**General Council Minutes**

Monday, April 15th, 2013

4:30pm, 2nd Floor WCC- Hurvis Room

1. Call to Order
2. Roll Call
3. Approval of the General Council Minutes of April 1st, 2013
	1. Friendly amendments:
		1. Community concerns: Jarjour instead of Jarour
	2. Trevor Motioned to approve minutes. Seconded by Bryan. Minutes approved.
4. Community Concerns
	1. Austin Federa came in to discuss formal group housing specifically the rotational system. This was done to prevent groups from monopolizing houses. However he feels this system doesn’t account for potential membership decrease or location change. Would like LUCC to look into the possibility of arranging all formal groups on the same housing cycle so all houses are under the same renewal cycle.
		1. Nancy Trusdale:
			1. There are no contracts. They are 3 year compact (agreement)
			2. Theme houses are also in the mix of available locations for formal group housing.
			3. Formal group housing decisions are up to administration not LUCC.
			4. When this idea was formed these concerns were considered. If all groups applied at the same time newer groups would not have the same opportunity.
		2. Res- Life committee:
			1. To have everyone reapply every year would be a very strenuous process.
		3. Steve:
			1. Steering and Res-Life Committee can meet with members of administration and get back to Austin.
	2. Connor Beaulie wants to be recognized after the re-rec deadline because he didn’t understand the re-rec process. Connor has been teaching a martial arts class for the past two years. Has about 40 members. Wants to branch out and do more with the group with LUCC recognition.
		1. Steve motioned to recognize the group. Seconded by Trever. LUMAC approved.
	3. Addy Goldberg, WFLM had a major technical issue with their radio computer. ITS did not help them for 5-6 weeks and the organization came to a halt for a time. Their request for ITS was received as any other student request. Came to GC asking for a designation for WFLM, the Lawrentian, or other “technologically vulnerable” organizations, to allowed to priority for ITS service if they have technological issues.
		1. Student Welfare committee can work with ITS.
		2. Aubrey: ITS will be contacted, if necessary LUCC will look into finances to find any other solution.
5. Officer Reports
	1. President
		1. Re-rec meetings still on going.
	2. Vice President
		1. Finance meetings working with the budget.
	3. Treasurer
		1. Charity projected rollback 53,000. Sam is estimating lower, 35,000.
		2. Current amount: -1,933.50 (but we are not in a deficit)
		3. Safe amount: 33,000. Projected 51,000-52,000
	4. Parliamentarian
	5. General Secretary
		1. General Council Minutes are on the LUCC website and being added as they’re approved.
	6. Finance Secretary
	7. Public Relations Secretary
		1. Website, regular updates are being put up. Check them out!
		2. Babcock award is on until Friday.
		3. Like the LUCC FB page!
6. Committee Reports
	1. Steering
		1. Steve motioned to approve steering minutes. Seconded by Brian. Steering Minutes approved.
	2. Finance
		1. Steve motioned to approve finance minutes. Seconded by Kerstin.
			1. 100 VR Mugs: Used as incentive for encouraging recycle. (More under ERC).
				1. Aubrey would like to make the amendment from 2,000 to $980. Seconded by Steve. Amendment approved.
			2. Sarah Laven: Questioned why Mortar Board’s banquet re-allocation denied if in the past it’s been approved.
				1. Possibility there may have been funding for the banquet from the budget but the money came elsewhere.
		2. Vote to approve finance committee minutes with amendments. Minutes approved.
	3. Polling, Elections, and Leadership
		1. Babcock Award, vote!
		2. Meeting next Monday at 4:30.
		3. Committee leadership selection. Applications should be on the website.
	4. Publicity
		1. Posters have been made form LUCC Committees, Babcock Award, and LUCC Budget Request.
	5. Diversity Affairs (CODA)
		1. Follow up to race relation forum last week.
		2. Planning stages of able-ism panel on 26th of April at 5:30.
	6. Environmental Responsibility Committee
		1. Launching a recycling campaign.
		2. ERC Grant used for Bee keeping house that will be put in SLUG.
		3. Speaker, Winona Laduke, as part of Earth Week.
		4. Clothing Rack Making workshop.
		5. Earth week festivities on the 22nd. ERC will have a rock making booth.
		6. Winner of the Water Shower Challenge: Trever!
	7. Residence Life Committee
		1. Got T-shirts.
		2. Tabling at dorm open houses 8-11PM over the course of next week.
		3. Housing Contracts distributed from April 24th-May 1st.
		4. Considering submitting an article to the Lawrentian explaining group housing.
	8. Student Welfare
		1. Table tents in Andrew Commons.
		2. Clothing optional places on campus. Looking into how its being done at other schools.
		3. Charlie Mann painting smoking pipes. Bringing design to next student welfare committee meeting on the 30th.
		4. Idea of a $40,000/year for a personal safety system brought to LUCC by outside business. However, there are identical apps that are free. SW came to a concensus that it wouldn’t make sense. For more info on system at LLResponse.com
		5. LUBike Program: School owned bikes can be checked out from the info desk. Will be restarted as the whether gets better.
			1. Sarah Laven: Matt Lowe has also been working on a Bike Share project that could expand over campus. Student Welfare can contact them to work together.
	9. CCSE
		1. Volunteerathon: April 20th-May 20th Whatever service organization has most hours will win recognition and a pizza party.
		2. Working on adding volunteer hours to organizations under CCSE.
7. Old Business
	1. Elections and Plurality
		1. Trever untables. Zach seconded.
			1. Unanimous vote of legislation
8. New Business
	1. Re-recognition of Student Organizations
		1. 41-65
		2. Steve motioned to approve. Trever seconded. Vote to approve. Approved.
	2. Theme Group Housing
		1. 1 more LUCC member needed.
	3. Fundraising Legislation
		1. Steve introduced the fundraising legislation. Seconded by Zach.
		2. Steve moved to table. Seconded by Trever. Legislation tabled.
9. Representative Reports
	1. District One: Colman, Brokaw, Off Campus
		1. Trip to PAC.
		2. Inter-hall spelling bee
	2. District Two: Plantz, Residence North of College Ave.
		1. Had trip to PAC
		2. Plantz recital on Thursday
		3. Glow is hosting Kink workshop.
		4. Art house applications available
	3. District Three: Sage, 738 & 742 E. Alton St.
		1. Free pancakes on Wednesday.
	4. District Four: Trever, 813 E. John St., 300 S. Meade St.
		1. Trever had a trip to PAWS
		2. Pool party and more parties.
	5. District Five: Kohler, Drahiem, Sabin
		1. 1920s party
		2. Sunday showed perks of being a wallflower.
		3. Future: planning a mini-golf trip and picnic towards the end of the term.
	6. District Six: Hiett, Ormsby
		1. Ormsby is planning Zoo Days
	7. District Seven: Quadrangle
		1. Members of Beta Theta Pi went to Oxford Ohio for activation
		2. Sig Ep had a Superhero party.
	8. Faculty
		1. Had a discussion on retention at their last meeting.
10. The Good of the Order
	1. Sarah’s recital 3pm on Saturday in the Pusey Room.
11. Adjournment

Trever moved to adjourned. Seconded by Zach. General Council meeting adjourned.

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**TO ALL MEMBERS OF THE LAWRENCE COMMUNITY**

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Community Concerns will be limited to 3 minutes per community member.

All minutes, including Steering and Finance committee minutes, are now available on the LUCC website.