New Updates

1. **UMSU Community Representative Outreach**

   Services and I have been working with the UMSU Community Reps lately to discuss a plan for outreach, to increase their visibility on campus and to the community members that they represent. We’re planning to have graphics made that display their photos, office hours, and contact information, as well as an FAQ (“UMSU Community 101”) for students who need more information about the roles and responsibilities of the reps.

   I also would like to emphasize that the Community Town Hall meetings are not solely for the purposes of CIF. The meetings serve the purpose once a month of providing community members with the opportunity to discuss priorities and supports with their respective representatives. Procedurally, the attendees of these Community Town Halls are the deciding voice on all initiatives brought forward in the spirit of each Community. Not only do attendees have the power to decide on these applications, but they also have the power to directly influence activity within their communities through the Community Representatives. One of the things that we’ll be working on these next few weeks is promoting the Town Halls in a way that reflects that more clearly, to get engagement up!

2. **Co-Curricular Record Form**

   I’ve had a couple of meetings with members of the University’s Student Life department with regards to student leadership and co-curricular record applications. Through these meetings, we’ve ensured that language is consistent throughout the form and streamlined in the same way that student club applications are. This way, there’s less confusion for students when they’re applying for group recognition.

Continuing Updates

1. **Consent Culture Training**

   Thank you to everyone for being so responsive in scheduling the last few consent culture workshops with Justice for Women! Currently, we’re only waiting to schedule the last few CCWs with some groups on Bannatyne.

   Thank you also to the Justice for Women team, a group of passionate, dedicated, and knowledgeable volunteers for facilitating these sessions for student leaders at the U of M!

2. **Nimbus x Student Nights Against Procrastination**

   We’ve wrapped up the first round of study snack cart runs! It was a lot of fun meeting students all across campus and delivering these random acts of kindness during the midterm season. Thank you to all of our UMSU directors who helped out!
For those of you who volunteered with us, you may have seen the new Nimbus Peer Tutoring activation codes featured in the stack of resources that we were also handing out. If your student organizations would like a handful to hand out in your lounges or at various SNAP events throughout the rest of the year, please send me an email at vpsl@umsu.ca.

3. Student Club Policies & Procedures

Following the first round of CIF Town Halls, Salima and I have been working in consultation with Community Representatives and student clubs to collect feedback on changes that need to be made to the Policies & Procedures. Given that this year is the transitional year for Community Groups & the CIF, this will now be our second wave of amendments, following the initial changes we made over the summer.

Currently, we’re in the development stages of pocket-sized versions to hand out during ACE, as well as a feedback form to aid in the changes. More to come in my next BOD report and ACE meetings!

External Events & Meetings Attended

Office Hours: Mondays @ 12:30 PM in Degree’s Diner

*Will be included in the next BOD package