

**Residence Hall Association  
General Meeting  
November 16, 2016  
UC 259**

**I. Call to Order (7:00 PM)**

Anna called this meeting to order at 7:00 PM.

**II. Roll Call (7:01 PM)**

- What's your favorite thing about Thanksgiving?

Executive Board: 7/7

NRHH: 2/2

Arey/Fricker: 4/4

Cambridge/Fox Meadows: 2/4

Wells: 5/8

Clem/Benson: 2/4

Goodhue: 0/1

Knilians/Wellers: 0/4

Lee/Bigelow: 4/4

Starin: 1/3

Tutt/Fischer: 3/4

**III. Activity (7:04 PM)**

Shauna will be presenting - make small hand turkey's, write one thing you are thankful for and then decorate it however you wish

**IV. Approval of the Minutes (7:12 PM)**

- November 9, 2016

Motion: Paige

Second: Aleicia

Consent: Maricela

The minutes from November 9, 2016 have been approved.

**V. LIT Reports (7:12 PM)**

Arey/Fricker: Recycling program in December to raise awareness for being eco-friendly

Cambridge/Fox Meadows: Friends giving coming up, food and pie with a chance to socialize

Wells: RA Appreciation month and Jitters take over will be Thursday night so come and visit  
Wells LIT

Clem/Benson: Wrote OTM's at the last meeting and went over all usual business

Goodhue: No representative present

Knilians/Wellers: No representative present

Lee/Bigelow: Taking over Jitters night soon and another program coming up with mug decorating and other activities

Starin: Pie your RA next week, must donate a nonperishable food item or money in order to pie an RA

Tutt/Fischer: November Thanksgiving program with the Diversity Advocates after break

## **VI. Old Business (7:15 PM)**

- Hack-a-Thon

Discussion: Cambridge/Fox was for \$500 sponsorship, Arey/Fricker liked the idea, as did Clem/Benson, Wells thinks it is a great opportunity and willing to sponsor the \$500, Starin was for it and Tutt/Fischer was for it.

Motion: Rachel

Second: Bill

With a vote of 23-0-7 the motion to sponsor Hack-a-Thon with \$500 donation has been approved.

## **~~VII. Guest Speakers~~**

## **~~VIII. New Business~~**

## **IX. Executive Reports (7:20 PM)**

President: Hello everyone! I'm looking forward to seeing everyone's talents and Whitewater's Got Talent Auditions these next few days, come show of your stuff! Have a happy Thanksgiving Break and see you in a couple weeks!

Vice President: This week the Out of the Blue Care Packages arrived and I am busy sorting and getting ready to distribute them. They should be out to all the resident halls by Thursday no later than Friday.

Executive Assistant: Hello, hello everyone! I have been working on keeping the office organized as the delegation has been getting ready for GLACURH, care packages have been coming in and Whitewater's Got Talent is starting up. **I saw there was confusion on the resource books that were handed out last week, the purpose of them are to give RHA representatives an idea of what RHA, it includes information on meetings, the budget and this years EBoards information as well as our constitution. Current reps can look through this and it is**

**available for anyone else interested in what RHA does. You may also add any other information you feel necessary, such as the minutes from RHA meetings or minutes from your own LIT, past programs, and so on. If you have any other questions, please contact me.** Also, as usual, please see me after the meeting if I did not swipe your Hawkcard for attendance and if your name is spelled wrong.

NCC: This week I've been working on getting ready for GLACURH. The winner of the pop tab war is Wellers! So they'll be getting their check in the next week or so. Again, I'm looking for people to be part of the bid committee and help prepare a conference. If you are interested or have questions please contact me at [ncc@uww.edu](mailto:ncc@uww.edu) or come visit me during my office hours in goodhue 228 Monday and Wednesday 1-3:30.

Co-Programmers:

Becca: This week I have been working on Whitewater's Got Talent. Auditions are Thursday, November 16 from 8-10 and Monday, November 21 from 6-8 in Jitters. Walk-ins are welcome. Those who audition will be emailed in the days following Monday's auditions. The main event is December 5 starting at 7. Also, this week I have been working on some of the details of Lil Sibs weekend.

Marisa: I have been working on Whitewater's Got Talent auditions and have started working on future programs.

Marketing Coordinator: This week I have been working on the poster for Whitewater's Got Talent. I also put together the ice breaker for this week's meeting and got the voting jar together. The results from last week's vote show that the majority of you are looking forward to Thanksgiving rather than Black Friday.

#### **X. Advisor Reports (7:23 PM)**

Christina: Have a good break next week.

Janet: No updates

#### **XI. NRHH Report (7:24 PM)**

Tim: Thank you to everyone who went to Culver's tonight. The deadline for the nominees application has been extended to Friday night at midnight. If you have any questions, please email [nrhh@uww.edu](mailto:nrhh@uww.edu).

#### **XII. WSG Report (7:26 PM)**

Keeley: Tomorrow is the "It's On Us" campaign for sexual assault awareness. You can still buy your shirt in the WSG office (located in CLD in the Warhawk Connection Center) for \$5 dollars,

either cash or purple points are accepted. If you have not yet met your representatives, there are meetings specifically for that purpose coming up.

### **XIII. Jitters Report (7:28 PM)**

Erin: A lot is going on in Jitters! Drink of the Month is Sugar Cookie, open mic night is tonight 8-10pm for any kind of talent you would like to showcase, and we have LIT's taking over the kitchen.

Q: Lee/Bigelow was not able to have a shift leader and was cancelled last minute by not showing up? A: Jitters is aware of the situation and has spoken with the shift leader that did not show up

Q: How do we know in advance if the kitchen is open? A: Go to [uwwjitters.org](http://uwwjitters.org) click on the volunteer schedule tab, if the day is red - we are closed, if it is blue - we are open.

General meetings are on Sundays at 8 PM in Jitters. Every LIT should have a representative that should attend meetings or email Jitters at [jitters@uww.edu](mailto:jitters@uww.edu) to get an update on what they missed. LITs should also be signing up for a couple of shifts to volunteer.

### **XIV. ~~External Committees~~**

### **XV. ~~Internal Committees~~**

### **XVI. ~~Issues/Food Comments~~**

### **XVII. Final Thoughts (7:30 PM)**

Erin: An addition NRHH update, we are hosting LIT Workshops during every LIT meeting to show how to write an OTM and explain the program. The LIT/hall that writes the most OTM's in November will receive cookies and hot chocolate in an upcoming meeting!

Q: What is an OTM? A: An OTM is an Of the Month and basically recognized someone or a group on campus that did something great within that month.

Q: Can only LIT members write OTM's? A: No! Anyone on campus can write an OTM, so encourage your friends and floormates or anyone on campus to write an OTM!

Shauna: Last week's voting jar results were Thanksgiving beat Black Friday.

Haley: Whitewater Polar Plunge Registration is open! It is on February 11th. I am considering making a RHA team so talk to me after the meeting or email me if you are interested or would just like more information about the event.

Snaps!

To Shauna and Becca for coming to support NRHH tonight at Culver's!

To Josh for having a great hat!

To Jagar for being fine!

To Erin & Tim for delivering food at Culver's tonight!

**XVIII. Adjournment (7:33 PM)**

Motion: Maricela

Second: Bill

Consent: Paige

The meeting is adjourned at 7:33 PM.

There is no meeting next week, November 23rd due to Thanksgiving break. Have a happy and safe break!