President of Ireland
11/10/17	Guild Executive
11/10/17	University Life Video Planning
11/10/17	Summer School Marketing
13/10/17	UniMentor Presentation
17/10/17	Future Students
17/10/17	Presentation to Ursula Frayne Catholic College

KEY UPDATES

Minister for Education & Training

Earlier this month, all the WA Presidents met with the Sue Ellery, Minister for Education & Learning. The meeting was to discuss a number of issues and challenges facing the student unions of WA. The Minister was extremely supportive of Guild activities and has not only offered her personal support, but also will be setting up biannual meetings with all Guild Presidents from now on.

Reid Library

Libraries are looking to develop the different floors of Reid and I have asked to be a member of the Feasibility Working Group that is currently developing the Masterplan. The planning is still in its early stages but students can expect to see some positive changes from the beginning of 2018!

The Partnership

The document has been circulated to all key stakeholders within the University. I have incorporated feedback into the final draft that now sits with Guild Council for final approval. With Council's consent, I then hope to approach the Vice-Chancellor to sign the document and formally acknowledge the existence of a Partnership between the University and its students. An agreement such as this only exists at the Australian National University currently, which was also established mid this year.

Marriage Equality Campaign

Pride have been working quite actively to support the YES! Campaign for the Marriage Equality plebiscite. I have received a few emails from disgruntled students questioning our stance on the issue, otherwise everything is going well.

The results are expected to be released within the examination period and, so I have contact Student Services to investigate if it will be possible for special consideration process to be more sympathetic to affected students.

Exam Schedule Structure

I was recently informed that the Student Experience Team of UWA will be looking to do another review of the Examination Experience given the survey results and my strong opposition to the new structure in many meetings over this year. The Student Experience Team will be engaging with students throughout the planning process to this time ensure that the structure as well as set-up delivers a positive exam experience for all students.

This task will roll over into the new Council term and so it will be important that the new Council ensures that the students engaged in the planning process effectively represent the diversity of students that undergo examinations.

Higher Education

Good news! The Higher Education Bill was blocked in the Australian Senate on the 19th of October 2017. This is a great outcome after all the hard work that the National Union of Students (NUS), Universities Australia (UA), the Guild and other student unions put into campaigning on behalf of students earlier this year.

It has been made clear that there is strong opposition to:

- an 'efficiency dividend' cut to the Commonwealth Grant Scheme;
- changes to the repayment thresholds for the Higher Education Loan Program;
- replacing subsidies with loans for most permanent residents and New Zealand citizens;
- a scholarship system for postgraduate coursework places;
- performance contingent funding for universities; and
- new arrangements for enabling courses.

Guild Ball

The annual Cruickshank-Routley Memorial Ball was again held in Winthrop Hall with almost 300 students in attendance. Congratulations to all the clubs that received an award and to Hannah Matthews for receiving the Cruickshank-Routley Memorial Prize. A big Thank you to the Events team (Kasey and Liam) for almost single-handedly putting the whole thing together!

The Guild's Strategic Plan

This has involved extensive research into other student unions around the world as well as consultation in developing the plan. The Plan has been endorsed by the Guild's Strategic Resources Committee and now rests with Guild Council for final approval.

ACHIEVEMENTS TO DATE

- Higher Education Reform Bill blocked
- New and better Exam Schedule to come out in 2018.
- Panel member for Senior Deputy Vice-Chancellor & Associate Director of Maintenance & Operations.
- Secured discounts for clubs and societies with the Mounts Bay Sailing Club.
- Recognised amongst International students as being one of the top student-run organisations in the country and #1 for social activities on campus.
- Successfully advocated for refurbishment of 1st Floor of Reid Library.
- Improved process for communication with all students.
- Launch of Guild Alumni Network.
- New Guild-run Pasta e Insalata.
- Approval of Refurbished Refectory.
- Protected Commercial operations of the Guild.
- Worked with the Future Students Department to introduce a new central phone number for UWA for absolutely any enquiry.
- Extended opening hours for both Library and cafes over examination period.
- Secured student co-leads on the University's Refreshed Education Strategy.
- Introduced a cross-campus discount for Guild members.
- Guild installed and benefitting from Solar Panels installed over at Business School.
- Raised over \$50 000 for PROSH.
- Introduced Utopia to the Refectory.
- Introduced a Course Questionnaire for future students to assist in choosing the right degree for them.
- Became a member of the interviewing panels for Director of Student Experience, Deputy Vice-Chancellor (Education), Chief Information Officer, Chief Finance Officer, Director of Campus Management.
- Pushed for more recognition of significant cultural events through UWA Social Media.
- Overhauled menus at Guild Catering outlets.
- Established a GO8 Student Advocacy Group.
- Ran the most successful ODAY to date.
- Delivered the best schedule of events for Orientation Week.
- Secured approval of an all ages and alcohol-included ODAY Festival.
- Added a link to donate blood on the home page of UWA's Student Connect.
- Rolled out the Service Learning Unit for Guild Officer Bearers.
- Secured 50% SSAF for the Guild.



