

## UVic Pride Collective Minutes - March 29 2016

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### QUORUM MET - 5 coordinators & 6 Collective Members

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1. Acknowledgement of the Territories
  2. Safer Spaces Policy
  3. Round of Names/Pronouns/Check-in
  4. How Does a Collective Work
  5. Updates
    - a. Panel for CYC class update - It went really well! Deconstructed the binary in CYC!
    - b. AVP events happening this week and they are looking for volunteers. Clotheslines event on March 30th and April 1 and Holding Space for Survivors event on March 31st.
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### 6.) Adoption of Minutes (March 15 and 22)

- Adopt Minutes

### DISCUSSION

- Noted changes for March 15: #6) add open letter to be posted onto martlet an social media; #8) add IPOC caucus call out to the collective around territory acknowledgements; #9) Specify Kingsley has been suggested as workshop facilitator to UVSS; #16) Add member who applied for key code; #17) It is SAGM, not AGM
- Noted changes for March 22: #12) Add member who applied for keycode; #13) Delete everything after #12.

### ACTION/MOTION/DECISION

- Consensus - Approve minutes with noted changes
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### 7.) Ideaboard

- Anti-classism Workshop

### DISCUSSION

- Good idea
- Make a working group?

- Consult with VIPIRG? They do work around this already?
- Classism in the SUB and classism with rural students would also be interesting to talk about
- Consult with Womens' Centre
- Ask Collective Coordinator (Events and Activism) to look into this

#### ACTION/MOTION/DECISION

- Consensus - Collective Coordinator (Events and Activism) to look into this.
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#### **9.) Meetings for April**

- Meeting every week or every two weeks for April since it is exam period?

#### DISCUSSION

- Look into digital meetings so that folks can join meetings online. Maybe like skype or another live digital meeting service. In the summer lots of ppl can't access queer community and often this is the way to access that.
- Reassess in May if we want to maintain a weekly meeting, but maintain it for now'

#### ACTION/MOTION/DECISION

- Consensus - Maintain weekly meeting schedule in April. Reassess for May
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#### **10.) Garden Plot**

- We have a garden plot with the Campus Community Gardens. We haven't done anything with it. Should we keep it? Usually there is a long waiting list.

#### DISCUSSION

- Send a call out for people to the garden.
- Connect with SOCC since we share it with them?

#### ACTION/MOTION/DECISION

- Consensus - Do call out to see if there is any interest in gardening.
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#### **11.) Jewish Students Association Film Collaboration Proposal**

- JSA was contacted about screening a film about a gay Israeli-Palestinian. JSA would have to contribute costs for the filming. They are wondering if we would like to collaborate on the film screening and if we would like to contribute.

## DISCUSSION

- Sounds interesting.
- Suggestion to form a joint committee to plan
- Want to be able to see the film first to make sure it's OK and falls in line with our values
- Ask JSA to see if we can get an advance screening before we decide on collaborating
- Members in Pride who will screen: Alexander, PJ, Tri, Tareem, Juniper, Jordan, Orillia

## ACTION/MOTION/DECISION

- Consensus - Screen film internally in Pride first before making the decision to collaborate.
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## **12.) Request to Share Student Project Video on Gender Binary**

- Students made a video about the gender binary and they are asking us if we could share for them. Watched the video in the collective meeting.

## DISCUSSION

- Cute!
- Unsure of how to feel yet
- Wish they had included some sort of content warning because it was a little hard for those with similar lived experiences.
- I like it. Would like to post, we should share our intentions on who the video is good for though.
- Suggest them to include subtitles and a transcript in the video description

## ACTION/MOTION/DECISION

- Consensus - share video on facebook with a content warning and our intention behind who we think might be best to watch (an intro video for those who may not have encountered this before) and also to reply to the students telling them it's a great video and suggesting a content warning and subtitles and a transcript of the dialogue.
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Meeting Adjourned