



Report of the
Vice-President (Student Life)

Winter 2020 General Assembly

Agenda

- Portfolio Overview
- Activities Night
- Clubs
- Services
- Family Care
- Mental Health
- Miscellaneous

Office of the Vice-President Student Life

- Oversee over **250+ Clubs, Services and Independent Student Groups**
 - Manage relationships between SSMU staff and these groups
 - Also responsible for conflict resolution (handling complaints)
- Carry out SSMU **mental health** initiatives
 - Work with the Mental Health Commissioner, Outreach Coordinator and Advocacy Coordinator, as well as the MH Outreach and Advocacy Committees
- Responsible for SSMU's **family care** policies and practices
 - President of SSMU Daycare Board of Directors
- Liaise and collaborate with staff from McGill's **Student Services**
 - Collaborate significantly with Campus Life and Engagement, along with other Student Services

Activities Night

- Winter Activities Night went well!
- Re-used the same framework from Fall Activities Night and took out some features to make it more straightforward + simple for students
- Lower turnout than Fall Activities Night



Clubs

- Clubs workshops for Winter happened on February 6/7
- In development of club portal
 - Currently in the demo phase - deciding between two suppliers
- Club audit was due on January 25th - thanks to the many clubs who submitting on time!
- Identified inactive and active clubs this year

Services

- Continuing to meet with Services for mid-year check-in
- Services Summit(s) took place on Feb 7
- New Instagram account to showcase Clubs and Services - @ssmucs
- Approved the Muslim Students' Association as a Service
- Currently in process of Service review with Services Review Committee
 - Share your thoughts through the survey [here!](#)

Family Care

- Family Care Policy up for renewal this semester
- JBSCE Family Care Subcommittee did a series of events for Family Day (Feb 15)
- Daycare running smoothly with Board meetings happening monthly

Mental Health

- Mental Health Action Week being planned for January 25-29
- Surveys on [Remote Learning](#) and [Wellness Hub Satisfaction](#) are still open!
- Mental Health Roundtable meetings continuing throughout semester
- Addendum to MH Policy and Plan passed at Legislative Council & MH Fee up for renewal
- KeepMeSafe - seeing steady increases in its use; download the app ('MySSP')

SSMU MENTAL HEALTH ACTION WEEK 2021 SCHEDULE				
MONDAY JAN. 25	TUESDAY JAN. 26	WEDNESDAY JAN. 27	THURSDAY JAN. 28	FRIDAY JAN. 29
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 9am-5pm @McGillU Instagram takeover (SSMU Mental Health Outreach) • 2pm-3:30pm Navigating Healthcare • 5pm-6pm Yoga 'Off-the-Mat' Session 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1pm-2pm Art Hive @Home Initiative (Art Therapy) • 3:30-4:30pm Quarantine Support Group with the Wellness Hub • 6pm-7pm Empathy Journal: Put the "I" back in Journaling 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2pm-3:30pm Active Listening w/ the Wellness Hub • 3pm-4:30pm Panel: Misrepresentation of EDs in the Media (EDRSC) • 5pm-6pm Take Care of Yourself During Thesis Writing (PCSS McGill) • 5pm-6:30pm UGE film screening Forbidden and Undocumented Rural America 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1pm-2pm Art Hive @Home • 1:30pm-4pm 120 Minutes of Writing Online with the Wellness Hub • 3pm-4pm COVID-19 Vaccine Info Session (PGSS) *Requires Registration* 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 6pm-9pm Students in Mind Conference: Forging A New Normal (Continued on Sat. & Sun.) *Free Registration* • 6:30pm-8pm Trivia Night w/ Peer Health Ambassadors

Presented to you by SSMU Mental Health

Miscellaneous

- Hiring Accessibility Commissioner
- University level committee work -
Committee on Student Services,
Fall Reading Break
Implementation Committee and
SSAO Advisory Board

Questions?