Pride Collective Meeting

January 27, 2011 Approx 5:08 pm

Acknowledgment of territories Safer spaces announcement Round of names and check in

Maximum number in attendance 14:

Coordinating Committee members present: Miryam, Rachel, Gabrielle, Kenzie, Meris, Zoe, Keaton. Coordinating Committee members absent for reasons known: Kate, Micah, Jess.

Vancouver Island Human Rights Coalition

- Job advertised

Totally Outright leadership workshop

- -in Vancouver over two weekends
- -information available at office, online

Live to Love, Love to Dance-February 13th- Dance for lesbians and friends at the Ledge Lounge

Survey from Uof Guelph psychology student (was sent to list-serv)

-comments from Meris and Zoe about problems with content/questions

Studies in Policy and Practice/PSN

-Studies in Policy and Practice's Equity Committee at UVic want to have a panel to discuss how equity issues are experienced by youth, and explore the inter-related ideas of power, voice, and inclusion, particularly among youth activists between the ages of 15-25 years old. Contact either the PSN or lisa poole email: lisap@uvic.ca Catherine McGregor email: cmcgreg@uvic.ca

Laramie Project- continues till the 29th

Queer Valentines- making -planning next week

Bursary- discussion

Gabrielle- bursary with Financial Aid Office for queer students BIRT the Uvic Pride Collective designate \$2250 to be set aside for the creation of 3 bursaries in the amount of \$750 each to aid Queer students of the University of Victoria. Moved by Gabrielle, seconded by Kailey

round- solve selection criteria? identification on financial aid forms, other method (clarification as to forms), more details about bursary policy through Financial Aid (Gabrielle gave more information of FA policy), comment- quorum is had, let's do business,

Straw poll:

concerns- timing needs to be included in the motion, set-up in advance of passing a motion regarding bursaries, "sticky note" on budget, this motion is less necessary than having all the details ready with a

complete motion, hesitant to support a nebulous motion, despite support.

Kailey—BIFRT Gabrielle Sutherland liase with SA to address the concerns raised and bring back information within two weeks. (friendly amendment)

the amount of 2250 sitting as an incentive to get work done Gabrielle- Motion to amend to add "every academic session" to follow \$2250

Vote 5 green, 4 red, 3 abstentions: motion fails (--> talk to financial aid re forms)

Queer Grad Student- coffee morning

quote for tea, coffee, at least 1 doz. Muffins discussion: setting in Grad House, price, more closed space, timing (try out a one time), talking to GSS (match funding?), publicity,

Motion- BIRT UVic Pride provide up to 85 dollars to promote and hold a Queer grad students coffee morning. Moved by Zoe.

11 green, one abstention,

HSD 460- Dr. Reading looking for participants

for a panel type discussion relating queer life experience/s. Huge class, (perhaps Thursday, March 10th)

AWU- a new representative from Pride for this UVSS open committee.

Inclusive language workshop update-

Mel and Shantelle will run it, likely timing after February 11th.

Outreach with Mount Doug High-

short discussion of GSA rep position.

Collective meeting survey-

discussion: collect results, bring forward for discussion,

Time of adjournment: 6:25 pm