

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