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VICE PRESIDENT
GUILD COUNCIL REPORT
20/10/2017

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SUMMARY

This month has been dominated with handover preparation as I move closer to the start of my term as the 105th Guild President.

MEETINGS ATTENDED

Date	Meeting	Purpose
28/09/2017	Strategic Resources Committee	
29/09/2017	Events Planning with Charu	Plan the semester two MASA events.
29/09/2017	Safety on Campus Committee Meeting	Review University Strategic Plan to reform sexual assault reporting and prevention strategies on campus.
04/10/2017	Appeals Panel Meeting	Review parking fine appeals.
05/10/2017	Meeting with Hon. Sue Ellery	Discuss changes to SSAF at UWA.
10/10/2017	O'Day Planning	Planning for potential brands to bring onto campus for O'Day
10/10/2017	WHS	Discuss work health and safety at the Guild.
11/10/2017	Executive Meeting	Discuss agenda items for this Guild Council.
13/10/2017	PROSH Interviews	Interviews for PROSH Directors and Editors
13/10/2017	Meeting with Charu	Event planning update and MASA administration.
18/10/2017	Appeals Panel Meeting	Review Parking Appeals.

PROJECT UPDATE

Corporate Services Committee Meeting

The new server purchase will be discussed at Council this month. In addition, we're researching new options for the Second-hand Bookshop online software that will allow greater functionality including online purchasing and postage capability which will allow students in Albany to purchase books from main campus.

The new server will allow us to have a more secure off site backup system, better digital archiving processes and of course allow us to run a swish new website which will be the next project moving forward.

Safety on Campus

As I'm sure Hannah Matthews will discuss further in her report on the Women's Department, I will highlight that the committee is putting in a bid for funding to increase lighting on campus, particularly in the areas identified in the Women's Department Lighting survey.

MASA

MASA welcomes Charu Nirmani to the new chair role for the remainder of the year. We hope that she continues to be involved in the committee next year! The Association has two events planned for the remainder of the year – a coffee catch up at Hackett and an end of semester sundowner in the Tavern after exams.

These events are free of charge and a great way to foster community amongst mature age students who often feel disconnected from their peers who are often straight out of high school.

OGM

I have commenced organisation on the Guild's Ordinary General Meeting. I am liaising with venues to find one that is appropriate for the occasion and will update council with a confirmed date and official notice of the event.

ACHIEVEMENTS TO DATE

- Successfully negotiated with the university to commit to a year-long contract with Lifeline, hire another counsellor and investigate a partnership with SARC to support students who may be revictimized by the soon to be release Respect. Now. Always. Data.
- Secured new members for the MASA Committee.
- Successfully carried out my short stint as Guild President x 3.
- Successfully picked another banger Guild Ball theme for a third year in a row.
- Secured a potential tender for the new Guild Shop software.
- Got a new club printer that prints in colour and approved expenditure for 'tape and pay' software for clubs.
- Successfully advocated for a new student portal and landing page for orientation that is an improved version of unistart.
- Ran a sit in against sexual violence on campus.

DISCUSSION TOPICS

None at this time.

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03/10/17	Student Consultative Meeting	Monthly Meeting
03/10/17	Education Council Meeting	Monthly Meeting
04/10/17	Guild Council Meeting	Monthly meeting
11/10/17	Mentoring Project Governance Meeting	Regular ongoing meeting to discuss project
12/10/17	Curriculum Committee	Monthly meeting
19/10/17	UWA Teaching and Learning Awards Meeting	Discussing Semester 2 Teaching and Learning Award Nominations
19/10/17	Student Services Committee	Monthly Meeting
19/10/17	Meeting with Grady Venville (Dean of Coursework Studies)	Regular meeting

PROJECT UPDATE

Guild Ball Awards

Congratulations to the winners of the Faculty Society Awards this year:

Best FacSoc: WAMSS

Most Innovative FacSoc: Science Union

FacSoc Choice: ECOMS and WAMSS

Assessment Policy Changes

There are some proposed modifications to the new assessment policy before it goes into place fully at the beginning of 2018, including changes to the late penalty and to distribution of marks. We will be tracking these changes and representing students' best interests and providing comms out to students to ensure everyone is aware of these changes once they have passed.

