# Kresge Parliament – 04/26/18

Start: 6:33 PM Quorum: 8 Ice Breaker: What is your favorite instrument? Can you play it?

**Funding Request:** Film Production Coalition – Student Club requesting \$150.00 Films are made each quarter providing an opportunity to make films, use equipment, even for non majors. Students join a group based on the genres that quarter. Members participate is any role in pre, film or post production. Club has 76 members, 6 Kresgians. Hosting a film festival week ten on Saturday night. Asking for \$150 for production costs for one film. Costs include costumes, sets, props, etc. Support is very important for their club. They want to help the students create their vision(s). Advertise through flyers, FB, film classes and tabling. Received funding from Cowell.

**Presentation:** Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) – Max, SUA President A lot is going on here at UCSC, the LRDP, Housing West and the Strategic Academic Plan to name a few. Students are upset about how Admin. has not been consulting or outreaching to the majority of students. There is a Student Union Housing Group with subgroups that will become an official SOAR org. next year. They would like to hear student opinions about this problem? How can we ask administration to do a better job?

Questions to think about: What are some effective ways the administration could reach out, what are non-effective ways? Please send ideas to Max – suapres@ucsc.edu

Effective: Our CAO visits our student government quarterly with updates.

We invited the EVC to attend a Parliament meeting.

Non-effective: Kresge Housing Committee only had one student rep. The other two slots were never filled. (Grad Division and SUA)

Authors of election measures (TAPS) hard to get included in their mtgs

- Q. What are some ways that administration can get feedback and utilizing that feedback?
- Q. What type of projects need consultation?
  - -If it's going to affect students, let them know.
  - -Assign staff person to fill student slots, follow up with absent reps.
  - -Anything that takes away resources from students like converting the lounges.
  - -Consult on big-ticket expenditures like 4/20. How much did 100 cops cost UCSC?
  - Overworking students, grad students and staff
  - -Overcrowded classes
  - -Planning meetings should be public, their minutes posted.
  - -Admin staff office hours

Max shared a clever handout about an Academic Plan student survey including a QR code. -IRB is conducting a hard copy survey used for actual research including questions about campus and housing improvements. This community-based participatory survey will shine light on the different housing conditions students are facing. For example, there is no standard permissible level of mold. The housing contracts over time need revision. On-campus students only have 3 days to vacate and that is not enough time. The survey requires a certified surveyor, on campus students please sign up to participate. The data will help students.

-SUA passed a resolution to endorse the rent control measure on the Santa Cruz City June ballot. SUA endorses rent control. The goal is to level out the playing field with landlords and renters. First, a rent cap; only increase rent based off of inflation and wages. Just Cause Eviction: landlords should need a reason to evict tenants. Rent board, create to regularly review progress. Max would be happy to come back. Office Hours: Tues. & Fri. 10 – 11:30 a.m. Student Union (2<sup>nd</sup>)

**Deliberations:** Current Budget: \$1450.00

Film Prod. Coalition – Film fests. are fun, experience at student level, we gave them \$150. Last year. Bradley motions to fund \$150. Nick 2<sup>nds</sup>, 7 Hoots. 1 Abstain = Approved

**Budget Requests for next week:** Korean American Student Association 7th Annual Banquet Hosting dinner 5-9 PM May  $26^{th}$  at Porter/Kresge Dining Hall. Sharing Korean culture by providing education and perspectives on Korean Culture. Providing a space for Korean and Korean-American students at UCSC. Requesting \$150. Quinn motions to invite. Michelle  $2^{nds}$ , 7 Hoots, 1 Abstain = Approved

El Centro: Chicano Latino Resource Center: 15<sup>th</sup> Annual Cesar Chavez Convocation Hosting annual event May 16<sup>th</sup> at the MPR. (time TBA) Highlight civil right activist; testimonies of East LA students who walked out of class. Expecting 200+ attendees. El Centro helps promote Chicanx and Latinx perspectives and contributions. Asking for \$350, total budget \$9526. Expenses include speakers \$7500. Food \$900. Supplies \$150. Transportation \$170. Advertising is \$266. and T-Shirts \$540. Michelle motions to invite. Bradley 2<sup>nds</sup> ,6 Hoots. 1 Oppose. 1 Abstain. = Approved

Fish Rap: Student alternative paper requesting funds for printing expenses \$100. Last 2 issues of the year. We talk about current events in humorous ways. The students from every college contribute to the newspaper. The total budget is \$5515 to \$5849. Each issue costs about \$612-\$649. Printing 3000 copies. Requesting funding from each college, SUA and College Provosts. Bradley motions to fully fund Fish Rap. \$100. Nick 2<sup>nds</sup>, 5 Hoots. 3 Abstain = Approved

## **Parliament Updates:**

Parliament Swag - Decide on article of clothing: not too many members voted...
Socks/Beanies, Sweatshirt, long sleeve tee, Alternate windbreaker at Custom Ink
Decide on design – Celinda's submissions or old shield design?
Discussion about options arrived at alter. windbreaker with old shield on back, quote on front.
Cost will be below \$40. EA. Michelle motions for this design and Parliament budget to pay for half. Liza 2<sup>nds</sup>, 6 Hoots. 2 Abstain = Approved Pam will check with Custom Ink on pricing.

Community Improvements: -Vending machines in laundry room. Cannot make room for additional machine due to space and electricity. Which one should we remove? The soda or water one? The water one could be removed. By popular vote; The water machine would be removed.

Free library: Any more outreach ideas? How should we spread the word? Posters, Book boxes for move out, door to door. Also, should we lock it over the summer?

