



RHA Minutes

Date 04/14/21

Zoom

- * Call to Order
- * Roll Call/Ice Breaker - Wells
- * Hall-Highlight – Wells 7:07
 - Largest building on campus, has Jitters, and University Fitness
 - Housing Staff:
 - Justin Dickerson – Wells East Complex Director
 - Becca Groves – Wells West Complex Director
 - Naeelah Chism – Wells East Assistant Complex Director
 - Julia Blando – Wells West Assistant Complex Director
 - LIT Members:
 - Maddie – Secretary, just became an RA, congratulations!
 - Matthew – RHA Rep
 - Julissa – Program Coordinator
 - Miles – Finance and Recruitment Coordinator
 - Mackenzy – Program Coordinator
 - Travis – RHA Rep
 - Katie – RHA Rep
 - Emily – RHA Rep and Marketing Coordinator
- * Approval of the Minutes – 04/07/21
 - Motion made by Brooke P.
 - Seconded by Katie G.
 - Consent Called
- * LIT Reports 7:19
 - Arey/Fricker
 - On Tuesday April 13th, we hosted a pot painting and planting program that was very successful. Our next program is a window decorating competition that starts on Monday May 3rd
 - Benson/Cambridge
 - No report
 - Knilans/Wellers
 - Are You Smarter Than Your RA – Cancelled
 - Co-op with a few RAs to play volleyball at 4pm on Thursday, April 15th
 - Egg Hunt - All day on Friday, April 9th
 - Where's LP? - New Warhawk weekly
 - Monday April 12th - planting event (co-op with first floor RA of Knilans)
 - Pie-in-the-Face event – Friday, April 30th, time TBD

- Lee/Bigelow
 - On Monday, April 12th, we had our Muffin in a Mug program. It was successful and delicious. Thursday, April 15th from 5:30-6:30pm, we will have a table set up outside of Drumlin for the International Dinner highlighting African countries. That same night we will also have grab and go bags set out for residents to take while as they leave for Spring Break!
- Ma'iingan
 - We hosted an End of the Year social event outside with ice cream, snacks, and games. Had a good turn out about 30 people we were happy to see everyone.
- Starin
 - On Wednesday, April 14th, we hosted our plant program at 5pm and gave away all 40 plants in under an hour.
- Tutt/Fischer
 - No report
- Wells
 - Mario Kart Program on Wednesday, April 28th at 8:30pm in Jitters.
 - Last Night we had our Field Day program which was super successful with 68 people! We are currently planning two programs for the end of the semester. Tie-Dye Time, which will be on Tuesday, April 27th from 5-7 PM in the grass area between Wells West and Wellers. We will have dye and some shirts, socks, and masks for people, but you can also bring your own! We are also planning our second Spring into Sustainability program since the first one went so well. We will have plants, and people should bring a recycled container to plant them in. This will be on Tuesday, May 4th from 6-7PM on the sidewalk between Wells West and Knilans.
- ✳ Executive Reports 7:24
 - Lisa
 - Last week I worked on making agendas and attended WSG as normal. In addition, I also spoke about what RHA's April plans are at WSG last Monday. I also tried to attend some of the many programs last week, like Crack Da Can, Proud Parent Tingz, Scribble it up, And I. AM. Bunny. I also dealt with the Buttons situation, those who were in the office with me last week, now know that buttons are now my weakness. Speaking of programs, this week is Sustainability week, and WSG has had amazing programs. On Tuesday they had Trash Pick-Up around campus, and today they had Reusable Bag Decorating. Tomorrow they doing a prairie tour at 5pm starting at Hoffman Memorial Kiosk.
 - Ben

- This last week I have been working a lot on RHA's 1st Annual Goosechase Scavenger Hunt. If you are interested in participating the sign up is available now. Here is the link to the form to sign up: <https://tinyurl.com/uwwgoosechase>. All the game rules and instructions will be located on this form. You can participate in teams of 2 to 4 and the questions will give you clues to go to different locations on campus. There are a total of 50 questions and 25 geo check-in locations. Happy Hunting! This week I also attended a couple of the programs from "Programs That Did Not Make the Cut Week", those being the rock paper scissors night and the coloring night outside of Ma'iingan. I also attended the Lee-Bigelow plant program, nice job Lee-Bigelow with your turnout. It was nice getting to see all of you last Thursday.
- Amanda
 - This week we were wrapping up the programs that did not make the cut week by starting a transition report. I also have written 2 OTM's this week alone I was just feeling appreciative. I am working on our next upcoming program, I want to tell you about our upcoming stress relief kit which includes coloring pages, a destroy this book and a few other goodies that will be included in the kits. These kits will be running the week after we get back from spring break. See more information in your emails later.
- Becca
 - This week I worked on the transition report and finished Programs That Did Not Make the Cut Week. I also started to work on an OTM. I also went to the plant night for Starin where we planted plants.
- Abby
 - Hi everyone! Last Thursday, I met with the OTM committee and we selected the OTM winners and honorable mentions. After we decided on those, I got to work on emailing all the winners and writers and creating social media posts. Then, Cole and I got to work on the certificates, and we worked on door decs on Friday morning with the Emily Quamme from OTMs committee. Last week, I also helped with marketing Programs That Didn't Make the Cut Week and attended some of those programs. I worked on my transition report this week. I also attended the Wells LIT Field Day last night and the A/F painting and planting program earlier today and both were lots of fun! Both LITs did an awesome job!
- Andrea
 - This past week Ben and I put the final touches on the scavenger hunt. We finalized questions, game rules, and created a handful of email drafts.

