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EXECUTIVE BOARD MEETING

September 18, 2022

Officer	Position	Present/Absent
Josh Nagra	President	Present
Zane Yamamoto	Executive Vice President	Present
Kaitlyn Hohl	Chief Ethics and Procedural Officer	Present
Chris LaRovere	Vice President of Student Activities	Absent
Sam Bogen	Vice President of Campus Organizations	Present
Desmond Mantle	Chief Financial Officer	Present
Nisha Singh	D&I Chair	Present
Maeve Conte	Mental Health and Wellness Liaison	Present
Peyton Ogasawara	Comptroller	Absent
Nicole Cepeda	Chief Operating Officer	Present
Tori Williams	Director of Event Operations	Present
Giovanni Pierre	Class of 2025 President	Present
Wolfgang Hutton	Class of 2024 President	Present
Amari Huang	Class of 2023 President	Proxied via Kimi
Kirby Kimball	Dormitory Affairs Chair	Present
Peter Dien	Presidential Advisor on Divestment	Present
Sarahi	D&I	Present



Senate Chairs Attendance

Senate Officer	Position	Present/Absent
Meg Birenbaum	AAA Committee Chair	Present
Nicole Jonassen	Environmental Affairs Committee Chair	Absent
Aara Nanavaty	Academic Affairs Chair	Present
Kimi Adler	Community Service Chair	Present
Nathaniel Braswell	RA Liason	Present

Agenda

- 1. Welcome
- 2. Approve the previous week's minutes
- 3. Updates
- 4. Affinity Group Partnership at Events D&I Chair
- 5. TNC Debrief VPSA
- 6. Forum Questions President
- 7. Comprehensive Resource Platform AAC Chair
- 8. Open Forum

I. Welcome

Call the meeting to order at 7:03 pm Pacific Time.

II. Approval of Minutes:

Motion to approve the minutes: Zane Seconded: Sam Minutes have been approved.

III. Executive Officer Updates

Josh: Does anyone have any updates?



President: Josh Nagra	The seven have to help with setup, the rest with cleanup. Support personnelle is Tori and Jonny.
EVP: Zane Yamamoto	
CEPO: Kaitlyn Hohl	
VPSA: Chris LaRovere	
CFO: Desmond Mantle	going swimmingly.
D&I: Nisha Singh	CMC Diversity committee met this past friday and we spoke about the GE and we passed a recommendation that will be sent to president and board of trustees. when i get confirmation from Dr. Wenzel, we'll send out messaging to student body. Messaging is saying that because it passed, it should be moved to the board. 40% on survey sent out, the data is in and they'll release the report within the next semester. I met with my committee and we have two events: coffee house w/ arts and culture event where they can showcase artwork. TBD, Oct 21? Other than that, dinner of thanks for affinity groups before thanksgiving break.
VPCO: Sam Bogen	
Comptroller: Peyton Ogasawara	
COO: Nicole Cepeda	
DEO: Tori Williams	We have a sign up for wristbanding, every CMC student gets a wristband for pridefest guaranteed and the rest will be rationed. I will send out shift form. 33 spots for wristbanding.
Class of 2024 President: Wolfgang Hutton	confirmed two events—21st campfire night for class, on 30th afrobeats and reggaeton party on green beach open for all classes. all members of cabinet will be getting teal dot trained. i met with w/ jr class presidents from other 5cs and we'll set a meeting time.
Class of 2023 President : Amari Huang	amari got credit card. looking at sobe's notes on the retreat. going over logistical plans for 200 days.