Student Resilience Project Update

There will be a survey we have been working on which will be going out over the next few weeks regarding student wellbeing as part of the project that Tyson and I have been working on with the team from the School of Psychology. We will also be making a video involving members of the University Executive, staff and students to pitch the project to students that the university is finally prioritising mental health and taking action to ensure student wellbeing is put at the forefront within faculties.

FacSoc Guide

As part of this year's effort to make Education Council meetings more meaningful and have more knowledge sharing between the Faculty Societies, we will be compiling notes from each month's theme to create a 'FacSoc Guide', which will include things like events, engagement with certain groups of students, how to expand certain portfolios and work best with the University. This will be ready for the incoming committees' benefit during handover period.

Warm regards,

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SUMMARY

This report covers the period from the 16th of September to the 13th of October. This period has been dominated by preparations for Cocktail and for our Elections and AGM. This period includes a week as the acting President of the Guild, during Guild Elections.

MEETINGS/EVENTS ATTENDED

Date	Meeting	Purpose
18/9	Meeting with Media Officer	Postscript Preparations
19/9	Meeting with the deputy Chair of Academic Board	Meeting on agenda items – lecture capture policy
20/9	Academic Board	Regular meeting of the Professoriate
21/9	Meeting with student	Confidential
21/9	Postscript Meeting	Finalising Postscript
21/9	Meeting with Events Officer	Cocktail venue preparations
21/9	Weekly Research-Led Teaching meeting	Regular progress meeting
25/9	Meeting with GRS	Scholarships extensions for those with disabilities
26/9	Planning & Resources Committee	UWA Committee on strategic direction
26/9	Postgrad Café	PSA Event
26/9	Meeting with Chelsea	Monthly social media planning
27/9	Meeting with Kasey	PSA Election planning
28/9	Guild SRC	Regular meeting on resource allocation
28/9	Weekly Research-Led Teaching meeting	Regular progress meeting
29/9	Marriage Equality planning meeting	Plan for ME campaign
29/9	Meeting with ADR EMS	Meeting to deal with a student issue
3/10	Education Council Meeting	Meeting of Faculty Societies
4/10	Academic Council	Regular meeting of the Academic board executive
4/10	Guild council Meeting	Meeting of the Guild's Board
5/10	Presentation to staff	Staff orientation, on behalf of Nevin
6/10	Meeting with UniAccess	Scholarships extensions for those with disabilities
6/10	Meeting with student	Confidential
10/10	Board of the Graduate Research School	Research student matters
10/10	Awarding of an honorary doctorate	Given to the President of Ireland
10/10	Celebration of Irish culture	Post-graduation event attended as a member of Senate
11/10	Meeting with BMR	Preparation for promotional video for UWA
12/10	Library and Guild Meeting	Regular meeting on library matters
12/10	University Research Committee	Committee on research matters
12/10	Weekly Research-Led Teaching meeting	Regular progress meeting
13/10	Meeting with Kasey	Meeting on PSA Elections
13/10	Meeting to plan for ME outcome	Contingency planning for a NO result

PROJECT UPDATE

Events

Connect this month was, again, a record breaker. The advantage was that it was held on the evening of Spring Feast, and we were able to direct quite a few postgrads down to spring feast afterwards. We also ran a Postgrad

Café in the study break, which had a lower turnout than usual, but still a strong turnout given the timing. We are currently preparing for our Cocktail evening to be held on the 3rd of November and our AGM as priorities.

Scholarship Conditions for people with Disabilities/Chronic Illnesses

I met with UniAccess and they indicated willingness to assist with the assessment of those seeking an extension under this plan. This is an important step in moving this project forward. The next step will be meeting with the GRS and UniAccess at the same time to run over everything and really get this project off the ground.

Completion Scholarships

I am continuing to follow this up with the GRS. While I have been told by the VC and the Dean of the DRS that they are coming, as of writing, I have not received any information about how many scholarships will be available and when students will be able to apply for them.

