

Date: 1/24/2019

Location: Slivka

RCB Full Board Meeting

Start Time: 6:01

Members Absent: Charlotte, Bassel, Mallory, Anna, Adam

1. Review
 - a. Reading of the Minutes
2. Executive and Advisor Updates
 - a. Joseph (VP of Academic Affairs)
 - i. Rob Arthur Event confirmed! Feb 19th
 1. McCormick Foundation Center / McCormick Tribune Center
 - a. Talk begins at 7pm!
 - i. Light food and drink available beforehand on your way in
 - ii. Topic: ***“How The Gutting of the Voting Rights Act Led to Hundreds of Closed Polls”***
 1. Link!
https://news.vice.com/en_us/article/kz58qx/how-the-gutting-of-the-voting-rights-act-led-to-closed-polls
 - b. Shannon (VP of Social Affairs)
 - i. Roller skating party! (2/8, 2/10, 2/15, 2/17)
 - ii. RC social chairs are coming together to do a speed dating/speed friendship event! I'm helping them with food + advertising
 - c. Charlotte (VP of Philanthropic Affairs)
 - i. Found some animal shelters and looking at March 10
 - d. Benjy (VP of Public Relations)
 - i. Getting Syllabus info together by the 4th
 - e. Mallory (VP of Financial Affairs)
 - i. No updates
 - f. Danielle and Nat (VP of Inter College Relations)
 - i. Thank you to everyone who came out for the Snow Day on Saturday!
 - ii. Have one IRC event by 2/14 :)
 - iii. Available IRC Events:
 1. Hobart, Game Night, Tuesday at 6 pm
 - 2.
 - iv. Log IRC events here (date, event name, res colleges)

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1. 1/23, Bechdel Test Fireside, Hobart and CRC
2. 1/18 Hindi Film Flick, Shepard and Slivka

g. Peter (President)

- i. Artfest tentatively 2/26
- ii. Will be sending out Art submission form this weekend
- iii. Elections will be tentatively starting 2/9 with the election of the president. Presidential candidates are only those currently on fullboard. Election interest dinner is being planned for next Saturday; we'll give you more detail of when/where soon.
- iv. Fullboard meetings - --next meeting will be at ISRC

h. Nancy (Advisor)

- i. Thanks to residential college folks who participated in our recent **New Fellow Book event/reception** hosted at Willard's Great Room on **Jan. 22**.
- ii. **National Residential Hall Honorary "OTMs"** - NU's chapter of NRHH is heavily focused on creating a culture of recognition and service on campus. One of their programs is known as "OTMs" ("Of the Months"). Each month students are nominated for great work in the residence halls and a winner is selected. Those who win receive a gift. The nomination form can be found [here](#) and there is more information about the program on [NRHH's website](#). Feel free to consider recognizing a student leader or highly engaged resident contributing to your community.
- iii. **Update from Brad**, postponing RCB visit today: Unfortunately, he doesn't have any news to report to RCB so he won't attend tonight's meeting, but would like to attend next week. He replied to an email from Mallory about his attendance today: *"Unfortunately, I do not have any news to report to RCB so I will not be attending tonight's meeting. I had sincerely hoped based on some signals from on high that this would be the week when a decision was communicated. My request for an agenda slot was an attempt to be proactive and ensure that I could get RCB information as soon as possible and field questions. If you can pencil me in for next week, that would be great. I apologize for the inconvenience of agenda revisions and unfulfilled expectations."*
- iv. *Thurs., Jan. 31 - please note will be absent to due another NU cross-RC event (fabulous Russian music program) at Pick-Staiger, NU orchestra.*

3. Presidential Updates

a. Bassel (Ayers CCI)

- i. Fireside with the Farley Center occurring right now (details in last two agendas).

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- ii. CCI getting a TV!
 - iii. Found a way to reserve tables for Fellows Lunches at Sargent during peak lunch times.
 - iv. Working on elections and transition materials, let's see what Brad has to say about that.
- b. Hunter (CCS)
- i. Appointed chairs for this quarter
 - ii. Morty fireside next week
 - iii. Questions about nonres dues: They haven't come in yet? RK: They come around Valentine's day JR: thought it was in the spring **NA: will check on it**
- c. Anna (CRC)
- i.
- d. Kim (Chapin)
- i. Snowtocol did happen, thank you Shepard for snowballing with us.
 - ii. We had a cool munchies with Ben Gorvine last week that may have not been mentioned here before
 - iii. Moving forward with election even though we? Don't? Know?
- e. Eleanor (Hobart)
- i. Bechdel Test Fireside, inter-RC with CRC last night
 - ii. Game Night/National Puzzle Day, next Tuesday 1/29 from 6 to 7 pm, other RCs welcome!
 - iii. ASG Resolution: passed with an amendment to make it more inclusive of non-binary students. This is all the info I have on the topic. (I can help on this - Kim, [link here](#) - amendment in red)
- f. Jenna (ISRC)
- i. Kind of holding back on doing a lot until we hear about RCB, but after hearing the news that there is no news, we'll probably just continue as if nothing is going to happen
 - ii. Business as usual (firesides, events, etc)
- g. Sachin (PARC)
- i. Formal Planning
 - ii. Elections Earlier, probably
 - iii. Can RC's get SFIG? **Can check but probably not because we already have budgets**
- h. Jakob (Shepard)

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- i. @Eleanor, Shepard is intrigued
 - ii. Nothing else of note.
 - i. Rachana (Slivka)
 - i. Elections this weekend
 - ii. Andreas Bugler is our new Facilities chair for the rest of winter quarter,
andreasbugler2022@u.northwestern.edu
 - j. Adam (Willard)
 - i.
4. Discussion
- a. Encourage people to run for RCB Exec

End Time: 6:22