

UVic Pride Collective Meeting Agenda - Nov 15th 2016

QUORUM: 3 coordinators, 4 collective members

1. **Acknowledgement of the Territories**
2. **Safer Spaces Policy**
3. **Round of Names/Pronouns/Check-in**
4. **How Does a Collective Work?**
5. **Proposed Additions to the Agenda - VOTE: Add all proposed additions to agenda.**

APPROVED.

A1) Gifts for Outgoing Coordinators

A2) Workshop Proposal

A3) U of T Update

A4) VNFC Update

A5) RAVAW

6. **Racism, Colonialism and Exclusion in Pride, our action plan + expectations going forward**

Policy has passed making anti-oppression and Safer Spaces now mandatory for ALL Pride members, not just volunteers. Trainings are being updated and will be offered as soon as possible to reflect these changes.

7. **Updates**

- AGM Updates

Updates about changes to policy and elections made at AGM last week. Check the minutes at uvicpride.ca for the full breakdown of what happened at the AGM

- Hiring Committee Update

Lucy has been hired as our new workstudy and is completing training! She will be working closely with Audrey to take care of resource ordering!

- Saanich Youth Drop In Check-in and Expansion

The youth drop-in through Saanich Parks & Rec that UVic Pride is part of the advisory committee for is expanding to offer an additional drop in twice a month at the Backdoor Teen Center in Gordon Head Rec.

VOTE: Approve up to \$50 for snacks for the inaugural drop-in at the Backdoor Teen Center. APPROVED.

8.) Ideaboard

Corn Party - proposed idea for a fun afternoon where people socialize and eat corn on the cob. Anita will check in with a few other people about holding and possibly expanding an event like this.

9.) Collective Payment For Services Discussion

Conversation about paying people for “potential” services, such as the recent AGM where we paid two members to be on call for childcare, which was not accessed at this particular event. One of the members on call mentioned that they only stayed for the whole AGM in case children came. No resolution at this point, will revisit as necessary.

10.) Requirements for Pride to Promote Outside Events Discussion

Right now events are promoted through Pride based on the coordinators’ discretion as to whether or not it is appropriate or relevant to the mandate of Pride. Discussion about changing

this and creating a more explicit policy but no resolution. Revisit later (?)

A1) Gifts for Outgoing Coordinators

Discussion about getting gifts for outgoing coordinators, will revisit next meeting.

A2) Workshop Proposal

Tareem will be in contact with someone from the dept of Nursing about potentially setting up a workshop for nursing students.

A3) U of T Update

If you are interested in helping to write a letter of solidarity to trans students at U of T, get in contact with Orillia (or email pride@uvic.ca)

A4) VNFC Update

Representatives from VNFC will be visiting Pride on Saturday Nov 26th during the afternoon to tour the space and check out resources.

A5) RAVAW

RAVAW is asking for the advocacy room to table during the event, as well as input for intersectionality with regards to the event, especially about inclusion for Black and Indigenous women. They are also seeking volunteers for a respite room during the event.

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11.) Adoption of Minutes, Nov 15th 2016 - approved at end of meeting.
