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A Special Note to Our Hornets

Happy week 7 of the semester! I hope you all enjoyed attending NSM Fest and CultureFest the past few weeks! Please make sure to take care of yourself and utilize all of the amazing resources on campus, especially within the College of NSM. Myself and the rest of the ASI board are here to serve as a resource for you all so please do not hesitate to drop by our office anytime. Also, please make sure to apply for ASI scholarships, especially the Director Scholarships!!!!

Internal Committee Updates:

Wellness, Safety and Sexual Assault Awareness

We are working on hosting a self-defense event which all students on campus will have the opportunity to partake in. We are also collaborating together to support the Out of the Darkness event. Please make sure to donate if you have not already! 😊

University Committee Updates:

NSM Academic Council

Worked with the VPUA to appoint a new student onto the council as this conflicts with my schedule this semester.

Anchor University Advisory Council

Time conflicts with meetings.

Strategic Priority Updates:

1.1.1 Promote and support Inclusive Excellence Antiracism and Inclusion Campus Plan (AICP)

Status: COMPLETED

Promoting AICP Events on positional Instagram accounts.

1.3.1 Organize an event for cultural celebration

Status: COMPLETED

Had the event this past Monday and it went amazing! Thank you to everyone on the committee, performers, KSSU and all others who made it possible <3

2.2.1 Advocate for the expansion and improvement of study spaces for student parents

Status: IN PROGRESS

Meeting was set up with Amy Kautzman to discuss feasibility, was unable to attend with the other board members due to time conflicts with class.

2.3.1 Engage and promote wellness initiatives and/or activities

Status: IN PROGRESS

Have been promoting wellness events on campus via Instagram, communicating with committees via Teams, and in communication with the Financial Wellness Coordinator about collaborating on a Spring event.

3.1.2 Promote board activities

Status: COMPLETED

Promoted board activities by tabling and posting on positional Instagram accounts.

3.1.3 Table at campus events

Status: In Progress

3.2.1 Support and engage with OGA in promoting civic engagement

Status: IN PROGRESS

Attended the CSSA meeting at Cal Poly SLO in January 2024 and will be attending CHES.

3.2.2 Support and engage with OGA in voter registration efforts

Status: IN PROGRESS

Advocating voting on Instagram!

4.2.1 Promote and advocate for the enhancement of campus partners safety programs and campus emergency programs.

Status: COMPLETED

Myself and a few other board members met with Gary Rosenblum to discuss how ASI can support them in increasing pedestrian safety. We are currently working on planning a Self Defense event as well

Meetings and Events:

February

2/7- Culture Fest Activity Station Meeting

2/7- ASI Board Meeting

2/9- Culture Fest Meeting

2/12- First NSMJC meeting of the semester!!

2/13- Stinger Expo

2/14- ASI Board Meeting

2/16- Culture Fest Meeting

2/23- NSM Fest Debrief with Dean's Office

2/23- Culture Fest Meeting

2/28- ASI Board Meeting

2/29- ASI WSSAA Committee Meeting

March

3/1- Culture Fest Meeting

3/4 - Culture Fest!!!!

Priorities:

- Classroom Presentations
- Fundraising for Out of the Darkness Event
- Tabling for ASI
- Continuing to host events with my joint council
- Planning campus safety event
- Advocating for student parents
- Advertising director scholarships!!!!
- Updating my bulletin board regularly

NSM students enjoying free food @ NSM Fest

my bulletin board on the first floor of TSC :)



performers enjoying dinner after Culture Fest



VCA performers @ Culture Fest



NSMJC & MAPS, ETC tabling at NSM Fest!



bracelets made by our students at the first NSMJC mtg of the year!