Along with the scavenger hunt, I took and edited the minutes. I also had my contract review and release team meeting.

✿ Advisor Reports 7:29

○ Cole

- Please remember that COVID Testing is open all week during Spring Break, Monday-Friday with their normal hours of operation.
 - Please remember that if you are staying on-campus during Spring Break that you still are required to get tested.
- Question: What about if you are not staying on-campus?
 - If you are not staying on-campus at all during Spring Break, please email your Complex Director directly and inform them.
 - If you are not staying on-campus, you do not need to be tested per the university mandate.

○ Matt

- Reception of Excellence
 - 58 nominations, 11 more than the last year!
 - I will be emailing you in the next couple weeks if you have been nominated for an award.
 - ROE Website: -- Monday, May 3rd @ 7:15pm
 - <http://uwwrha.org/2021-reception-of-excellence/>

○ Maria

- I just wanted to give an update that we are not hosting a Q&A this evening. If you did not see the email that went out today from me, we are extending the application deadline for elections until April 23rd and will be beginning elections April 26th. We did not receive enough applications for elections to move forward, so I highly encourage you to apply for an e-board position talk it up to your friends and people on your floor and encourage them to apply, too! We are looking for enthusiastic, creative people with some hustle to make next year amazing! We are, currently, tabling the Q&A because on the 28th Frank Bartlett, the Executive Director of University Housing is coming to give updates on the budget, and Terry Tumbarello the Director of Residence Life is coming to seek some input from RHA on a few items. So again, please reach out to me if you are interested in running for an RHA position and please shoulder tap anyone you think would make a good e-board member.

✿ Whitewater Art Alliance – Public Art Project 7:35

- <https://www.whitewaterarts.org/public-art-project>
- The Public Art Project is an annual event/exhibition developed and managed by the WAA that encourages Whitewater community members to participate in an

art-creating activity to better the community. There is a different theme each year and this year, our theme is “Whitewater’s Heroes of the Covid-19 Pandemic”.

- Your job would be to decorate the paper hearts with whatever decoration materials you have on hand and return them to us. Organizations are encouraged to make their hearts creative, whimsical, colorful, and fun! The WAA will take care of material drop off and delivery of the hearts.
- * MD Productions Show April 24th at 3PM to April 25th at 3PM, available for 24 hours
 - Gruesome Playground Injuries:
 - <https://virtualbipoc.anywheresat.com/channel.php>
- * OTM Committee 7:40
 - Abby Daniels - THE PRD
 - Had 8 OTMs submitted for March, working on getting certificates and door decks for writers/receivers.
- * UC Committee 7:44
 - Elevator will be under construction over spring break, construction may continue once we come back, people will be redirected to the freight elevator.
- * WSG Report
 - No report
- * Jitters Report 7:45
 - Logo competition to create Jitters’ new logo! Prize for the person’s whose logo will be picked. Abby Daniels will be joining the Jitters exec board next year! Closed during finals weeks and spring break. Working on volunteer recognition if you have questions jitters@uww.edu
 - Blueberry Lemon Latte
 - Dirt Cake Shake – with gummy worms
 - Lemonade slushie
- * RA Report 7:47
 - Volleyball game at 4pm on Thursday April 15th with Knilans Wellers and RA Ashley A.
- * Final Thoughts 7:48
 - Snaps
 - You Rock, You Rule
 - Golden Artichoke Winner - LP
- * Adjournment 7:52
 - Motion made by Emily Q.
 - Seconded by Katie G.
 - Consent called
 - Meeting adjourned at

Next Meeting: April 21st, 2021

Theme: SUPERHEROS

Upcoming dates

April OTMs due (May 5th)

Self-care kits (week of April 26th)

Scavenger Hunt (April 29th & 30th)

Reception of Excellence (Sunday May 3rd)