RHA General Council Meeting Minutes
4/23/14

Zipcar Presentation
- Car sharing service that allows you to rent cars by the hour.
- Located in the garages of Capri Apartments
- $7.50-$8.50 an hour, there’s a fee for if you want to use it for the whole day

NRHH Update
Elected their new exec board! Relay for life is coming up on May 17-18, and NRHH has a team that you are welcome to join. It’s called iHope! They had their Anatomy of an Orgasm event last Sunday which went really well!

Funding Slate
Budgetary Update
Residence Hall Support- $1274.25
RHA Sponsored- $100
Other RHA Programming- $1700

Name of the Organization: RHA ELRs
Name of the Event: Glowing Karaoke
Total Cost: $700
Amount Requested from RHA: $700
Date of Event: May 8, 8:00-11:00
Budget Line: Other RHA Programs

Name of the Organization: Aran Schwoebel and Olivia Determan
Name of the Event: Riley Pancake Breakfast
Total Cost: $345
Amount Requested from RHA: $200
Date of Event: May 4rd from 11AM-2PM
Budget Line: Res Hall Support
- Pancake breakfast at Riley in the Riley kitchen
- There will be pancakes and drinks and toppings
- The event is open to all!

Name of the Organization: Residents Presidents
Name of the Event: Hall Olympics Grand Prize
Total Cost: $65
Amount Requested from RHA: $65
Date of Event: May 17
Budget Line: Other RHA Programs
• Want to get a plaque for the winner of the Hall Olympics with multiple spaces for the winners for years beyond. The funding slate was PASSED with a 20-0-0 vote

**TV Policy Update**
We have gotten the go ahead to order 25 out of 36 of the TVs! Some halls like Collier, Henderson, and McClain have issues with the walls so they’re going to need a little more work before they can get TVs. Also, the TVs are now 42 inches with ports on the side and a USB drives, also Housing will be purchasing TVs for all of Barnhart which allowed us to get nicer TVs! Installation will happen as soon as we get them!

**Funding Proposal**
From two weeks ago, want housing to increase social fees for RHA and NRHH for a total of $5 ($3 for RHA and $2 for NRHH) per resident for the whole year. We want to do this to address increasing food costs and increasing costs in general. The vote passed with a 16-3-1 vote.

**Hall Government Updates**
- Carson- want to have a petting zoo come for finals week, also having a Carson clothing exchange event
- Walton North- addressed hall Olympics and LLC block party
- LLC- working diligently on the LLC Block party. Will be requesting money next week!
- Barnhart- finalized their hall Olympic event, the Barnhart Mile. Planning the millrace clean up event, and the equipment will be graciously provided by Housing’s facilities. The event is on the 17th from 11-3
- Ham West- Had a community service event last weekend
- Riley- Pancake breakfast!!! Cleaning up the millrace, sign up at your service center, if you use social media use the hash tag “#millracemess”
- Walton south- talked about hall Olympics and the block party. They want to do a luau and a kickball event
- Ham East- having a pencil drive, to get pencils for needy kids. Having laser tag May 5th, and want to have a stargazing educational event with Dr. Fisher
- Bean West- having a BBQ event soon on the Humpy Lumpy lawn, they’re also going to open the fire doors between the Bean halls. The Staff Rep of Bean West gave props to the efforts of Barnhart and Riley for cleaning up the Millrace
- GSH- finalized their hall Olympic event want to plan a dance called “neon night” with a live DJ next weekend May the 3rd. Also are planning a BBQ
Exec Updates

- Sierra- I have started transitioning the NCC-IT LaDara. We are getting ready for NACURH which is the NACURH Affiliate of College and University Residence Halls. At this conference the new executive board has the opportunity to attend program sessions, cheer, wear spirit attire and represent our university while having a great time.

- Kelly- I just had an ASPAC meeting, which was a joyous time. We are back talking to marketing about the possibility of recording General Council, though we haven't made concrete decisions related to that. Just a heads up, next week the Residence Life Intern, Janet, is coming to General Council, to ask you all some questions for her project. She is really nice, so behave yourselves. Similarly Robin Holmes, who is the Vice President for Student Affairs will be coming to our meeting on May 7th. We will probably run that meeting backwards, with updates first, so she can hear about all you get to do. She only will be with us for about a half an hour, so I wouldn't want to limit her knowledge of RHA by a drawn out Finance Discussion, or Constitution Edits. Constitution edits will also be starting up next week, so that is fun. Transitioning new exec is my mission for the rest of the term, making sure everyone is ready for next year.

- Josh- -The Hall Olympics are happening next week! Everyone should be receiving an email with links to sign up for all the events really soon, if you haven't already! Participate, it will be fun, and there will be prizes, and you get to show hall spirit! Yay! The Spring Leadership Conference is happening May 17 at 1PM in the LLC Performance Hall! Sign up on the RHA website if you're interested in attending and hearing about other opportunities! Have any input on what the InterMingle event at the beginning of the year should look like? I've been attending a meeting on behalf of Housing to give input on changes made to the annual event during Week of Welcome! If you have any ideas for activities or concepts, shoot me an email!

- Tika- Did you know that some violins contain 70 separate pieces of wood? That's a Snapple fact! Also, I really love Minecraft. And I'm working on our allocation for next year. Also make sure that you put your index number and account numbers down when you request money from RHA, otherwise your request will be invalid. I have that power and I will use it.
Natasha- Bowling Night is tomorrow from 8-10, vans leave starting at 7:30 from Hayward field and Barnhart. There will be snacks, drinks, and free pool. Glowing Karaoke is two weeks from Thursday from 8-11PM in the LLC Performance Hall

**Advisor Updates**
There’s a drive in leadership event happening this Friday at WOU, and there are still open spots (2) if you’d like to go. They’re leaving at 9AM, sessions with Tim McMahon the leadership guru and lunch is provided! You’d be done by 3:30, with plenty of time for Friday fun! Your advisor has your index numbers! Also make sure you get all of the emails from the people who want to be on the RHA list serve