GSC Meeting

September 25, 2012

1. Welcome
   a. YAY! Three new people!

2. Stipend information – Lauren forgot the spreadsheet
   a. Next steps- cost of living
   b. Adam’s Big Announcement: Recent survey taken of all USM schools and GA info, and Adam is going to get it.
   c. SU is reevaluating peer / inspirational institutions
   d. Kelsey – Bloomsburg – Cost of housing off campus is pretty close to ours, 2400-2600 a semester on campus, meal plan 885 (75 a semester) – 1500 (19 a week)
   e. Andrew – UMBC – has everything on website, per year $36094, minus tuition - $18678 a year (rent, food, travel, everything) – $514.73 per pay period.
   f. Clifton thinks we should write up a resolution

3. Social Events:
   a. Homecoming Alumni Tent- Who is interested?
      i. Need a tally for how many people will be there
      ii. Oct 13 – 11am
      iii. Non-alumni are invited
      iv. Adam, Ashley, Davyeon, Kelsey, Andrew, Lubi, Lauren, Kyle (?), Julia
   b. Beer Festival and Wine Festival
      i. Both in Pemberton Park
      ii. $20
      iii. Oct 14th for Beer Festival
   c. Wheelchair Ramp Building this Saturday in Delmar
      i. 8am-12pm
      ii. 12pm-4pm
      iii. Andrew will be there
      iv. Kelsey at some point
   d. I Love Salisbury Cleanup- Saturday, Oct 27
      i. Community Service
   e. Coffee Hours
   f. Sports
      i. Women’s Soccer Tomorrow at 4
      ii. Volleyball tomorrow at 11am
   g. SOAP
      i. Thursday – George Watsky – Fireside at 7pm
      ii. Monday – Cristela Alonzo – Holloway – 8pm

4. Graduate Summit Wrap-up
a. Faculty/Staff share the view that Grads are over looked  
b. Positive feedback / energy from faculty/staff

5. Breakfast with the Student Regent-Wrap-up  
a. Every committee open to undergrad, must be open to grad  
b. New fees or raising fees- students have to be able to voice an opinion

6. Other

7. GIS  
a. GIS is completely online (minus 2 classes during summer)  
b. Still pay same fees, even though it is online (even those international students)  
   i. Opt out of certain things? Like gym, etc. How do you qualify for opt out?

8. Rescheduling?  
a. Alternating days would allow for other people to go who can’t  
   i. Alternate like Tues and Thurs?  
   ii. Talk to res life see when they’re interested in coming?

9. Going to speak to grad classes? – Talk more when we have list of classes