

REVELLE COLLEGE COUNCIL

Thursday, April 11, 2024

Meeting #26

I. **Call to Order:** 5:04

II. **Roll Call**

PRESENT: Anna, Alyssa, Grace, Kathleen, Vickie, Josef, Hannah, Maddie, Sharlene, Kyli, Isaac, Ichiro, Chris, Alex Gilden, Elan, Rafael, Christopher, Nic, Emily, Alex Gonzalez, Sophia, Sammy, Jimmy, Hang, Golsa, Emma, Michelle, Samantha, Jacob, CSA Wesley, Dean Sherry

EXCUSED: Gage, Caren, Carter

UNEXCUSED: Ludwig, Shriya, Tyler

III. **Approval of Minutes**

IV. **Announcements:**

V. **Public Input and Introduction:**

VI. **Committee Reports**

A. **Finance Committee [Grace Constantian]**

- ❖ **+** RCC Budget 2023-2024
- ❖ **+** Outside Groups 2022-23 // Funding Allocation Requests
- ❖ **+** Revelle Groups 2023-24 // Funding Allocation Requests
- ❖ Nigerian Student Association
 - \$150
 - Finance committee recommends funding between \$100-\$250
 - Move to approve - from GU for the Nigerian Student Association Event
 - 11-4-1
 - **PASSED**
- ❖ Hum Book Drive
 - \$160.89
 - Move to approve - for the Hum Book Drive from GU
 - 14-0-2
 - **PASSED**
- ❖ Grad Committee
 - \$4,070.43
 - \$8401.76 left in line item
 - Move to approve - for the Grad Committee shirts from the Grad Committee line item
 - 14-0-2
 - **PASSED**

B. **Rules Committee [Anna McSorley]**

- ❖ **=** Formatted (11/2023): RCC Bylaws
- ❖ Bylaws Article 3 Section 1 - add Subsection 7: Appointments Process: Interviews
 - 17-0-0
 - **PASSED**
- ❖ Bylaws Article 3 Section 1 - add Subsection 8: Appointments Process: Equity Practices
 - 17-0-0
 - **PASSED**
- ❖ Bylaws Article 3 Section 1 Subsection 6 - add ": General" to "Subsection 6. Application Process"
 - 17-0-0
 - **PASSED**
- ❖ Rules discussed ethical spending and whether to amend bylaws to reflect changes similar to the ones AS are making
 - Since AS's ethical spending board and list have not yet been created, decided to wait until next term to implement changes
- ❖ Will not be meeting on Sunday!

C. **Appointments Committee [Gage Mowrey]**

- ❖ Nothing to report
- D. **Graduation Committee [Sharlene Yang]**
 - ❖ The meeting time has changed to 6:00pm-7:00pm
 - ❖ There is a meeting this Sunday!
 - ❖ Sunrise event happening NEXT week:



- ❖ Do Seniors want stoles this year?
 - Last year stoles: [RCC Stoles](#)
 - Each one was \$121 (we can make a design that is less than \$121) but RCC subsidized the stoles so each senior had to pay \$65 out of pocket
 - If RCC does subsidize it, we will have to give the Bookstore the first right of refusal
 - Note Bookstore will probably upcharge the stoles
 - If RCC does not want to subsidize the stole, we can make our own stoles
 - 6-0-1
- ❖ Straw poll for graduating members if they want the stoles?
- E. **Student Services Committee [Josef Daniels]**
 - ❖ HUM Book drive coming up - volunteer form to come
 - ❖ Meetings will resume next Friday
 - Time poll delayed due to my absence - please expect it this weekend
- F. **Engagement Committee [Alyssa Martinez]**
 - ❖ Monday at 4pm !
- G. **Spirit and Events Committee [Vickie Nguyen]**
 - ❖ Nothing to report.