Postscript

Postscript is done and looks amazing. We'll be giving these out at our Annual General Meeting as the launch of it and after that I am happy to distribute a copy to anyone who would like one. A big thank you to Alina and Laura for helping to put it all together, edit and proof it, and to the many postgrads who submitted content.

Council of Australian Postgraduate Associations Annual Council Meeting & Equity Conference

I am continuing to work on preparations around the CAPA conference. We have locked in a venue and accommodation, and mostly organised the catering arrangements. We have also confirmed Sue Ellery and Simone McGurk (Ministers for Education & Women's Interests respectively) as speakers at the Equity conference on the first day, and CAPA has approached Robyn Owens (DVC Research) to speak later in the conference. We are just trying to finalise the catering arrangements and then everything will be sorted!

Oral Examinations

At the most recent BGRS, the Board made the decision to recommend to Academic Board the oral examinations become compulsory for PhD candidates commencing from the 1st of January 2018. This will mean the earliest compulsory oral examination will occur in 2021. All current students will have the option to take an oral, but will not be required. Many of the rules are still to be confirmed, but the BGRS did confirm 10 principles under which this should be conducted.

Elections & AGM

KEY ACHIEVEMENTS TO DATE

- Broke our own record for Connect Attendance for the 3rd time this year
- Negotiated changes to the new MRes rules to give Honours students more time to decide on whether to take the pathway
- Won the rights to host the CAPA ACM & Equity Conference
- Secured University support for a bid for CAPA to host their national conference at UWA
- Sold out our Scitech Family Evening in 4 hours
- Ran a series of Improvisation classes for Postgrads
- Held a successful Quiz Nig18/ht
- Broke own record for largest Connect Ever
- Held a successful Wine & Cheese Night
- Ran first successful online election for a casual vacancy
- Established Postgrad Cafe
- Held largest Connect ever
- Represented UWA at Universities Australia
- Opened PSA Common Room

- Redesigned the PSA Newsletter, rebranded to “The Post”
- Established ties between the PSA and Postgraduate Organisations in NSW, QLD, VIC, TAS, ACT & WA
- Represented UWA at the Council of Australian Postgraduate Associations

DISCUSSION TOPICS

- *PSA Elections are on now. Please encourage any postgrads you know to attend our AGM on the 26th of October at 4:30pm in the Bayliss Lecture Theatre (G.33).*

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SUMMARY

This month I've been preparing for handover and doing research for the mentoring project.

MEETINGS ATTENDED

Date	Meeting	Purpose
21/09/2017	Mentoring Project Governance Group Meeting	Monthly meeting
28/09/2017	Strategic Resources Committee Meeting	Monthly meeting
18/10/2017	Societies Council Meeting	Monthly meeting

PROJECT UPDATE

OGM: I am planning to schedule this for the week after exams. Once the venue is confirmed by Megan I will begin correspondence for that.

NUS KPI's: I will be sending a letter regarding the NUS KPI's to the NUS President and General Secretary.

Mentoring project: At the last meeting, the group confirmed that the preferred structure for the mentoring project was to include a relatively large amount of students from a range of faculties, as opposed to the other options of having a small number of students from a small number of faculties or a large number of students from a small number of faculties. We also discussed what the roles of mentors would be, as well as specific training they would require. One major point of discussion was the amount of equity training the mentors would require, especially as they would encounter such a diverse range of students.

Guild Ball: I've gotten a lot of positive feedback regarding the ball. It was a great night. If any councillors see Kasey, Liam, Fernanda or Hayden around the office, please show them your gratitude and say thanks for organising such an incredible night!

DISCUSSION TOPICS

If you would like to know more about the mentoring project, please let me know and I'll refer you to the minutes.

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INTRODUCTION

Apologies for not submitting a written report last council. I will update you on September and October.

ADMINISTRATION

Administration is a key component of SOC and this semester has involved a lot of it from myself and my executive.

❖ **New Club Affiliations & New Club Support**

Following the 15 New Clubs we had affiliated thus far, we had 3 new affiliations at the September SOC Meeting and none in the October Meeting.

These clubs are:

- UCBA (University Craft Brewers Association)
- Baha'i Society
- OXFAM (Re-affiliation)

That Brings the Total New SOC Clubs to 17 This Year.

❖ **Re-Affiliations**

OXFAM was disaffiliated last semester and this semester re-affiliated back to SOC with a whole new committee.

❖ **Emails**

Emails are a large part of SOCLife. We have continued to receive many emails from clubs. We mostly got the most traffic around Grants, SOC Events and Meeting Periods.

