

UVic Pride Collective Meeting Agenda - Feb 9th, 2017

QUORUM: 6 coordinators, 1 collective member

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

The decolonization working group has been meeting regularly and is planning a discussion group to develop skills and knowledge for acknowledging territories, as well as a workshop on proper protocol for approaching people to do official acknowledgements at larger events. The events are planned for late February to very early March for the discussion group and late march to early April for the workshop.

7. Updates

- The Choir concert

The fundraisers have decided to donate a third of the profits each to UVic Pride, the 2QTAY Friday Drop-in at Commonwealth Pool and Gender Spectacular. Pride will be receiving approximately \$670.

- Budget Meeting

The budget draft will be finalized on Feb 15th at 1130 and presented at the next collective meeting

- Sex Toy Bingo ?

Has been postponed until March 10th due to weather.

- The Office coordinator will be out of the office for the week of Feb 13th-17th
 - The Volunteer Resources Officer will be out of the office from tomorrow until Wednesday
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8.) Ideaboard

- No updates
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9.) Cheque Rec Discussion

Discussion about how submitting other cheques to cover the cost of purchases that the UVSS does not allow us to pay for could make our records unclear or confusing

The Financial coordinator requests that you bring as much documentation as possible for all purchases, including things that may not be submitted to the UVSS. They will be kept strictly for Pride records.

10.) Pride Postcards

- The samples have not yet been finalized
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11.) Statement of support against Canadian Islamophobia

VOTE: Pride will sign the statement prepared by Black Lives Matter Toronto and supporters listing anti-racist and anti-Islamophobic demands directed to the Canadian government, as well as make this statement public to our membership. APPROVED.

12.) diverCITY

A group has approached us and several other advocacy groups about participating in a video meant to highlight "diversity" in Victoria.

We will message them and ask for clarity about what the video will be used for.

13.) Faculty of Law admissions

The OutLaws have approached Pride asking for advisement on changing the binary sex options on admissions documents for their faculty. We will invite them to attend a collective meeting to discuss the matter further.

14.) SAGM

VOTE: We will host our Semi Annual General Meeting on Thursday, March 9th. APPROVED.

15.) Gordon Head Rec All Bodies Swim

Gordon Head Rec is hosting an All Bodies Swim on Monday, and charging the regular price on admissions

VOTE: Approve up to \$150 to pay for swim passes for people who need them. APPROVED.

16.) Transcare BC Engagement Meeting Request

Transcare has approached us to hold an “engagement meeting” for community members to come and learn about their services on

We will message them and ask for clarity about what they anticipate Pride’s involvement in the event to be.

17.) Approval of Minutes - End of meeting, Feb 9th 2017.