VII. Reports

- A. **President [Anna McSorley]**
 - ❖ CCP
 - CCEF Funding requests
 - Energy and Waste Campaign Funding Request \$2000 (APPROVED)
 - Senior Formal at Birch Aquarium Request \$24,710.28 (TABLED)
 - Muir Destress Art Event Request \$659 (TABLED)
 - Senior Cap and Gown Request \$8000
 - Many councils opening their applications now
 - SunGod Kit Satellite Event April 19th 5:30-9:30pm (won't be tabling the whole time)
 - College Councils will be giving away sungod kits, there will also be free shirts, tote bags, and a battle of the bands performance
 - Asked J Board to collaborate with the RCC booth, need 3-5 people total, so if 1-2 people from RCC could help table please let me know
 - ASOP Banana Day - anyone want to table for RCC?

AS Office of the President Banana Day

Wednesday, April 17th, from 2 to 4:30 pm
Sun God Lawn



- ❖ Transition documents- if you feel there are things it would be helpful for your successor to know about your position (how things work, issues they may run into, helpful links or documents, helpful/relevant people to reach out to) please make a google doc with that information and drop it in the drive!
 - For larger positions (exec, directors, senators, etc) I will be reaching out to you and discussing creating comprehensive transition documents in the next few weeks and scheduling a meeting with your successor to ease the transition.
- ❖ Bingo every tuesday in the Plaza at 5:30
 - Huge shoutout to Isaac for taking over and running bingo for me last week!!
- ❖ Thanks to everyone who came to my office hours today (Kyli, Maddie, Kat, Shar, Isaac, Jimmy, Gage)

B. Vice President of Internal [Gage Mowrey]

- ❖ Constitutional Reminders:
 - As we start to wrap up the term, if your position is not filled after the elections this week, you are allowed to remain in your position through Week 10 of Spring Quarter as opposed to exiting Council Week 5
 - First Year, Transfer, Out-of-State and International shall also serve until the appointment of their successors on Council but shall not fill more than one position at a time
 - i.e. if you are voted into another position, you shall serve as such until Week 5 and then begin your new term/position Week 6
 - if not you stay until we find another Representative or until you graduate from UCSD
 - Feel free to ask me any questions on any of this or take a look at the Constitution if you wanna see what it says directly
 - Constitution: Article II, Section 4. Tenure
- ❖ Merch Choice
 - This will be a final choice: I will be opening the storefront Monday hopefully for any orders and will send the link in Discord
- ❖ Hat Interest: dad/trucker hat with design we choose to go for
 - Straw Polls
 - White Design v Black Design:
 - Dad/trucker Hat Interest:
 - Crewneck
 - Shirt
 - Shirt smaller design
 - [Designs & Prices](#)
 - White Design: 15
 - Black Design: 11
 - Hat: 10
 - Crew: 15
 - Shirt: 2
 - Abstain: 5
 - Big Design: 2
 - Little Design: 16
 - Small Design Front: 6
 - Big Design Back: 13

