

Vice President (Clubs and Services) Report to Legislative Council

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PERSONAL

- From the last meeting of Legislative Council until the submission date of this report, I have had zero work days and have been in Iceland the whole time (#LONGLIVEVACATIONDAYS).
- As a result, I have no portfolio updates, but as a conscientious executive who strives to fulfil their duty to report, I instead present a series of fun image of Iceland as found on Google Images as an alternative to genuine updates. Note that the images have literally zero connection to the portfolio headings under which they are presented.

CLUBS



- The only thing cooler than seeing the Northern Lights is learning about why it happens. So, auroras are produced when the magnetosphere is sufficiently disturbed by the solar wind that the trajectories of charged particles in both solar wind and magnetospheric plasma, mainly in the form of electrons and protons, precipitate them into the upper atmosphere (thermosphere/exosphere), where their energy is lost. The resulting ionization and excitation of atmospheric constituents emits light of varying colour and complexity.



SERVICES



- This is that volcano that stopped all those European flights in 2014. Note that I will distribute a prize to any Councillor who can pronounce the Icelandic word Eyjafjallajökull, which the name of this volcano.

INDEPENDENT STUDENT GROUPS



- According to Wikipedia, this is one of the smallest glaciers in Iceland. I have not yet done the research into how often glaciers are measured.

BUILDING



- This is a photo of the ice for which the land is named, and also a photographer who is probably taking more professional photos than I managed to take on my trip.

STAFF



- To be honest, I'm wondering if someone on the internet made a typo and this is actually Ireland. Who knows though, I'm taking a chance and putting it in this report anyway.

PROJECTS



- I don't actually know enough about what this is to comment on it, but the picture looks super cool so that warranted inclusion.



MISCELLANEOUS



- I will keep you posted on whether or not I replicated this pose during my trip (spoiler alert: don't count on it).

Respectfully submitted,

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