

GSC Meeting
September 11, 2012

1. Welcome

- a. **YAY Andrew is PR!!!**

2. Homecoming

3. GA Stipends

- a. **Recap on GA stipend situation**
- b. **A lot of schools have health care options – we might want to work on this**
- c. **What do we need to do?**
 - i. **Get additional information (See excel spreadsheet... cost of living, # of GA's, where is money coming from, etc...)**
 - ii. **Look at aspirational peers/ where students go (Lauren do Google Doc and send to everyone)**
 - 1. **TCNJ - Vanice**
 - 2. **Rowan - Lauren**
 - 3. **Appalachia State - Julia**
 - 4. **Truman State - Lubi**
 - 5. **James Madison - Lubi**
 - 6. **Towson - Adam**
 - 7. **Frostburg - Davyeon**
 - 8. **Loyola – Kelsey**
 - 9. **UMBC - Andrew**
 - 10. **William and Mary - Telecia**
 - 11. **ODU - Kyle**
 - 12. **Washington College - Julia**
 - iii. **Talk to our bosses – if possible – Faculty/Staff support**
 - 1. **It would cause an increase in money from the department**
 - iv. **More GA support**

1. It is affecting them too.
2. Need outreach to other GA's.

4. Committees

a. Research

b. Social - Julia look into whether we can have alcohol on our field trips

- i. Thursday Sept 20 6pm – Pemberton Coffee House – Brew Review - \$20
- ii. Punkin Chunkin – Nov 2-4 - \$10 parking \$10 ticket
- iii. Renaissance Festival – Every Sat and Sunday – Group Rate
- iv. Boomerang Tour – Party bus in a school bus in DC - \$25 per person 16 per bus
- v. 60 days of insanity at Maggs
- vi. Caps games – **LETS DO IT VERSUS THE FLYERS** – prices vary, but there is group packaging, etc. - \$109-280
 1. Send out an email to find interest
- vii. Nats v Phillies – Oct 1-2 - \$9-25
- viii. SU Football vs Wesleyan – Saturday at 1pm
- ix. Happy hour? – Uno's Grad Night?
- x. Homecoming Weekend – See poster
 1. LAUREN TALK TO ALUMNI HOUSE SEE IF WE CAN DO A "TAILGATE"
 2. Need a designated driver – School van?
- xi. Board Game Night

c. Public Relations

5. New Issues

- a. 1-4 in the Worcester Room – Sept 20 – Graduate Summit
- b. SU Alumni Breakfast for those who work at SU – Monday Oct 8, 730am-1100am – Have to RSVP