❖ **SOC Reps**

An initiative SOC is continuing this year is designated SOC Reps for clubs to be able to help them on an individual level since we have many clubs on campus we thought it would be a good way also to assist Club Execs. This is seeming to work well as we get to work with clubs on an individual level.

❖ **SOC Meeting #6 & 7:**

The Final SOC Meetings went off without a hitch. The October meeting had the SOC Elections and we now have a complete SOC Team for 2018. Now Handover with the incoming committee will begin.

❖ **SOC Award Winners**

Here are the SOC 2017 Awards

- Best Club: SPE UWA, Runner Up: UNISFA
- Best New Club: Wine Appreciation Club, Runner Up: VSUWA
- Community Engagement: BLOOM
- President of the Year: Sophie Harwood
- Most Inclusive Event: UWA MSA
- Honourable Mentions: Hot Brew Society, UWA Mathematics Union, UWA SMIF, CheMnBiO, UWA FilAus

❖ **Constitutions [VP]**

Brendon has stayed on top of constitution updates this semester.

EVENTS

❖ **SOC Meetings and Important Dates**

Below are the Key SOC Dates

Date	Event
15th February	SOC Meeting #1
24th February	O-Day
7th March	Club Carnival
15th March	SOC Meeting #2
12th April	SOC Meeting #3
24th May	SOC Meeting #4
8th August	Club Carnival
13th September	SOC Meeting #6
1st October	SOC Award Applications Due
18th October	SOC Meeting #7
3 rd Nov	Semester 2 Grants Due

MEETINGS ATTENDED

As I have been away this month, Brendon has been attending to my duties.

Date	Meeting	Purpose
	Student Services	
	Corporate Services	
	SOC Committee Meeting	Semester 2 Planning
	Student Services Meeting	

PROJECT17 UPDATE SEMSTER 1

Presidents Projects

❖ Completed

- Create SOC important dates ical link for Clubs.
- Created Project 17 Tasks
- Presidents/VP Training material with Brendon.
- Presidents/VP Training
- Updating SOC Website Page
- Introduce Club Consultation Stand for ODAY and Club Carnivals
- In Progress SOC Handover Guide



- Marketing and Branding Current Guild Services to Clubs on the website, emails and meetings
- Improve CCZ Signage and Introduce Room Reset Guides

Vice President Projects

❖ Completed

- Club Directory
Completed Charmaine and Daniel
- ERFs Updated
- Get Cameron Hall Clubs to Open Club Rooms During O-WEEK
- Constitutions updated
- Presidents/VP Training

- Put Printed Handbooks in the CCZ
- Clubs Profile and Category List
- Signage for Tenancy

❖ In Progress

- Club Incorporation Guide

Treasurer Projects

❖ Completed

- Treasurer Training Dates
- Update Treasurer Handbook
- SPGs and ODAY Grants
- Selling Merchandise/Tickets in Second-hand bookshop

❖ In Progress

- Treasurer Training
- SLT Online

❖ Not Started

Secretary Projects

❖ Completed

- Clubs update information on my Guild
- Email admin
- Created One Drive
- Club Carnival 1 Organisation
- Club Carnival 2
- Campus Quest
- Develop Secretary Training
- Looking at changing and improving SLT
- Purchasing Marques for clubs

❖ In Progress

- Ensure website is Updated
- Visible online booking system for CCZ, Cameron Hall Loft, May Tannock/ Sue Boyd Rooms

OCM Projects

❖ Completed

- Club Directory
- Guide to Cameron Hall

❖ In Progress

- Fresher engagement training
- Updating Training Guides
- Searchable club exec FAQ's (Going to be included in SOC Guide)

FINANCES

Budget v Actuals or Project Budget Breakdown. Insert YTD Budget v. Actuals table, and/or description of expenditure.

DESCRIPTION	BUDGET	TOTAL EXPENSES	DIFFERENCE
SOC Grants	\$63,524.89	\$100,000.00	-\$36,475.11
Awards & Prizes	\$2,850.00	\$2,300.00	\$550.00
Sundry	\$1,324.28	\$6,000.00	-\$4,675.72
Meeting Expenses	\$1,439.09	\$2,500.00	-\$1,060.91
Printing & Stationry	\$161.67	\$450.00	-\$288.33

DISCUSSION TOPICS

Ask me questions if you have anything email me
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Regards,
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SUMMARY

Currently working on Interfaculty sport providing assistance to the new organiser Jillian and the UWA Sport Team. Providing structures to help the 2018 Sports Rep

MEETINGS ATTENDED

PROJECT UPDATE

Interfaculty Sport

Interfaculty sport for 2018 is beginning to be planned and feedback is being correlated.

