

UVic Pride Collective Minutes - September 11th 2015

1. Acknowledgement of the Territories
 2. Safer Spaces Guidelines
 3. Round of Names
 4. What is a collective and how does it work?
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5. Updates

1. Joint Advo Open House
 2. Resist Stigma Call-Out
 - Send out next listserv email
 3. Tabling incident
 - When we were tabling, somebody took our tabling materials under the guise of being a collective member and started handing out pamphlets about positive masculinity - as if they were resources from Pride. ACTION: ask UVSS board about what their action plan is. ACTION: send out public message and offer support for those who received the materials
 4. Gendercon
 - UVic is doing their own trans conference, and Daphne has decided to call off the one we were planning.
 - Feels sneaky
 - Challenge them?
 - Don't want to pull out all together.
 - ACTION: ask Daphne if she is still wanting to do it? We can take it on, but it's still her baby.
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6. Budget and Actuals

- Actuals from the summer presented. Budget presented to collective for approval.

DISCUSSION

- Where's the worst study top up?
- Oh yeah, we need to budget for that - Tri to add that in
- Very tight budget
- Is that enough money for resources
- Probably not. We need to do fundraisers to increase our budget lines.
- Need to drop coordinator or reduce hours if we don't win the referendum.

ACTION/MOTION/DECISION

- Consensus. Adopt budget with addition of workstudy top up line.
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7. Do we do orders for out of town people?

- We have a few folks from out of town who want to access our resource program. Do we want to do this?

DISCUSSION

- Prioritize local orders and then if we have leftovers we could do out of town
- Wanna help, but feel conflicted with our already tight budget
- Are there any organizations in vancouver that they could access?
- Maybe just cover shipping?
- Maybe highly encourage them to donate?
- Maybe do on a case-by-case basis?
- Help other organizations get set up!!
- Set up resource packages so that other unis can do this too?
- Cost sharing? Maybe they have to pay part of it
- Maybe do fundraisers specific to outside orders?
- Ask them "Are you ok to wait?" and assess from there
- Tell people our current situatoin and keep a waitlist, but no guarantee. Will approach on a case-by-case basis.

ACTION/MOTION/DECISION

- Consensus. Keep waiting list. Case-by-case. Ask them if they are OK to wait and we will do our best.
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8. Request to partner with Trans Health Event

- They wanna partner with us. Like a health forum in November.

DISCUSSION

- We could print their leaflets and advertise for them?
- Use our logo?
- Questions on leaflets to inspire people to go to the event?

ACTION/MOTION/DECISION

- Consensus. Partner in the limited ways we discussed.
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9. UVic Collab Project

- We need to form a committee to meet with uvic people to plan this out.

DISCUSSION

- Who's interested?
- Tri, lux, cassandra, orillia, elizabeth

ACTION/MOTION/DECISION

- Consensus. 5 will represent Pride at those meetings.
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10. Crafternoon Funding Request

- Crafternoon wants 150 to buy supplies

DISCUSSION

- Whoo

ACTION/MOTION/DECISION

- Consensus. Approve up to 150.
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11. Binder Zine

- There's one page left to do in the zine. Want to print now!

DISCUSSION

- How much will this cost?
- How about we just approve an amount and we print as much as we can with that amount.
- 100?

ACTION/MOTION/DECISION

- Consensus. \$100 to print the binder zine
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12. 40 days for life counter protest group asking to use Pride space to organize

- Organizing group of a counter protest is asking to use our space on September 25th as an organizing space. This means we will not run events out of our centre this time.

DISCUSSION

- Until when?
- 8pm
- Some collective members are interested in getting involved

ACTION/MOTION/DECISION

- Consensus. Reserve our space on September 25th as their organizing space
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13. When do we want to put packers out?

- We had decided we would have them out this fall. We are ready to go! When to put them out?

DISCUSSION

- Do we want to put them out in September?
- Where and how?
- Display them?
- Look into a shelf
- Keep in the bathroom
- Buy a caintainer thing?
- Do we announce this?
- \$50 for drawer for packers, october 1st.

ACTION/MOTION/DECISION

- Consensus. Up to \$50 for the drawer.
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14. **AGM Date**

- We need to have an AGM for October! When do we want?

DISCUSSION

- Oct 21st at 4:30
- What about food?
- 150?

ACTION/MOTION/DECISION

- Consensus. Approve October 21st at 4:30, with \$150 food budget.
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15. **Collective Meetings**

- Thursdays at 3:00pm - next is September 24th

DISCUSSION

ACTION/MOTION/DECISION

- Consensus. Approve next collective meeting and new times.
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16. Joint Advocacy Group Open House Plans

- What do we want to do as our portion of the open house?

DISCUSSION

- Arts and crafts?
- spoken word?
- Let's create something!
- A raffle? Win a piece of art or something?
- Messages in the centre?
- Multiple crafting stations?
- Call it "politicrafts"
- Who wants to facilitate
- Orillia and Elizabeth

ACTION/MOTION/DECISION

- Consensus. Politicrafts - Orillia and Elizabeth to facilitate
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Meeting Adjourned