- White Design Crewneck, Big Back: 16
 - ❖ Info for Banquet: (little shuffle from last week)
 - Date: Saturday, April 27th, 2024 (Saturday Week 4)
 - Time: 4:00pm
 - Location: La Jolla Shores
 - BYO food, drinks provided (unless you have a drink you want to bring that's not coke/sprite/water)
 - I'll be baking a couple different cookies 🍪
 - Make sure to bring
 - enough for everyone to share!
 - tupperware to bring home anything you want at the end!
- C. **Vice President of Finance [Grace Constantian]**
 - ❖ Exec hours will be 11-1:30 on Wednesday at the sustainability resource center
 - ❖ Online exec hours will be available from 4:30-7:30 on Tuesdays as well but you have to notify me that you'd like to meet first.
 - ❖ If you are unable to attend any of these times let me know and we can figure out a different time.
 - ❖ Next week the wednesday office hours will be canceled but the online ones are still on
- D. **Vice President of Administration [Kathleen Nguyen]**
 - ❖ Exec hours 3:30-4:30 on Tuesdays/Thurs at Price :)
- E. **Vice President of External [Alyssa Martinez]**
 - ❖ Nothing to report.
- F. **Associated Students Revelle College Senators [Hannah Nguyen, Maddie Mercado]**
 - ❖ SPECIAL PRESENTATION: [Sustainability Action Plan of ASUCSD](#)
 - Collaboration with AVP of Environmental Justice Affairs and Concerts and Events as well as the Student Sustainability Collective
 - Goal: permanently reduce waste and carbon footprint of ASUCSD through a Special Committee on Sustainability & Environmental Justice
 - Aims to commit ASUCSD to calculate its Greenhouse Gas Emissions every year
 - Will recommend what mitigation targets AS should implement to counteract the emissions
 - Establish:
 - Waste Reduction Protocols that all AS funded events must follow
 - Unsustainable Products List that AS funds should not be directed towards
 - ❖ LEGISLATIVE ACTION ITEM: [Senate Rules reform \(Revision to the Special Rules of Order of the Associated Students of UC San Diego\)](#)
 - PASSED
 - ❖ LEGISLATIVE ACTION ITEM: [Senate Rules Reforms \(Revisions to the Standing Rules of the Associated Students of UC San Diego\)](#).
 - PASSED
 - ❖ FINANCE ACTION ITEM: [Triton Television \(TTV\) allocation of \\$20,510.83 from the AS Mandate Reserves.](#)
 - Upgraded equipment to keep up with demand across campus org's
 - PASSED
 - ❖ ACTION ITEM: [Performance Standards.](#)
 - PASSED
 - ❖ SENATOR REPORTS:
 - Standardizing Constitutional Procedures at the College Council Level
 - Action items later in the agenda
 - Collaboration with CAPS on Mental Health Month
 - Hannah
 - The Disabled Students Alliance meets every Friday @5 PM via zoom. We are a group that connects all disability student organizations and allies to discuss building a community resource center and other high priority concerns (see below) to collectively bring up to administration. We welcome any and all students to pitch their ideas to this conversation so we can represent your voice! Students can receive updates via Slack or email by letting me know at hdn002@ucsd.edu.

- Current partners: DUSC, BBE, ELP, UCSA, GPSA, Student Veterans Center, college council representatives, various AS senators, AS Disabled Students Commission, AS Academic Affairs Office, AS AVP of Transportation & Transformation
 - On March 21, I met with staff to see if they can release the data on the Lighting and Safety Review walks from this year and previous years. On April 12, Associated Students senators will meet with Vice Chancellors and staff to urge them to review a map of inaccessible and unsafe areas on campus. We are hoping to get accessibility features on maps.ucsd.edu as well.
 - On April 8, I plan to meet with staff from the Cross Cultural Center to see if the disability community can use their space temporarily for a physical gathering place until we can acquire a permanent community center
 - Another meeting with Assistant Vice Chancellors and the graduate students is in progress to discuss funding for a community center staff
 - The Pilot EVT.ai Notetaker Program is going full steam ahead! We hope to collect data by the end of the quarter and assess its usefulness for next year.
 - The Revelle Emerging Leaders Program is working on a survey to understand students with disabilities' experience (OSD, website, accommodations, etc.) and understand what they would want in a physical resource center. There may be potential collaboration and sponsorship by AS to increase outreach via an event
- G. **Director of Spirit and Events [Vickie Nguyen]**
 - ❖ Nothing to report.
- H. **Director of Student Services [Josef Daniels]**
 - ❖ Nothing further to report
- I. **Class Representatives**
 - **Fourth Year Representative [Sharlene Yang]**
 - ❖ Nothing to report
 - **Third Year Representative [Kyli Elise Joe]**
 - ❖ Nothing to report
 - **Second Year Representative [Tyler Porter]**
 - ❖ Nothing to report
 - **First Year Representatives [Isaac Rodriguez, Ludwig Bartels]**
 - ❖ Meeting with 8th Advisory Board members and Muir First Year representatives to discuss plans further next Tuesday.
- J. **Commuter Representative [Ichiro Shimizu]**
 - ❖ Nothing to report.
- K. **Residential Representative [Chris Ajanel]**
 - ❖ Thanks to ppl who came to the triton day video filming hopefully came out really nice
- L. **Transfer Representatives [Alex Gilden, Elan Ortiz]**
 - ❖ Notebooks and Goalkeeping event next week! 4/18 in formal lounge from 1:30-3:00
- M. **International Representative [Shriya Gupta]**
 - ❖ Nothing to report
- N. **First Gen Student Representatives [Rafael Mejia-Ramos, Topher Huerta]**
 - ❖ Nothing to report.
- O. **Out of State Representative [-]**
 - ❖
- P. **Resident Advisor Ex-Officio [Jacob Hoang]**



