



Report of the Vice President (Student Life)

General Assembly October 28, 2019

Outline

- Portfolio Details
- Activities Night
- Clubs
- Services
- Mental Health
- Family Care/ Daycare
- Projects and Varia

Portfolio

What I do

- Relations with Clubs, Services ISG
- Mental Health Outreach and Advocacy
- Family Care and Daycare Administration
 - I am the President of the Daycare Board which is technically a separate corporation!
- Other projects that impact Student Life on Campus

Activities Night

Fall Activities Night welcomed over 6,000 attendees
Winter Activities Night will be on January 9, 10



At a glance:

- Athletics is open to hosting AN in the Thomlinson Fieldhouse going forward!
- Overall a great success
- Starting planning on Winter AN, details to be announced soon!



Clubs

Key Updates

- Club Workshops was well attended
 - This year, it took place in New Rez Ballroom
 - Looking to move some workshops online through Google Classrooms
- Club Portal
 - EventUs has been selected as the vendor
 - Club fund referendum fee question
- Sanctions rubric is being amended!
- The Samosa Issue
 - We are committed to making sure we can keep having them!

Services

Key Updates

- Services Summit occurred concurrently with Club Workshops
- Working closely with all the services to find space and provide support during building closure
- Centralized Event Request Form for Security Services
- Volunteer Manual being Circulated

Mental Health



Key Updates

- Hosted 3 events - Mental Illness Awareness Series
- Updating Mental Health Policy - 3 year plan
- Currently soliciting feedback through the [Wellness Hub Survey](#)
- Planning a restructuring of the SSMU Mental Health Commission
- Working on a Mental Health roundtable to bring together mental health actors across campus

Eating Disorder Resource and Support Centre



Key Updates

- E.D. Panel during Mental Illness Awareness Week
- Currently hiring a new E.D. Advocacy Coordinator
- The committee has been extremely successful
- Continuing training for volunteers as well as expanding services

Family Care Daycare

Key Updates

- I am on the JBSCE Family Care
 - Currently exploring events to host and initiatives to work on
- In the absence of the GM, the Daycare is taking up quite a lot of my time
- Just finished closing the courtyard garden
- We will be moving banking from Scotiabank to RBC as well as changing payroll platforms

Projects and Varia

Other Updates

- Continuing to develop the food insecurity project with the VP UA
 - We now have \$20,000 of seed funding
 - Exploring ways to make this project sustainable for many years to come
- 3501 Peel - Wellness Hub
 - Renovations are moving along
 - There will be a space for a mental health practitioner in the building

Questions?