ACHIEVEMENTS TO DATE

- Formed a Committee
- Interfaculty Sport Semester 1
- Interfaculty Sport Semester 2
- Women's AFL
- ISS AFL Workshop

DISCUSSION TOPICS

N/A

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TREASURER REPORT
GUILD COUNCIL REPORT
25/10/2017

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SUMMARY

There has been a large focus on the Refectory this month with the constructions beginning soon and the market research for the Guild Website.

MEETINGS ATTENDED

Date	Meeting
[28/10/17]	Strategic Resources Committee
[02/10/17]	VACE Meeting
[04/10/17]	Guild Council
[07/10/17]	Guild Ball
[10/10/17]	MOP Donuts Meeting
[11/10/17]	Guild Website Meeting
[11/10/17]	Refectory Focus Group

PROJECT UPDATE

Refectory Focus Groups

With refectory construction starting soon, we organised student focus groups to discuss what this particular demographic would like to see in the refectory.

Collegiate System

After having had interviews over the past few months with the key stakeholders, we have used to collected information to create three different ways the collegiate system could be implemented. We have a meeting organised next week the governance group to further discuss these.

MOP Donuts

Plans to bring them on to campus are still being discussed.

Website

Will be starting to have meetings this week with the various different stakeholders.

ACHIEVEMENTS TO DATE

- Phase 1 of Collegiate System Complete
- Pasta Insalata
- Hired Business Officer
- 2017 Mid-Year Budget Done.
- Completed Website Document.
- \$5 Study Menu.
- Menu Review and Changed.
- Successfully reviewed and approved 4 club overdrafts.
- Presentation / Document for Tavern Design.
- Food Vans Semester One.
- 2017 Budget Created.

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INTRODUCTION

This month we hosted Welfare Week 2.0 in week 10. The whole week was success with all the events running smoothly and delivering some fantastic content to all participants. As the semester starts to come to an end and students start to prepare for the exam period we are still looking to promote Student Assist and the Guild services available for students. Further, in week 13 the Welfare Department will host a breakfast on Oak Lawn for students to get some important information about the guild and most importantly get a little something to 'treat themselves' on making it to the end of the semester. What a great way to end the month and the semester. Wishing everyone a safe and productive exam period.

MEETINGS ATTENDED

Date	Meeting	Purpose
20/10/2017	Student Resilience Project	Preparing launch of survey
20/10/2017	Welfare and Advocacy	Chairing meeting
20/10/2017	Welfare Department	General meeting

PROJECT UPDATE

Welfare Week

Welfare week was a great success with every event having a good turnout and an active engagement with students. In particular, the breakfast talk and the panel discussion were a highlight with some great discussion occurring outside the formality of the event with students following up with one another helping each other. The other events worked welfare with a steady follow of students engaging with us and getting some resources at the same time. None of this would have been possible without the incredible work from my department, student assist, Pheobe Ho, Chloe Hynes, Kelvin Tan (ISS) and access collective.

Student Resilience Project

The survey is almost ready to be launched across the campus. It is just going through its final formation. Expected to be launched next fortnight.

Welfare Breakfast

Next Tuesday 31st of October the Welfare Department will host a BBQ breakfast on Oak Lawn. This will be our last opportunity to interact with students and promote the student assist services available for students pre/post exam period. Further, the event will raise awareness of student poverty in particular, highlight how many students come to university skipping breakfast for various reasons. The breakfast menu will have various options so anyone and everyone can 'treat themselves'.

FINANCES

Finalising

DISCUSSION TOPICS

Nil.

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PROJECT UPDATE

It's only been 2 weeks since our last meeting so there aren't a lot of huge updates to give!

Safety on Campus

Haven't met since our last meeting so no updates on lighting or the assault/harassment procedures.

Sexual Health on Campus

Sex Ed September has wrapped up and the sessions went very well! Thanks to Chloe Hynes and Hanneka Gerritsen for spearheading the project.

Damsel

We've gone to print! Now planning the launch party.

Women's Mentoring

We're planning the final event to wrap up the program.

Women's Cocktail Night

Next week, please come down and share with your networks.

FINANCES

Line Item	Description	Spend
	TOTAL	

If you have any questions feel free to email me!

Regards,

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