



Residence Hall Association
General Assembly Meeting
Wednesday, October 25th, 2017
UC 259 @ 7:00 PM

I. Call to Order (7:02PM)

II. Roll Call (7:03PM)

- a. Question:** What was a vegetable that you hated when you were younger, but enjoy eating now?

Executive Board: 8/8

NRHH: 2/2

Arey/Fricker: 2/4

Cambridge/Fox Meadows: 2/4

Wells: 7/8

Clem/Benson: 1/4

Knilians/Wellers: 1/4

Lee/Bigelow: 1/4

Starin: 1/3

Tutt/Fischer: 1/4

III. Approval of the Minutes (7:10PM)

Motion: Georgie (Maddy Knaack)

Second: Mermaid Man (Madi Carlson)

**The RHA Minutes from October 18th were approved.

IV. LIT Reports (7:10PM)

Arey/Fricker: Food, Boo's, and Scary Things Too! Thursday, October 26th at 7:00 p.m. Caramel apples, door dec decorating, and a costume contest.

Cambridge/Fox Meadows: We have been finalizing everything for our upcoming program. It will be October 30th at 5:00 p.m. Painting and carving pumpkins, and we will have caramel apples!

Wells: Our pumpkin painting program will be Thursday, October 26th in Jitters. We also discussed desk decorating and the funds for our new ping pong table.

Clem/Benson: We discussed our upcoming programs. Door decorating and a Halloween Bash. Our Jitters take over will be December 4th. Our door decorating contest is happening NOW and our Halloween bash will be October 31st from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m.

Knilians/Wellers: Discussion of Halloween programs/upcoming programs. In the process of planning our Jitters take over.

Lee/Bigelow: Our past program was Treat Night, which was Sunday, October 22nd, at 8:00 p.m. Many people came to the event! Lots of positive feedback given from the team members and the people that came. Next time, we will consider making the event a bit longer. Our Jitters take over is scheduled for November 17th.

Starin: We have planned a Halloween Craft Night for October 25th, at 8:30 p.m. Our upcoming program will be Starin Cribs.

Tutt/Fischer: Discussion of Halloween programs/upcoming programs. In the process of planning our Jitters take over.

Old Business (7:13PM)

We did not have enough people to meet quorum, so we will vote next week about the UMR Philanthropy and donation boxes. Again, please take back to your LITs for discussion. Let's try to meet quorum next week! 😊

Guest Speakers (7:18PM)

- NRHH/Food Drive: Jessica Liebeck, program coordinator for NRHH. We want to collect some nonperishable food items before Thanksgiving and

send it to the Whitewater food pantry. Asking for donation bins in the Residence Halls! Please bring this back to your LITs for discussion!

V. Executive Reports: (7:19PM)

Joe, President: Talked with our amazing partners at the Red Cross with the board about boosting our numbers for the next drive. Come up with some ideas with your LITs on how to encourage giving blood in your halls.

Rachel, Vice President: This week I sorted and delivered the care packages, had a meeting with Max about the new position/budget, and made the LIT rotation spreadsheet.

Emily, Executive Assistant: This week, I finished all of your name placards! If your name is misspelled, or if you need your name printed out for a placard, come see me after our meeting. Erin and I worked on incentive prizes for general assembly members. Spirit points for members and Ras are posted on OrgSync. I am working on keeping track of attendance too. Last, and most exciting, we are proud to announce RHA's partnership with the Red Cross! Planning a drive coming up in January. Interest? See me after the meeting if you need to get your card swiped.

Erin, NCC: I've been prepping with the GLACURH delegation. I have finally made promotional purchases and the FBC Presentation (which I will present during the meeting).

Scott and David: Co Programmers: We have been finalizing everything for the Community Trick or Treat event in Wells. The event will happen this Sunday from 5-7 pm. If you are still interested in volunteering for the event please contact us if you have not signed up. Also, we are setting up the details for Whitewater's Got Talent. Auditions will be held on November 20th and 21st from 7:30-9:30 and the final competition will be on December 4th. Keep your eyes out regarding sign – ups and further details.

Aleicia, Marketing Coordinator: This week, I finished Whitewater's Got Talent posters and assembly book cover. I also considered turning the website's photo gallery into a slideshow. Reminder that the polls are being posted on Twitter (@UWWRHA), and like us on Facebook (Residence Hall Association (RHA)) for updates or news on meetings and upcoming programs.

Advisor Reports (7:28PM)

Nick: Homecoming is coming up next week! Save By the Bell Study Night, October 30th, from 6-10 pm. Prizes and snacks! Friday, November 3rd is Purple Pride Day. Wear purple to show your Warhawk spirit!

Dan: Just a reminder, there will be lots of kids and families in Wells on Sunday. Please be appropriate and set good examples. Take the suckers and care packages back to your LITs please!

Christina: Thanks for coming tonight! It's starting to get cold, so thank you for making the trek over. Have a fun and safe weekend and Halloween!

VI. NRHH Report (7:31PM)

- a. Food drive donations for NRHH! Nominations/voting are closed for now. PLEASE submit OTMs!!! We are thinking about starting an OTM committee. Any questions, or interest in this, contact: NRHH@uww.edu This committee would meet at the end of the month, and it's all dependent on how many OTMs are submitted.

VII. WSG Report (7:33 PM)

- a. **Aaron Kosma:** Tomorrow (Thursday) we are wearing It's on Us t-shirts. We will be selling them in the UC for \$5. There will be a vigil at 6:00 p.m.

VIII. Jitters Report (7:34 PM)

- a. Thank you for approving our volunteer swag request! Nov 14th will be the date for our next program. W/K and C/FM have set up their Jitters Take Over! Please email us ASAP to schedule your take over, because dates will fill up fast.

IX. Internal Committees (7:36PM)

- a. Lots from the dining committee:
 - i. Dining services just received the shipment of vegetarian and vegan options.
 - ii. There is a lack of French fries in Olive, because they are opting for a healthy, Mediterranean feel.
 - iii. New options at Einstein's! Keep your eye out.
 - iv. Smoked Brisket and Ribs night at Drumlin and Esker (in place of Steak and Shrimp).
 - v. There will be improved signage for Meal Plans/My Meals around campus.
 - vi. Gluten Free options available at Olive! Pizza too!

- vii. The ice machine at P Street will be fixed!
- viii. Lids are back on the soups at Drumlin!
- ix. Starbucks just got a new latte machine. Still working out the mechanics of it.
- x. Please let dining services know of issues/concerns as soon as possible.
- xi. Soy Milk machine is still not cleaned.
- xii. Ras: Dining services are taking into consideration and reading your responses.
- xiii. Thinking about moving the food truck. Thoughts on a possible place?

X. Issues/Food Comments (7:43PM)

- a. The Apollo at Erbs is great!
- b. The CA Sup Shop is awesome!
- c. Starbucks takes meal plans! This is great, and convenient.

XI. Final Thoughts (7:45 PM)

- a. Snaps! Come visit the eBoard during office hours to see the snap wall.
- b. Keep in mind the proposed drives! We want to decide on these as soon as we can.
- c. Joe: Thank you everyone for coming! We really appreciate you guys taking the time to come even though it is starting to get cold out!

XII. Adjournment (7:57PM)

Motion: Dylon

Second: Sarah

Consent: Max

**Meeting adjourned at 7:56 p.m.