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Class of 2022 President: Sobechukwu Uwajeh	
Class of 2025 Proxy: Bryan Soh	
Mental Health and Wellness Liaison: Maeve Conte	doing QPR training with Jess, you can come if youd like
DAC Chair: Kirby Kimball	DT met with donor, shes really excited by the idea, wants products in keck, roberts, and ath. instead of the dispensers, we'll do baskets. we'll do surveys at the end of the year to see how its going. email was sent to dorm pres + ra's in regards to collaboration. Dt speaking with mudd and scripps. Spoke with chris spells for tailgating ideas. 4 corner party TBD. Dorm cleanliness wise, figuring out where the money should come from. Signage up soon. class presidents will likely have a meeting soon for facilities appreciation meals/events. We were in Teal Dot training and were saying how dating violence happens in dark locations, and we were asking if there can be additional lighting on north mall.
Presidential Advisor on Divestment: Peter Dien	
AAA Committee Chair: Meg Birenbaum	
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IV. Affinity Group Partnership at Events

Nisha: I wanted to bring up how Mi Gente had their TNC this past weekend, and I wanted to start an open conversation about how affinity groups can communicate partnering for a event and what that/the spread of responsibilities would look like. I know people have been liking the diverse events and want to make sure that

Sarahi: it went really well but within the first hour, people came in and started tearing down the decor and they were confronted about it. people were coming for free alchohol but it got better later. It was a diverse crowd. We didnt know how to handle that situation since people were being very disrespectful Nisha: as we're pushing to diversify the programs at CMC, we have to confront how to navigate these situations and make sure that all students feel comfortable at the events. Afrobeats is happening on green beach for reference. I think that is a discussion we should have when chris is here, but if anyone has any comments as well.

Kirby: hearing that is reminiscent of the montecarlo fundraiser last year (though maybe that was exacerbated because people could hide behind a anon platform)

Josh: Jonny was saying that he is worried about Pridefest this year and the messaging (this year donations are not mandatory)

Tori: I would say TNC this past week was chaotic in that only one EC was there and chris was out of town, so set up wasnt great. After set up, people left to go do work. I really do wish we were there for teardown. I didn't want Mi Gente to be alone like that and want to take preventative measures for next time

Sam: do you think the tearing down decor was because they were drunk or because of ill intention? Sarahi: they definitely were drunk, but they were also mocking the dances (bachata etc), people were play fighting (and had to be stop) and were very confrontational, they felt like the space wasn't made for them. definitely a combo of many things

Gio: as we shift what the vocal cultures are on campus, we are naturally going to have a lot of pushback.

Desmond: do you have any sense of class year?

Sarahi: freshmen, likely? Karen might know some of them.

Desmond: its definitey a huge issue regardless, but the messaging can be different depending on who it is.

Tori: these are things we shouldnt have to discipline people for, but it be nice if there is something that we can do to show that its not okay

Josh: security can help in these cases



Sam: theres been a lot of abnormally wrong behavior nappening this year. the write ups have been incredibly long this year. yes, we need to figure out how to move forward. this is definitely reflective of a much larger issue

Nisha: the montecarlo stuff was disgusting last year, we are going to have to think about how we will navigate people's discomfort. There will some pushback with the removal of Toga, for example. we have to minimize the burden on affinity groups in planning and execution, but also making sure that we are putting marginalized students in a place where they will be harassed or triggered.

Josh: can students be banned from events?

Desmond: DOS can ban students from any event based on their conduct, if we ask dos to do it, im sure if there is good reason they would enforce that.

V. TNC Debrief

VI. Forum Questions

VII. Comprehensive Resource Platform

Aara: Having a comprehensive resource doc would be helpful—having hyperlinks to all the resources so it can all be together. One of the problems is that may stress out freshmen if they see this massive list over summer. would this be helpful, should it be catered towards freshmen?

Sarahi: last spring, a bunch of seniors made a cmc mini survivor guide catered to affinity members but it has a bunch of info (clubs, registration, med school, law school) and we were told to add on more. I can share that

Aara: that'd be great, thank you.

JoIt would be helpful

Chad: it would be really helpful, particularly within that first week when there's a bunch of overlapping deadlines. Maybe if there's a sign on and is only available when we're here, but it really would be helpful.

Kimi: is there a hyperlink for accommodations?

Sam: there is.

Josh: theres a bunch of scattered hyperlinks.

Aara: ive spoken with maude too about how accessibility can be confusing as well. Maybe if its connected to the new student portal, that can be helpful

VIII. Open Forum



motion to adjourn sam seconded kirby adjourned 8:03