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- ❖ Quick Raise of Hands (9)
- ❖ Could RCC supply partial funding for a ResLife LSP on Week 8?
- ❖ Ode to the Avocado
 - Join Revelle Residence Life to take a step “Into the Avocadoverse”! Come for this 21 year-old tradition and enjoy some guacamole and stay for “Avocado Mercado,” the ultimate farmers market (make sure to bring your own bag)! After devouring your guacamole, find out your fortune at “ASTROcado,” an avocado fortune telling station! And if you’re feeling adventurous, be sure to sign up for the guacamole competition to have your guac named as the Best Guac in Revelle! We look forward to welcoming you at the Revelle Plaza, April 25th at 6pm!

Q. Revelle Judicial Board Ex-Officio [Carter Slay]

- ❖ Nothing to Report

R. Student Initiated Programs @ Revelle Ex-Officio [Samantha Parker]

- ❖ SIP is recruiting starting April 15th to May 5th!
- ❖ Events Coming Up:
 - Tie Dye Shirts & Games: Week 4 - Monday, April 22nd 2:00–4:00PM
 - Gaze into the future
 - Culture movie night 1 (Spirited Away): Week 5 - Thursday, May 2nd, 7:00pm
 - Culture movie night 2 (Parasite): Week 6 - Thursday, May 9th, 7:00pm
 - Culture movie night 3 (The Debut): Week 7 - Thursday, May 16th, 7:00pm
 - Culture movie night 4 (Lilo and Stitch): Week 8 - Thursday, May 23rd, 7:00pm
 - Cultural Student Film Fest (Films made by Students!): Week 9 - Friday, May 31st, 7:00pm
 - Watermelon Royalty Pageant: Week 8 - Monday, May 13, 2:00 - 4:00 p.m. More info pending!

S. Revelle College Dean of Student Affairs [Dean Sherry Mallory]

- ❖ A big THANK YOU to Anna, Ichiro, Sharlene, and Topher, who served as student panelists for last night’s Triton Day webinar for newly admitted first-year students
- ❖ New furniture was installed in the Revelle Commuter Lounge yesterday. We’re planning to reopen the space to the Revelle community on Monday morning, in time for the first Revelle Monday of the quarter! (Monday, 4/15, 10-11am)

T. Coordinator of Student Activities [Wesley Palaú]

- ❖ Shout out to Jimmy, Ichiro, and Alex for volunteering your time this Saturday for Triton day!
- ❖ If you have not started planning your program or still thinking about what you want to bring to life - Please - schedule here: <https://calendly.com/wesleypalau> OR send me your availability through email: (wpalau@ucsd.edu)
- ❖ If there are any specific crafts you would like to see, I’m taking student suggestions for ‘Queer Crafternoon’, please let me know!
- ❖ Events coming up:
 - Mon 4/15, 11:00 - 4:00pm, Revelle Student Assts. & Revelle Creative Present: Headshots & Donuts at Stonehenge
 - Wed 4/17, 1:00 - 3:00 pm, ADSA Office Hours: LEGO & Coloring Club, GH 357

U. Campus-Wide Representatives

- **UHAC Representative [Emily Pizarro-Alfaro]**

- ❖ Nothing to report

- **SFAC Representative and Shadow [Alex Gonzalez, Sophia Li]**

- ❖ Nothing to Report.

- **UCAB Representative [Michelle Pham]**

- ❖ Nothing to report.

- **SHWAB Representative [Sammy Kawai]**

- ❖ Nothing to report.
 - First SHWAB meeting of the quarter tmr!:)

- **RFAB Representative [Jimmy Choy]**

- ❖ Nothing to report

- **LSAC Representative [Hang Liu]**

- ❖ Nothing to report

- **Civic Engagement Advocate [Nic Tappin]**

- ❖ Nothing to report.

