
To: ASI Board of Directors

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Subject: October Board Report

General Information:

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News:

Hello Hornets! I hope midterm season is treating you all well. This has been a hectic month, but we're officially halfway through the semester! I have been working on a lot this month with trying to fulfil the boards' strategic priorities. I also have officially reestablished this year's SSIS Joint Council. I am currently in the works of planning our first meeting.

Committee Updates:

Green Team:

-We have planned an American River Clean Up in connection with the "*Don't Litter Our River*" Campaign. This will be a collaboration with Peak Adventures and hopefully RHA. The cleanup will be November 16th from 9am-12pm. We are also currently discussing recycling education. Our next meeting will be October 28th from 2pm-3pm in the Canyon Room on the third floor of the union.

Social Justice and Equity Committee:

-We are currently planning a panel on Diversity and Inclusion that will be made up of students and faculty. We are looking to doing this event sometime in November. Our next meeting will be October 28th from 3pm-4pm in the Walnut room on the second floor of the union.

Lobby Corp:

-During our meeting we discussed how to properly lobby and what the legislative process looks like. We also looked into and discussed the 4th year of quantitative reasoning requirement proposed by the Chancellors Office. We took a vote on the opposition letter proposed by ASI

and all voted for the opposition letter. Our next meeting will be October 31st in the Capital Room on the third floor of the Union.

Bookstore Advisory Council

-Our first meeting will be held on Monday, October 28th from 9am-10am.

City Ambassadors

-We are currently discussing what priorities we want to focus on this semester in the committee. We will be having a speaker at our next meeting, which is on October 24th in the Folsom Room on the third floor of the union.

Strategic Priorities Update

1.1.1 Collaborate with campus partners on an event supporting the need to vote

-Attended and participated in the Community and Civic Engagement Resource Fair on October 17th.

1.6.1 Support the continued efforts of the “Don’t Litter Our River” Campaign

2.1.1 Increase number of student participation in Green Team

-Will be hosting a River clean up that is to promote the efforts of the “Don’t Litter Our River” Campaign. I will also be tabling that day to promote Green Team to students that attend.

3.3.3 Assess the feasibility of an “Epicure Extras: type program for the Dining Commons

-Have held a meeting with Denisse, Steven Davis, and myself to discuss the program. We have a follow up meeting coming in the next week.

3.4.1 Asses opportunities with University Union to supply products

-Have planned a meeting with head of the union to discuss initiative.

4.2.1 Educate Board regarding SMART Planner Usage

-In the works of hopefully creating an ASI sponsored SMART Planner workshop.

Events/Calendar:

Proof of classroom/club presentations, meetings with deans/department chairs, ASI events, etc.

September

9/26 City Ambassadors

9/30 Green Team

9/30 Social Justice and Equity Committee

9/30 ASI Department Directors/Associate Directors & ASI Board Meet up

October

10/2 Working Board/Special Board/Executive Committee

10/3 ASI Classroom Presentation

10/3 Lobby Corp

10/7 SOAL Intent to Organize Meeting

10/9 Strategic Priority 3.3.3 Meeting

10/9 Formal Board

10/10 City Ambassadors

10/14 Scot Nakagawa Open Forum + Q&A

10/14 Green Team

10/14 Student Social Justice and Equity Committee

10/16 Working Board

10/17 Community and Civic Engagement Resource Fair

10/17 Lobby Corp

10/21 Meeting with Dean

10/22 Meeting with Dean and Department Chairs

10/23 Strategic Priority 3.4.1 Meeting

10/23 Formal Board