



New Updates

Began working on upcoming campaigns/events:

- Healthy Sexuality with VP Student Life
 - Reels and tabling scheduled
- Student Small Business Week with VP Finance and Operations
 - Tabling Opportunity for Student Entrepreneurs
- Campus Safety/AI Usage and UM Student Success Month with President and VP Advocacy
- Halloween Social
 - Drone Lights Show

Continuing Updates

New Majority Partnership:

- Student canvassers hired by New Majority, at their expense and discretion
- Increased opportunity for students to vote and be involved with provincial elections
- Please review the job posting here: <https://g.co/kgs/Dc6vD4>

Get out the Vote Campaign:

- Collaboration with UPSSA
- Conformation from all parties for town hall
 - Fireside Lounge at 3-5pm
 - Green Party Janine Gibson, Party Leader
 - Manitoba Liberals Dougald Lamont, Party Leader
 - NDP Jamie Moses, MLA for St. Vital
 - Progressive Conservatives Lauren Stone, Candidate Midland

Social Media:

- Great engagement on Get Out The Vote Campaign Reels
 - Discussing important topics such as eligibility, rights, advanced polling location
- Launch UMSU Does That Campaign - Next Week
 - Reels highlighting each Executives role/portfolio

Bison Bash:

- Free Breakfasts
- UMSU Street Party
 - Diversity in performers/DJ's
 - Well received and attended by students
 - Photo booth

Important Events/Announcement

- Truth and Reconciliation Day Observation – September 29th
- Each year, September 30th marks the **National Day for Truth and Reconciliation/Orange Shirt Day**, which honours the children who never returned home and Survivors of residential schools, as well as their families and communities.



TO: UMSU Board of Directors
FROM: VP Community Engagement, Divya Sharma
DATE: September 26, 2023
RE: **Report to the Board, September 28, 2023**

- This year, the Nursing Students' Association (NSA) along with the Orange Shirt Day Planning Committee (the Office of the Vice-President (Indigenous), the College of Nursing, the National Centre for Truth and Reconciliation (NCTR), the Centre for Human Rights Research, the University of Manitoba's Student Union, PINE (Pathway to Indigenous Nursing Education), and the Indigenous Students' Association) will be honouring this day with a full day of events on **Friday, September 29th, 2023** at Investors Group Athletic Centre (Fort Garry Campus)
- Summarized agenda for the day:
 - o 8:30AM-3:00PM (**Everyone is invited**)
 - o NSA will be providing **free** Orange Shirts at the IG Athletic Centre as you enter to take part in a Teach in for reconciliation hosted by Dr. Sean Carleton, Prof. Brenda Gunn, Dr. Cary Miller, and Marc Kruse
 - o Everyone is welcome to wear an orange T-shirt and join everyone at the IG Athletic Centre, then Helen Glass Centre (HGC) to hear from Elders and speakers
 - o There will be a walk to the National Centre for Truth and Reconciliation (NCTR) for an offering of Tobacco to fire
 - o Once the pledge is made at NCTR, everyone will return to HGC, to observe a performance pieces and a feast will be provided to participants
 - o Participants can contact Ari at alkhafaa@myumanitoba.ca if there are any questions
- Board Member Photos, Names, Emails on website

If you have any event/campaign ideas or want to collaborate in any capacity my office is always open!

External Events & Meetings Attended

- September 13th – Free Breakfast Serving/Tabling for Bison Bash Market
- September 13th – Meeting with Student Engagement and Success office
- September 14th – Free Breakfast Serving/Tabling for Bison Bash Market
- September 14th – Tabling for Faculty of Kinesiology and Recreation (Dean's Lunch)
- September 15th – Free Breakfast Serving/UMSU Street Party
- September 18th – Meeting with Zuieke
- September 18th – Meeting with President of UPSSA
- September 20th – Winnipeg Chamber of Commerce Leaders Debate
- September 20th – Tabling for Residence Opportunity Fair
- September 21st – UM Sustainability Committee Meeting
- September 21st – Better Together – UM Advisory Committee Meeting
- September 22nd – Women's Centre Poster Making for Counter Protest
- September 23rd – Homecoming Football Game
- September 25th – Meeting with U of M Manager, Provost Communications, Strategic Communications, External Relations
- September 25th – Phone call Check-in with New Majority
- September 25th – Tabling for Get Out The Vote Campaign
- September 26th – Arthur V. Mauro Memorial Service
- September 26th – Meeting with Chancellor Anne Mahon