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SSMU Councillor Reports

March 15, 2012

Meagan Lepitre – PT/OT Representative

Meetings Attended

POTUS Meeting, Feb, 29th

Legislative Council: was not able to attend due to a conflicting midterm

Past POTUS Events

The Canadian Physical Therapy Association visited McGill on February 27th and gave a conference on what the CPA is and health care in Canada. Thanks to our POTUS CPA representatives, we were also given a Wii from the CPA as a present to put in our student lounge which is currently being renovated.

Upcoming POTUS Events

POTUS will be holding a GA during this upcoming week to discuss the student strike and take a vote on whether or not POTUS as a whole will go on strike. On a lighter note, on March 17th, the grad committee is holding its annual fashion show, which will take place at the commission des liqueurs on the plateau. We have many sponsors such as American Apparel, Puma, Bench and more! Tickets are 10\$, 15\$ at the door!

Justin Fletcher – Arts Representative

The substance of my report may change substantially over the upcoming week because of Tuesday's GA, so I can report orally during announcement period if anything major changes.

Past

- AUS Volunteer Week
- AUS Charity Week Councillor Doyle can report.

Current Happenings in the AUS

- Monday, March 12 AUS Candidates' Debate
- Tuesday, March 13 AUS General Assembly
 - o Motion RE: General Strike of the AUS
 - o MOTION RE: The Creation of a Committee on Equity and Dignity
 - o MOTION RE: Creation of an AUS Audit Committee
 - o Resolution RE: Online Ratification for the decisions of the General Assembly
 - o Resolution RE: AUS Spaces
- AUS Election Season: Voting March 15-21 at https://ovs.ssmu.mcgill.ca



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Me-Upcoming

- "Student Space" Survey to be released soon.
- Interest Group Committee

AUS-Upcoming

- March 22 Nuit Blanche
- Events De-stress with the AUS, Cabane AUSucre, The Final Affair (formerly Red and White)

Personal

■ I will be participating in a Korean speech contest in Toronto on March 24! So excited! 이기고 싶어요 ◎

Ian Clarke - Law Representative

■ LSA Referendum results! 56% voter turnout which is awesome.

Question 1: « Êtes-vous favorable à une levée de cours, d'une journée, le 22 mars 2012 ? » OUI (168 (47.1)%) NON (174 (48.7)%) NE PAS ÉMETTRE D'OPINION (15 (4.2)%)

Question 2: « Souhaiteriez-vous voir l'AÉD se livrer à une campagne publique en dénonciation du projet de loi C-10, y compris: une campagne médiatique, des communications avec les membres du Parlement de l'Université McGill, les membres du Sénat et le Ministère de la Justice ainsi que des communications avec des organisations d'étudiantes qui cherchent également à dénoncer le projet de loi C-10? »

OUI (292 (81.8)%)

NON (44 (12.3)%)

NE PAS ÉMETTRE D'OPINION (21 (5.9)%)

- My job this week is to finalize media releases on Bill C-10
- As for the March 22nd strike vote, although it was voted down I'll still be passing on info to students on how to get more info and get involved with the student movement
- Will also have a brief chat with the Dean to discuss the events planned for March 22nd
- Will be communicating with the SSMU and PGSS VP-External to coordinate March 22nd plans
- Two students presented themselves for law senator. Wooo
- Realized that there is much more work left to be done on the financial bylaws then I first thought. Will be scrambling to get the consultation work done prior to next Council meeting, but I am confident that it will get done
- LSA Exec Elections are next week.
- LSA is applying for Faculty of the Year. We challenge all of you to prove how your faculty is more boss than ours.



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Julia Kryluk – Science Representative

- Met with the following departmental councils to get more feedback from science students on issues SSMU deals with: Biochemistry, Physiology, Arts and Science
- Volunteered at the Faculty Olympics events on Thursday and Sunday night; so much fun!
- Participated in Science Green Week's ECOuture Fashion Show; was a big success raised \$1000 for evergreen charity!
- Attended SUS GA, motion to support accessible education was approved
- Held Office Hours
- Did a presentation in support of "Brain Awareness Week" to a grade 6 class in Ville St-Laurent