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Councillor Reports

Reporting for April 11, 2013

Shane Anzovino – Nursing Representative

- Office Hours: still on hold
- NUS meeting: Most of discussion was focused on upcoming elections, and planning Grad party
 - Applied for SSMU faculty of the year award
- Project: Public service announcement Community outreach to help seniors at risk for depression and subsequent suicide.
 - <http://www.youtube.com/LetsReachOut1010>
 - <http://www.youtube.com/TendezLaMain1010>
- NUS Elections huge success! Online voting with 41.9% turnout, with live speeches, pizza was ordered. Post-election celebration was held at Gerts Bar afterwards.

Benjamin Beland – Athletics Representative

SSMU Council Meeting – March 28th

- There was an interesting presentation from Prof. Heather Monroe-Blum who told us a bit about herself and her experience at McGill. She was also kind enough to stick around and answer some questions people had.
- Gave a little report on what I had been up to in the last few weeks – mostly related to Yes Committee stuff.

Varsity Council Meeting – April 2nd

- Big congratulations to those who helped out with the referendum question!
- We were invited to participate in an event hosted by McGill Make-A-Wish called Make-A-Move. It's a 5km run/walk to raise money for the Make-A-Wish foundation in Quebec. Details can be found on their Facebook page
- Rounded up volunteers to help set up for the Athletics Gala (April 11th)
- The main item on the agenda was the reelection/election of varsity council executives. All 4 execs who expressed interest in returning were re-elected (yay!) and those running for the vacant position gave a little blurb about themselves. Results coming soon!

David Chaim – Science Representative

Funding Committee

Continued work on Funding Policy to govern funding committees responsibility

Victor Lam – Arts and Science Representative

Wow! I can't believe it's the last Council session of the year. It's been a pleasure to have worked with my fellow council colleagues, student and full-time staff! Kudos to an awesome year! J



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BASiC - Arts and Science:

- attended BASiC Banquet this past Sunday
- attended Last ArtSci assembly this past Monday
- congratulations to the BASiC executives of 2013-14, and to my successor, Courtney, whom I'm sure will take on even greater initiative next year in this role as an Interfaculty Arts and Science representative!

SASSS:

- had our year end gathering! Hopefully those who applied for next year's exec will take on a superb role!

OIKOS:

- hopefully I get to start working with others in planning for next year's events!

Other:

- Attended Seminar on Canadian Environmental History – managed to have some very in depth conversations with a classmate in Environment

- Easter Weekend
the sun rise!

- Interfaith Council – it is one of SSMU's newest clubs and I attended a dinner where we discussed some of the ways which religious minorities have faced discrimination on campus

- 50 Shades of Green!

Something to check out for the remainder of the year! 50 Shades of Green is the Class Action initiative 2013 initiated by the McGill Alumni and led by student teams, whom are raising funds to erect a green wall in the McLennan library! Check the link below:

<http://aoc.mcgill.ca/class-action-2013-50-shades-green>

This is my last report of the year, as with many of you! Farewell and thanks for all the memories this year! I will be retreating back to beautiful British Columbia for the summer for an internship on sustainable agriculture. Best of luck to all of you, wherever you are heading off to! Take good care of yourself!

Sophia-Maria Giannakakis – PT/OT Representative

I want to thank everyone on council for this awesome year!

POTUS: Attended POTUS meeting on April 3rd. Compiled and gave in my exit document. POTUS is in the process of elections at the moment. Upcoming events of the year include Grad Party and the CPA conference. Announced that we raised 560\$ for Parasports Quebec at the wheelchair basketball tournament!

SSMU: Attended council on March 28th. Very interesting council meeting!

Shannon Rea – Education Representative

Here are a few things that I have done over the past couple weeks:

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- Attended an EdUS Council meeting and an EdUS Executive Council meeting.
- Sat in on the nominating committee meetings to go through applications and pick winners for SSMU Awards.
- In the process of organizing a mentoring program for the newly admitted Education students in the Fall.
- Working on merging models for Field Experiences in the Faculty of Education to better link theory to practice, facilitating discussions/panels next week
- Our last 4a7 is this Thursday in the Education lounge, stop by and say hi.

Farzan Subhani – Engineering Representative

- Meeting with Grad Comm and EEC
- Attended the EUS Volunteers Banquet (looking forward to the SSMU one!)
- Worked on the Flying Club constitution; some amendments on the way
- Attended EUS Council on Wednesday
- Too busy with projects and final reports to do anything else!!!

Geneva Nam – Clubs and Services Representative

- April 3: bylaw review committee
-almost done editing the constitution
April 8: C&S rep meeting
-clubs council
-Services roundtable

Katherine Larson – Music Representative

1. MUSA's referendum period is open and ongoing, can report verbally about the result at council.
2. MUSA is having an end-of-year BBQ on April 12, BEvERages will be served. All are welcome, there will be live music!

Zachary Rosentzweig – Clubs and Services Representative

- Funding Committee: Final tabled applications and appeals coming back around and being dealt with. End-of-FY cleaning.
- Finalized motion re. Accountable Leadership
- Finalized motion re. Funding By-Laws
- Created funding best-practices skeleton as bylaw document
- Lots of prep work for Council of the Apocalypse: going over C&S bylaw revisions, reading through documents, sewing up my pajamas...
- Clubs feedback forum was intimate but gratifying
- SSMU Awards selection committee did a great job! Can they give themselves an award?