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**To:** ASI Board of Directors

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## **General Information**

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## **A Special Note to Our Hornets**

Hi Hornets!

I want to extend a warm welcome to all of you. Whether you are returning to campus this fall, or this is your first semester, know that you are welcome and an important part of our community.

This semester will undoubtedly bring unprecedented challenges for some but just know there are resources for you and we as a board are here to serve you. Let's approach each day one at a time and try our best to learn and grow.

Remember you are not on this journey alone. Now as the semester starts to heat up, remember to take some time to breathe and love yourself.

With love,

G.C.G. EVP

## **Internal Committee Updates**

***ASI Green Team***

9/9/2024 –1<sup>st</sup> Meeting of this Semester

Strategic planning for the fall semester. We are consolidating members, introductions, and old business. We worked on ideas we could consolidate to make larger plans for sustainability. We went over big dates throughout the year including Earth Day in the spring. The ideas we did have we wrote down and scheduled to bring them back to the next meeting and present our potential larger plans.

***ASI Student Social Justice and Equity Council***

9/9/2024 –1<sup>st</sup> Meeting of this Semester

Strategic planning for the fall semester. We are consolidating members, introductions, and old business. We worked on ideas we could consolidate to make larger plans for social justice and equity especially. A common theme that came up was trying to create a more level playing field for all clubs and organizations when it came to DOC funding as that is something ASI directly oversees. We want to try to understand why many cultural clubs fail to receive DOC funding.

***ASI Student Marketing and Outreach***

9/9/2024 –1<sup>st</sup> Meeting of this Semester

Strategic planning for the fall semester. We are consolidating members, introductions, and old business. We worked on ideas we could consolidate to make larger plans to reach more students and help promote ASI resources. One idea especially stood out which was helping promote the Food Pantry as it is not simply a resource for food but also many other resources. We noted that using social media trends would be a good way to connect students to resources.

**University Committee Updates**

***Student Fee Advisory Committee***

8/1/24- 1<sup>st</sup> Meeting of the Semester

We went over the logistics of the committee, and the difference between alternative consultation and a direct referendum vote. We went over the proposed fees by the President, the amount of fees, and the choices for each one. We received proposals from each department and read them seeing the rationale behind the proposed increases.

8/5/24- 2<sup>nd</sup> Meeting of the Semester

We had presenters from the first three fees join our meeting and talk about the fees, the state of their programs or departments, and what the proposed increases would do. President Wood joined and shared the sensitivity analysis they conducted saying the proposed amount in increases would be at or below the threshold from \$750-\$1000. This means that for most Sac State students, financial aid would cover the new proposed fees.

#### 8/21/24-3<sup>rd</sup> Meeting of the Semester

We had the last two presenters join the committee and share their proposed fees, talk about the state of their programs or departments, and what the proposed increases would do. One that stood out was the Student Health and Counseling Fee which has not seen an increase since 2010 despite inflation, the pandemic, and the recovery from the pandemic. Dr. Harris Van Dahlen shared that if an increase was not passed, they would exhaust their reserves within two years and have to cut several resources, programs, and services.

#### 8/24/24-4<sup>th</sup> Meeting of the Semester

This was the last meeting where we consolidated our findings and thoughts as a committee. We talked and debriefed about the proposed fees as they came up. The committee reached a consensus on each fee and voted to recommend the increase or not. Our findings and recommendations were shared with the President who has the power to make the ultimate decision. Our recommendations and findings were also posted and shared with students.

#### *University Enterprises Inc. (UEI)*

##### 5/30/24- 1<sup>st</sup> Meeting of the Semester

This meeting consisted of an end-of-the-year dinner where current board members were off-boarding and new ones including myself were introduced. I was able to meet with the board members and discuss briefly the overview of the board and committees I will serve on. Board members loved when students gave their perspectives as they shared they didn't receive a lot of that.

### **Strategic Priority Updates**

N/A

### **Office Hours**

- Working on presentations
- Responding to emails
- Met with students interested in internal committees
- Sent emails recruiting students to join committees
- Sent emails promoting ASI scholarships
- Communicated with board members about strategic priorities
- Worked on committee responsibilities and agendas
- Sent emails spreading awareness of University events and tabling events

### **Meetings, Events, & Presentations**

***MAY:***

5/30/24- UEI End of Year BOD Meeting

***JUNE:***

6/7/24- ASI Special BOD Meeting

6/24/24- BOD Orientation

6/25/24- Meeting w/ Kayla from SEO

***JULY:***

7/11/24- Scholarship Meeting w/ Staff

7/12/24- CSSA July Plenary

7/13/24- CSSA July Plenary

7/14/24- CSSA July Plenary

7/15/24- ASI Meet w/VPUA Finalist

7/18/24- ASI Meet w/VPUA Finalist

7/22/24- ASI Meet w/VPUA Finalist

7/23/24- Meet w/ Staff about Scholarship Correction Legislation

7/26/24- ASI Special BOD Meeting

***AUGUST:***

8/1/24- SFAC Meeting #1

8/5/24- SFAC Meeting #2

8/8/24- BHC Grand Opening Event

8/9/24- ASI BOD Retreat

8/10/24- ASI BOD Retreat

8/11/24- ASI BOD Retreat

8/13/24- UEI New Board Orientation

8/21/24- SFAC Meeting #3

8/22/24- President's Fall Address

8/22/24- SFAC Meeting #4

8/22/24- Family and Parents Event

8/22/24- New Student & Family Convocation @ 6:00

8/22/24- New Student & Family Convocation @ 7:30

8/29/24- Hornets vs Spartans Watch Party

8/30/24- Title IX/DHR (Cozen) Implementation Team

8/30/24- Swarm Day Photo

***SEPTEMBER:***

9/4/24- Phlagleblast (UNION)

9/4/24- ASI Working Board Meeting

9/5/24- NSM Fest

9/6/24- Queer Welcome 2024!

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**ASI Tabling & Presentations**

6/26/24- New Student and Transfer Orientation

7/24/24- New Student and Transfer Orientation

8/22/24- Family and Parents Presentation

8/29/24- Hornets vs Spartans Watch Party Tabling

9/5/24- NSM Fest Tabling