



Community Engagement Committee: Winter 2020

Projects

- The Committee planned and promoted a Valentine's Day Party, which saw a good mix of community members and student residents throughout the evening.
 - The Milton-Parc Citizens' Committee expressed gratitude and the desire to have a Thanksgiving Party, potentially in the New Residence Hall's Ballroom.

- Community Consultations held to flesh out the responsibilities and initiatives leading to good community relations in Milton-Parc.
 - Sessions included partnerships on affordable housing, noise complaints & police presence. Planned consultations were on homelessness and sustainability, but these have since been cancelled.

- There is an ongoing consultation with various McGill departments regarding institutional support for those wishing to learn about community volunteer and work-integrated learning opportunities.
 - Meetings were held up to the week before University closure and a tentative structure has been proposed to all parties (CL&E, CER, CaPS, Student Services, TLS, Branches) for approval.
 - This is parallel to a general discussion around institutional support for relationship-building with Milton-Parc, which has largely fallen on the SSMU this year. An example includes funding for Trash2Treasure.



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Proposed changes

- The Community Engagement and Community Relations aspects of this work should be separated out, ideally with different staff.
- Other changes have been proposed to Council for approval.