AGENDA

Discussion:
1. Website Updates – Catherine
   - Change home pages to computer browsers in certain locations to GSC website?
   - Rotating banner at the top in header image position
     - Tucker image – flip through
     - Block design
     - Committee member/committee?
   - Exec page:
     - Put under name what students can go to that person for
     - Brief description of what we do
   - Tucker Center as an example
   - Instagram posts for events – link to homepage of website, which will link to Facebook.
   - Graduate Student Circular – Each event has link to event and link in calendar on website (maybe?)
   - People don’t think page is updated enough to view it.
   - Welcome email/video
     - CLP will email Gary and Kerry
     - Email format is set-up
     - Just editing content
       - Want to edit – CLP will be sending it around to edit
     - Goal is to send it out ASAP (as soon as list is obtained)

2. Resource Guide – Eva
   - Coming along well
   - Roadmaps
     - Umbrella terms for various issues
       - Glossery will be at the beginning, followed by Dartmouth PDF and other sources
       - Each one will have examples of what could be counted under it
     - Black arrows are general, rainbow colors are specific
     - Stand alone guideline to help individuals decide who to talk to and when those resources are available
     - Currently being finalized – will be sent to Theodosia Cook and Grad office for approval and printed for orientation
     - Not meant to dictate – meant to education
       - You need to decide based on priorities
     - At beginning: purpose of the document is to examine options
     - Will post on website once available

3. Upcoming orientation
   a. Social Media Raffle – Catherine
     - Announce at mixer
• Have raffle tickets of three different colors for students to enter
• Have to show people at table that they are following on Instagram, Facebook, Twitter
• **3 $8 giftcards and raffle tickets**

b. **Review**

i. who needs to be where, when
   • If you can be there, please be there.
   • Need people to help set up tables
     o Student Life Committee, but may also need a crew of people
     o Resources and clubs early need to be situated
       ▪ CLP can be there before orientation
       ▪ RB and SJ can also help set-up, but can’t help with tear down

ii. brainstorm open ended questions for panels
   • Panels: General Community; Health and Wellness; Grad Office;
   • CLP will put Google Doc on Slack
   • Can use map for idea for questions
     o EG: If I wanted to put someone on my insurance, who do I contact, what do I do?
     o EG: If I am in an accident or need legal council, how can I get help/what resources?
     o EG: Open container laws
     o EG: Parking question
     o EG: Food on campus late night for community and late night?
     o EG: Gym hours
     o EG: Who can you talk to during the interim?
     o EG: Creative opportunities (Pottery, Jewelry making, The Hop)
     o EG: Practice rooms
     o EG: Computer store to buy accessories for Mac
     o EG: Where do I go for payroll? Direct deposit?
     o EG: Visa questions? Visa expires during PhD
     o EG: Writing
     o EG: Library resources
     o EG: Late night shuttle
     o EG: Safe spaces on campus?
   • Can be either broad or “nitty gritty”
   • List of questions can go up on website as FAQ with answers.
   • Each panel is twenty minutes
   • Send out to general council Slack
   • Will take what we can get

4. **Student Travel Fund – Curtis**

a. Bylaws dictating who is not eligible to apply – i.e. do we want to restrict those who may have a conflict of interest from applying.
   • No rules excluding individuals from applying
   • When CLP academic chair, although no rules, chair would not apply because a clear bias was created
   • Clear conflict of interest if President, Vice President, Finance Chair, and Academic Chair because they dictate committee structure, function, and flow of money.
What about lab that’s low on funds?
Can you blind applications?
  - Sent as embedded email, so would have to save email as pdf.
Can’t exclude if you know them, because small community
Also applies to professional fund
Separate procedure with faculty member – maybe KL makes decision as impartial person? Temporary person sits in instead of faculty.
  - Blind for professional development fund and large award
    - As automated as possible
    - Build something into professional development fund

5. Budget meeting review – James
- Had to cut everyone’s budget
- Newer organizations that requested full money were cut to $700.
- Reduced other organizations by $100 to $900
- Cut 30% from new organizations
  - Except Scullers, felt not fair to subsidize individuals for doing a sport – not sharable
  - Subsidize purchase of boat different than individual use of external organization
  - Where are the bees?
    - Shared membership or X lessons usable by anyone on first-come, first-serve
  - 10%-ish for old clubs
  - Exec positions reduced around 20%
  - Food for meetings not really cut
  - Should have $1,000 buffer fund
  - If organizations don’t RSVP by deadline, don’t get table
  - Growth – club membership fee? Tier system for funding?
  - How to track what a new organization spends when it is first created?
  - Emphasis on voting on new clubs and requests for standard funding
    - Judicious in doling out of funds

6. Bylaws –
   a. No specific mention of not funding liquor – should we add some
   b. Dartmouth does not allow funding for liquor… we should specifically define that we cannot fund liquor
      - Bring up at next general council meeting

7. Can we do something special for the last general council meeting?
   - Something fun? Appreciation thing.
   - Can we have alcohol in Berry?
   - Top of the Hop?
   - What is on the agenda?
     - Two bylaws, budgeting, orientation,
     - Beer, wine, cake, soda, White Claws! – no liquor
     - **Get card from**
     - Photographs!!

8. T-Shirts!
   - We have logos, but they are not cheap.
   - SJ may have a guy who can do that
   - Limited run, want to garner excitement (156 for $2,000 comfort colors)
9. Sober Monitor list
10. Protocol for people who don’t show up
   • Travel grants not eligible if department rep isn’t showing up
   • Attendance
     o Taking attendance
     o Google Form with iPad both doors
11. Ivy+ (October 18th – 20th, Princeton NJ)

Announcements:
   1. Activities Fair
   2. Welcome Mixer
   3. Mid-Autumn Festival
   4. IGMP Welcome Social