



Report to Council

April 11, 2013

Community relations:

Video Project

- Getting going again! Molly and Madeline interviewed another neighbourhood resident last week, and we brainstormed on Friday some other elements we'd like to include before it's all finished.

French conversation sessions

- SQ.

Community Engagement Day

- Will be having our first Advisory Committee meeting in May.

Street Teams

- SQ

Community Ambassadors

- They're really great and enthusiastic, but unfortunately no one is really using them! So we need to work on promotion. They're going to put together a poster and fliers to advertise the 'office' hours. We're thinking about them doing office hours outside when the weather is nice, to be more visible.

External affairs:

Education Summit

- Slowly reading things for the chantiers projects

TaCEQ:

Upcoming Meetings

- Had a good, and surprisingly quick, meeting on the 30th in Sherbrook. Patrick was sick, so it was just Sam and I. We discussed the 'chantiers' from the Summit, implementation of the budget cuts at all the campuses, divestment campaigns and set new dates for the General Assembly because no information has gone out about the elections and the second VSG position was created.
- Next meeting is going to be this Sunday by Skype.



Reglements Généraux

- SQ. We talked about it briefly on Saturday but haven't had a meeting recently.

Delegates

- We met last week and they're both interested in helping out a few things once exams are all done, including the media committee, the chantiers, and the Laurent Proulx case.

Finances

- We're in a good position generally, and there were gentle reminders to folks who hadn't paid their latest invoices but for the most part it's all fairly calm.
- We ratified the contract for accounting services on Saturday, so that should be moving forward.

Elections and General Assembly

- Promotional material is being made, and I'll have English versions of the posters soon (if I don't already have them by the time we get to this meeting).
- We've moved the General Assembly back to the 26th.

TaCEQ Reform

- Second VSG position has been officially created. We'll be talking about next steps over the coming weeks.

Campus

Inter-Union Council

- Had a good meeting on Wednesday to debrief from Labour Week. We've decided that we're going to try to do Labour Week in the fall when there are fewer things going on that it could conflict with, and then do the Conference in the spring as a separate event.

Campaigns

- Divest McGill will have presented to CAMSR on Wednesday. So exciting!!
- Becca is working on putting together material about the 3% tuition increase.



Committees

Community Engagement:

- Had a meeting last week to talk about things we could do for the rest of the year, which is basically to contact some of the people who were originally part of it in the Fall and ask if they would like to be involved next year.
- We also chatted about how the Committee and Community Engagement Day can work together to promote the Day, and then collaborate on follow-up events through the rest of the year.

External Affairs

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Respectfully submitted,

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