**Approval of minutes:** 4/19/18 Nick motions approve, Michelle 2<sup>nds</sup>,6 Hoots. 2 Abstain = Approved

### **Report Backs:**

SUA: Nick, Quinn, Ian - Meeting did end until 11:40 PM. There was a 70-minute long community workshop to go over issues and interpersonal relationships. Funding for election representatives, reserve Classroom Unit II for debates, have Taqueria S.C. and ice cream for outreach. UCOP Admin invited to talk about conditions here and report back to Janet N. A lot of money requested for visit and use of Barn Theater. Not sure why we are paying them because they are still coming regardless. Rent Control referendum passed, SOFA funding approved. Black Out got fully funded. Summer Orientation request will go on next year's budget. Waiting on corrected budget before funding. USSA on campus visit TBA. AFSME- Local 3299 referendum for staff strike May 7<sup>th</sup> - 9<sup>th</sup>: (three days) Bylaws suspended to vote in support of strike for better working conditions and pay.

- SCOC: Gavin No applications, but taking applications for next year 2018-19. Ask Quinn for details. Stevenson/Cowell sister event may 5<sup>th</sup> at the pool.
- SFAC: lan Amphitheater availability for students issues.
- SUGB: Ryan Funding finals week breakfast food, SUGB swag, Talked about undocumented students and privatization issues. Food insecurity for staff members.
- SAS: Nick Reviewed survey results. Psych. majors want majors only classes, struggling to get enough class credits to declare. Contacting students who had to wait and get their opinions.
   Mental Health Fair is May 20<sup>th</sup> at Merrill Cultural Center. Time TBA
- Current Affairs: see attached.

#### **Announcements:**

Thurs. 4/26 – Tonight Queeroke in Town Hall till 9 p.m. Fri. 4/27 – Outdoor Movie – Lady Bird – 9 – 10:30 p.m. Lower St. Refreshments Sat./Sun 28/29 – Alumni Weekend – lots of open events around campus

Rocky Horror Friday/Saturday at the Del Mar at Midnight with Ryan. Order tickets online beforehand.

Kresge presents PRIDE May 12<sup>th</sup> – we need volunteers, Hana sent out the link, please help out.

Meeting Adjourned: 8:01 PM

Current Affairs - Liza

#### LOCAL NEWS: \*WARNING: GRAPHIC CONTENT; SEXUAL VIOLENCE\*

A woman fought off a stranger who tried to rip off her clothes and rape her at the Santa Cruz clock tower Wednesday evening, police told KSBW. The woman was walking by the clock tower on Pacific Avenue when a man, Daisuke Muro, jumped out and grabbed her. Muro, 40, tried to pull the woman's pants down as she fought back. "During the struggle the woman was pulled to the ground and Muro began to rip her clothes and attempted to pull her pants off. People in the immediate area hearing the woman screaming and witnessed what was occurring intervened. They pulled the woman up from being under Muro, and began to run away," Lt. Warren Barry said. He then stripped off his own clothes and began masturbating, police said. When police arrived, Muro charged at them and tried to attack the officers, police said. Muro was arrested on charges of attempted rape and assaulting a peace officer. The victim suffered bruises while struggling with Muro. Arrest records show that Muro was arrested just 24 hours before the clock tower attack. Police arrested Muro on Tuesday for loitering at the Santa Cruz Police Station on Center Street. The Santa Cruz Police Department is adding extra patrols downtown because of Wednesday's incident.

#### NATIONAL NEWS: \*ADDITIONAL WARNING: GRAPHIC CONTENT (SEXUAL/PHYSICAL VIOLENCE)

After searching for more than 40 years, authorities say an ex-cop is the Golden State Killer. DeAngelo, 72, was taken into custody Tuesday evening in the Sacramento suburb of Citrus Heights. Police allege he is the so-called Golden State Killer, who is believed to have committed 12 killings and at least 50 rapes in at least 10 counties in California. Detectives matched a discarded DNA sample from his home to evidence from the investigation, according to law enforcement officials who gathered outside the crime lab where the key break was uncovered. DeAngelo was arrested not far from where the Golden State killer committed some of his crimes. While officials would not say what led them to seek DeAngelo's DNA, they said his name emerged in connection with the crimes last week. He was arrested without incident. DeAngelo faces capital murder charges in connection with the killings of Katie and Brian Maggiore in 1978. He is being held without bail in Sacramento. He will be arraigned Friday afternoon. He also is accused of murder by authorities in Orange and Ventura counties, according to documents and officials.

BIZARRE NEWS: Finally, A Race For The Rest Of Us: 0.5K In Texas Includes Beer, Smoke Break. The inaugural Boerne (pronounced like Bernie) race is "500-ish" yards, or .3 miles. The "um, 'race,'" as its organizers call it, begins and ends with a free pint of beer. And at the halfway point, if you've burned through your carbs (.15 miles in), a doughnut and coffee hydration station is available for a carbo reload — right next to the costume contest and smoking area. The entry fee was \$25 before tickets sold out. All proceeds will go to Blessings in a Backpack, a charity organization that tackles food insecurity by supplying weekend meals for elementary school students who might otherwise go hungry. The uber-underachieving VIP, however, could pay an extra \$25 to be shuttled across the finish line in a restored 1963 VW bus. VIPs also get an even bigger medal, organizers say "because you are even more important!" The race is scheduled for May 5. Other perks of signing up include a "pretentious" 0.5k sticker, and a medical tent that may or may not be manned. ("546 yards is nothing to take too lightly.")