- **Sustainability Advocate [Caren Aguirre]**

- ❖ The meeting with Revelle Pro-Staff Advisors went well! They know about the waste sorting program so if you have an event coming up with food PLEASE MESSAGE ME so we can coordinate/create a waste management plan for your event
- ❖ The printer hasn't been working at the Sustainability Resource Center so sorry for the delay in the RA Sustainability Bulletin and I also recently took on a very big project
- ❖ Very big project is the **Sustainability Action Plan of the Associated Students of UC San Diego**
 - I have been working closely with Senator Blackwell to implement my findings from my waste sorting program into waste management procedures AS members can follow (trickle down to college councils is the goal)
 - **Zero Waste/ Waste Sorters Pilot Program**
 - That's a link to an overview of my program
 - I am currently writing the Waste Reduction Protocols and training material for new AS members to learn about sustainability and how to make zero-waste, eco-conscious events/implant the waste reduction protocols!
- ❖ Earth Day Event in May
 - Working with Muir College Council, SSC, AVP EJ and ASCE on putting on an Earth Day festival in May
- ❖ Feedback on establishing a working group/action group for all sustainability/environmental justice representatives/advocates
 - Chair: Director of Energy & Waste at the Student Sustainability Collective
 - They will keep running notes, sending out meeting links, etc.
 - This would be a way to implement the WRPs, check in and have other sustainability initiatives like the compost bucket program move easily established campus wide
 - connections with muir and seventh have been made so i'd mostly be presenting this to the other college
 - Thoughts?
 - Golsa: I like this idea because every college sustainability advocate working alone is much harder than working together to make progress and setting goals. It can also become a potential set meeting for next year and a board that meets weekly/biweekly.
- ❖ ALSO SSC IS HIRING!
 - <https://asmain.ucsd.edu/Applicant/ViewApplication/2921>
 - so rewarding!

- **EDI Advocate [Golsa Rahbari]**

- ❖ Nothing to report.

- **Basic Needs Advocate [Emma Luppi]**

- ❖ HDH has collaborated with Basic Needs to launch the new **Swipe Out Hunger Program** (this is very important to me as it was something I came up with when I first ran for BNA and seeing it come to life after much conversation)
- ❖ **What:** students may Swipe Out Hunger on campus by donating excess Dining Dollars to the UCSD Basic Needs Center → all donations go directly to the Basic Needs Center to be used to provide to fellow Tritons facing food insecurity

- ❖ **How:** visit this website to complete the Dining Dollar contribution online → <https://hdh-web.ucsd.edu/sso/DDContribution> (A student may contribute their Dining Dollars as long as the contribution does not place the cardholder's balance below the minimum balance for that week)
- ❖ **When:** the donation period will last from **4/8/24 - 6/8/24**
- ❖ Meeting with Basic Needs to talk about the pantry set-up + I've created the google form to send out to RAs but we will be reviewing it tomorrow before it is sent out



VIII. New Business

- A. Presentation of Constitutional Amendments. Sponsored by Senator Mercado.
 - a. Presented by sponsor: 26
 - b. Presented by senators: 0
 - c. Abstain: 1
- B. Voting Timeline on Constitutional Amendments. Sponsored by Senator Mercado.
 - a. Automatically: 1
 - b. 1 week: 19
 - c. Abstain: 6
- C. Voting Closes at 4 PM 4/12! Elections Results Tomorrow, 6:00 PM at Dirty Birds, Sponsored by VPA Kat (limited free pizza!)

IX. Unfinished Business

X. Announcement

- A. Passing of the gavel
 - Passed to Maddie

XI. Roll Call

PRESENT: Anna, Alyssa, Grace, Kathleen, Vickie, Josef, Hannah, Maddie, Kyli, Isaac, Ludwig, Ichiro, Chris, Alex, Rafael, Christopher, Nic, Emily, Sophia, Sammy, Jimmy, Hang, Golsa, Emma, Michelle, Samantha, Jacob, CSA Wesley, Dean Sherry

EXCUSED: Sharlene, Elan, Gage, Caren, Carter, Alex

UNEXCUSED: Tyler, Shriya

ADJOURNED: 6:06 PM

