PRESIDENT REPORT (Lisa Jackson)
  • Welcome
  • Advanced Transit routing options potentially available through the summer
  • Grad appreciation week
    o April 7-11
    o Looking for grad students groups to host events/activities

NORTH PARK REPORT (Regina Salvat)
  • Pottery recap
    o Low attendance due to poor weather
  • Spring Term Events
    o Roller skating
    o Looking for graduate student suggestions
    o Contact Regina if you have ideas

ACTION/VOTING ITEMS
  • Proposed changes to the constitution and the bylaws
  • Article IV
    o Defining “Executive Board”
    o Creating “Service Committee Chair”
    o Include “Member(s)-at-Large”
      ▪ i.e. Webteam Chair
  • Addition to the Bylaws—article I. Duties of Executive Officers
  • Why not include alongside North Park Activities Coordinator and Graduate Student Activities Coordinator (GSAC)?
  • Potentially appointed by Exec Board and then approved by the general council to serve at the will of the GSC
  • What are the other Ivy League schools doing with regards to the Executive Board?
  • Motion to approve changes to the Constitution and the Bylaws
  • Seconded
  • Discussion—who can vote? Only Exec Board and Department Representatives
  • 27 approve, 1 opposed, 1 objected
  • Approved

FINANCE CHAIR REPORT (Adrienne Perkins-Absents Lisa to Cover)
  • $1538 remaining

VICE PRESIDENT REPORT (Spencer Hatch)
  • IM Basketball playoffs staring
    o Large turnout for the event
  • Organizing a softball league in the Spring
  • Some interested in kickball
    o Meeting for both at 6pm Monday March 10th in 152 Baker
• Readership program
  o Still in the works, to update at a later date

Guest Speaker—Tricia
• Ginger Farewell-Lawrence & Steve LeBlanc
• Healthcare Presentation
• Dartmouth Student Group Health Plan and Health Insurance Options for Students
  o Dartmouth has a self-funded health plan (vs. fully insured)
  o Needs to be in compliance with the Affordable Care Act
  o Needs renewal annually
• Options available to Dartmouth Students
  o <26 can remain on parent’s plan
  o Exchanges/Marketplaces – subsidy if income requirements are met
    ▪ Catastrophic, Bronze, Silver, Gold, Platinum
    ▪ Currently offered by Anthem BCBS
  o Catastrophic Plan available
  o Medicaid—expanded eligibility
  o Individual Health Plan
  o DSGHP—automatically enrolled
    ▪ Overview of waiver questions
  o GSGHP premium comparable to New Hampshire plans with lower deductible
• Why Choose DSGHP?
  o Potentially most affordable
  o Includes travel
  o “wrap around” student services
  o financial aid may be applicable
• Work to improve transparency of information?—yes, working on literature
• Graduated students?—Covers for an additional 6 months after August termination
• Waving the DSGHP does not limit access to Dartmouth health resources
• Waving statistics—approximately 60% UG students and 80% grad students enrolled

ADVISOR’S REPORT (Kerry Landers)
• Poster session at Grad Appreciation Week
  o April 8th
  o March 24th application for presenting are open
• Advisor Tea—opportunity to talk with advisor
  o April 10th 8:30 to 10pm
• Three Grad Office position opening up
  o North Park position (Regina Salvat)
  o Lisa Jackson’s (Media Production Coordinator)
  o Henry Paige (Activities Coordinator)
• Organizing a lunch with the president

STUDENT LIFE CHAIR REPORT (Meg Menon)
• “Let’s Talk” March 21st—Women and Colorism
  o Panel about skin color discrimination
  o Encourage dialogue and inclusivity
  o Interest in speaking—signup sheet being passed around
• “Mastering Money Skills” program: April 3rd, 10th and 17th
  o Coincides with Grad Appreciation week
  o Graduate Forum has event topics and information

GRAD STUDENT ACTIVITES (Henry Paige)
• March 15th—St. Patrick’s Day celebration (~4 to 7pm
  o Coordinating with Salt Hill Pub
  o Advertising this week

ACADEMIC LIFE CHAIR REPORT (Anna Prescott)
• Feb 20th Nerd Nite—successful
• One in early April and May
  o Looking for an increased diversity of departments to be involved
  o Any topics available, even outside research focus
• IDTea Feb hosted by Physics
• March 13th, Thursday
  o MALS to host?
• Looking to host in May
• Question—combining with Thayer’s Tuesday Tea?
• Travel Grant application deadline—April 11th
  o Facebook event set up
  o Online instructions
  o Looking for a travel grant application review
• Timeline for Travel Grants? – within the GSC fiscal year
• Science Day—April 5th
  o 6th to 9th grade students
  o Announcements in the Gazetteer
  o Still looking for grad student volunteers to host activities
  o Looking to include humanities, not just only science departments
  o Centrally delegated, contact Anna Prescott if interested

SERVICE CHAIR REPORT (Marie Onakomaiya)
• Upcoming Events
• Habitat for Humanity build this weekend—email Graduate Relief Team
• April, aim for a Graduate Day of Caring with Geisel
• Future of service—Marie to leave at the end of May
  o Contact Marie if interested in participating in service
• Looking to plan more service events
• Relay for Life coming up in May

SOCIAL CHAIR REPORT (Erin O’Malley & Haofeng Li)
• Spring event, 1st weekend in May
  o Still searching for themes: Kentucky Derby, Spring fling etc.
  o Mix of a dinner and a dance

WEBTEAM CHAIR REPORT (Molly Croteau)
• No items to report
SECRETARY REPORT (Drew Wong)

- Approve February Meeting Minutes
- Motion to approve, seconded
- 32 approve, 0 abstain, 0 object