

**Residence Hall Association
General Meeting
November 2, 2016
UC 259**

I. Call to Order (7:00 PM)

II. Roll Call (7:00 PM)

Eboard: 7/7

NRHH: 2/2

Arey/Fricker: 4/4

Cambridge/Fox Meadows: 2/4

Wells: 2/8

Clem/Benson: 3/4

Goodhue: 0/1

Knilians/Wellers: 0/4

Lee/Bigelow: 4/4

Starin: 1/3

Tutt/Fischer: 1/4

III. New Building Discussion (7:01 PM)

Molly: Student Housing throughout UW-System. Paul, design architect, Kate, interior design

#1) How should the new residence hall support the mission of University Housing?

Some ideas and comments that were brought up: Really accessible for all students, study as well as living, community feel, comfortable - not popcorn ceilings, gender inclusive, LGBT friendly, change with the times, good wifi connection, doors on the showers, highlight different cultures, Sink to wash dishes on the floor (example in Arey), toilets with dual flush, dyson hand dryers (like Hylands), easy to use stoves, quiet study rooms, laundry room tables, more tv's in common areas, more washers and dryers, soft carpeting, outside lightening, ethernet on opposite sides of the bed - not enough ports in Lee, kitchens - more than one, thicker walls, outlets at different heights, air conditioning

#2) What makes a succesful residence hall community?

Some ideas and comments: Love the link, marker boards - big, long hallways vs. cubes, big common area lounge with kitchen, separate baking areas, A/F makes them feel welcomed, different color on every floor, love color, tall ceilings in Starin, put the front door and front desk where people will use it, better front desk storage for mail and packages, swipe access would be nice, make is so they can't lock themselves out, keep doors open, slamming doors, electronic access

Picture Association Activity: pick a non-architectural picture and explain why this photo or image stood out to you.

Thoughts: position building in line with sidewalks, super harsh lights - maybe dimmer switch, indoor plants and windows, want to "go home", relaxing, accent color wall, minimalistic, fireplace in common room, cork board walls, display case for the RA's on each floor - is behind some sort of protection, more security camera's

IV. Approval of the Minutes (7:52PM)
-October 19, 2016

Motion: Rachel
Second: Katie
Consent: Paige

V. LIT Reports (7:52 PM)

Arey/Fricker: October Fest was fun with good turn out.
Cambridge/Fox Meadows: Pimp your pumpkin went well, we discussed how to improve for next program
Wells: Jitters House party and costume contest on Monday
Clem/Benson: Relax and treat to promote for LIT
Goodhue:
Knilians/Wellers:
Lee/Bigelow: Big a yoo event with ice turn out
Starin: Horror in the Halls yesterday
Tutt/Fischer: Sunday night Halloween party and turned out well.

VI. Old Business (7:55 PM)
-Non-Traditional Student Week

Starin: For it.
Arey/Fricker: For it.
Motion: Bill
Second: Keeley
Consent: Erin

VII. Guest Speakers

VIII. New Business

IX. Executive Reports (7:56 PM)

President: Hello RHA! This week I had a really fun time when I stopped by Horror in the Halls yesterday so thanks for coming to that. I have been working on SUFAC funding and some other fundraising activities as well as some other small projects. Hope you all have a great week!

Vice President: This week I am working on the presentation for the SUFAC hearing this Friday, November 4, 2016 at 7 pm. Care packages were delivered this past week and I am getting ready for the next delivery of care packages coming in a couple of weeks.

Executive Assistant: Greetings y'all. Per usual, if you need a name card or there is a spelling error, please let me know after the meeting. If you did not swipe your ID on the way in, please see me. Otherwise, I have been working on resource books for representatives and LIT's which I will be reviewing with an advisor tomorrow and hopefully am ready to go next meeting! If there is anything you would like to see within these resources, please let me know!

NCC: Hi All, WURHA applications are now open until the 28th of November. I'm trying to put together an internal committee for recognition bids for WURHA. I'm looking to find people to help me organize a conference, known as French Dip, for April 21st-22nd. The elections for the NCC elect will be coming up at the beginning of next semester. If you want to know more or you are interested in any of these opportunities, please do not hesitate to e-mail me at ncc@uww.edu

Co-Programmers:

Becca: This week, I worked on preparing for Trick or Treating in Wells Hall, which took place on Sunday. I also have been preparing for Horror in the Halls in Starin Hall, which took place on Tuesday. Now, I am preparing for Whitewater's Got Talent. I sent an email out this week to collect interest for auditions.

Marisa: I've been working on Whitewater's Got Talent and Horror in the Halls.

Marketing Coordinator: This week I designed the poster for the Whitewater's Got Talent Auditions. Be sure to come audition and show us your awesome talents! The results of the voting jar from last meeting was Apple Cider-11 and Hot Chocolate-21. Congrats to those who voted for Hot Chocolate!

X. Advisor Reports (7:58 PM)

Jack: Thank you for those who went to Boxes and Walls and those who volunteered

Christina: Yield to redundancy

XI. NRHH Report (7:58 PM)

Tim: LIT OTM workshops are coming up will be during LIT meetings. Someone coming into every LIT meeting to show how to write an OTM. Nominations are open, applications will be sent out in a month.

Criteria for membership: 1. Have lived at least two semesters in (a) collegiate residence hall(s). 2. Currently reside in a UW-Whitewater residence hall. 3. Have a 2.5 cumulative collegiate grade point average. 4. Have been active in RHA and/or in the residence halls for at least 1 full semester. (ResLife Involvement).

If you are interested in being nominated for NRHH, talk to a current NRHH member or RA for more information.

XII. WSG Report (7:59 PM)

Keeley: Elections for Senators will end tonight. Anyone wearing Warhawks vote t-shirt can answer voting questions for Election Day. It's On Us Campaign will be selling t-shirts in the UC this week and next week. They are \$5.

XIII. Jitters Report (8:01 PM)

Erin: New drink of the month: Sugar cookie. Until 10PM tonight there is a Glow Party. Coming up: Disney Trivia Night, Open Night, SAGE and bike blender. Make sure you have a LIT representatives coming to Sunday night meetings at 8 PM. Please email jitters@uww.edu if you have any questions.

XIV. External Committees (8:03 PM)

Dining: All access would limit other food options so that is no longer being considered. The drink of the month in Willie's 360 is good. Texting is now up in Uno's! Just give them your number and they will text you when your order is ready instead of yelling it out. Nutrition Event the 8th and 9th in both halls only during lunch with WellHawks, November 17th is Steak and Shrimp Night, November 21st is a Fall Harvest drink.

XV. Internal Committees

XVI. Issues/Food Comments

XVII. Final Thoughts (8:07 PM)

Becca: Thank you for all who came or helped at our programs this past week. Whitewaters Got Talent auditions are in Jitters on Thursday, November 17th from 8-10 PM and Monday, November 21st from 6-8 PM. Email rhaprograms@uww.edu to sign up for a time slot or with any questions that you have.

XVIII. Adjournment (8:08 PM)

Motion: Rachel

Second: Bill

Consent: Erin