**AHSUM Attendance Minutes**

**BMH 1048**

*Speaker:* President, Parboodial *Secretary:* Vice President, Goomer

# Attendance

The following members were present:

* Parboodial, Shelbee
* Hepburn, Courtney
* Gosse, Kayla
* Harris, Taylor
* Jule Recchia

Regrets: Eberlin, Lindsay and Mtegwa, Craig

# Preliminaries

## Call to Order

* Goomer, Kanishk
* Chiang, Evan
* Glanville, Eden
* Nagib, Hannah

President, Parboodial called the meeting to order at 12:01 p.m.

# Consent Agenda

## Highs and Lows

High and lows will not be recorded since they are personal reflections.

# Regular Agenda

## Approval of Agenda

**Be it resolved that** Approval of Agenda

*Motioned: Vice President, Chiang and Seconded: Director, Harris.*

**Motion carries** unanimously

# Reports of Officers

## President

President, Parboodial stated that grad formal tickets will be sold out of the AHSUM office from February 3rd- February 14th. Elections will not be running this term to fill the public health representative position. Representative, Glanville will be the SPHHS representative going forward. President, Parboodial stated that JOEY and councilor applications will open this week and will be due on January 24th. JOEYS and councilors are junior executive members that shadow senior executive members.

## VP of Internal Affairs

No updates.

## VP of Education

Vice President, Hepburn stated that the representatives will begin brainstorming an academic event for this term.

## VP of Finance

Vice President, Chiang stated that there is a mock budget on the master sheet. Intramurals are rolling out this week.

## Directors

Director, Recchia reminded the team tha TikTok Tuesdays will continue this term.

Director, Harris reminded the team that the new snacks are not to be sold yet as they have not been priced. Intramurals are running smoothly. AHSUM paid for one casual volleyball team ($3 sign ups). Students can keep signing up as there is no cap. Director, Harris also attended the AHS Health and Wellness Advisory Committee meeting. They are planning Bell’s Let’s Talk events throughout the day and would like AHSUM to run an event in the evening, perhaps animal farm. The committee is also looking for students to help out with a program called Cam’s Kids. Their role is to train students on how to help others struggling with mental health issues (peer-to-peer support). Students interested in his can go on to the website and sign up <http://www.camskids.com/>

Director, Gosse is working on taking and putting up headshots for the team.

Director, Nagib has been asking students what events they would be interested in attending. It seems that students are more inclined to attend events when there is food provided. One idea was to organize a monthly breakfast for AHSUM students. This could also be paired with supporting a local charity (bring in a non-perishable food item in turn for a plate of breakfast). Another idea is to run yoga with dogs. Director, Nagib stated that we need to work on promoting our events and services to students as many younger students seem to be unaware of what AHSUM is and does.

## Representatives

Representative, Glanville and Representative, Mtegwa had no updates.

Representative, Eberlin sent an update: Reprsentaive, Eberlin attended the AHS Faculty Meeting on November 29th, 2019 where they reported on Fall Open House success where 500 people toured and 1000 people attended sessions. They encouraged faculty to have conversations about test dates and assignments to spread them over the term. They also talked about renovating a space to conduct coop interviews for AHS students.

Representaive, Eberlin reported that she cannot attend the REC department meetings this term however, Vice President, Chiang attended the first meeting of the term on Jan 9th. He reported that the department is considering some rebranding/restructuring. They also discussed that some programs are slowly loosing students. I have reached out to Troy Glover (department chair) and asked him if he would be interested in meeting with me so that I can share my experiences in order to have a student's perspective. I am waiting to hear back from him.

More REC updates from the department chair...

* 2 new co-op positions have been created for TR students at Wong Kei Care Centre in Calgary
* They are working to improve their response to suicide deaths and develop a more thorough protocol
* Before the end of the semester, they are aiming to display a picture in the Department to commemorate the RLS student who died tragically last year
* Student enrolment in AHS is down for 2019-2020 with a significant shortfall that will have a $1.5M impact on the Faculty
* AHS has been more aggressive in offering early acceptances this year

## Miscellaneous

## Services

Director, Harris stated that we should start warm-up Mondays next week. It would also be a good idea to add to our snack inventory. AHSUM needs to clean out the exam bank and archive exams that are irrelevant.

**Be it resolved that** the Chair adjourns the meeting at 12:26 p.m.

*Motioned: Vice President, Hepburn and Seconded: Vice President, Chiang.*

**Motion carries** unanimously