



Bethune College Council Meeting #11
BC224
October 4 2019 4PM-6PM EST
Chaired by Emily Panzarella

Start Time: 4:06PM EST

Voting Members: Adam Brihmi, Syed Naqvi, Justin Calcada, Meryl Pirasol, John Amanatides

Non-Voting Members: Sara Sarwari(late 4:10PM), Thadsha Vannan, Alyssa Soroka, Emily Panzarella (late 4:05PM), Nami Yazdankhah, Arsh Riyat

Absent: Ahmad Ali, Nicole Shwartz, Claudio Budo, Helia Zamani, Akin Adewale, Zain Ali, Olga Jankovic, Dominic Bowman, Justyn Drisdelle, Clifford Baker, Suzanne Park, Andrew Skelton

President's Update

- Finalized Frosh surveys for feedback during Orientation Week to be used for next year
 - One survey is designed for Frosh and the other survey is designed for leaders
 - Prizes to encourage people to complete the forms
- Develop surveys with VP Socials to know what kind of events constituents are interested in during the year
- Constitution meeting was held earlier in the week
 - Once finalized, suggestions will be brought to council regarding the changes
 - The next constitution meeting may be open to get feedback on changes
- CPA (Council Presidents Association) meeting was held last Friday to discuss Frosh week, specifically kit transfers, joint events, and the intramural system
 - Felt that the intramural system was not as inclusive to the Francophone community (especially Glendon), as rules cannot be seen in French and referees are not bilingual
 - Addressed this with the Intramural Programmer

Executive Vice President's Update

- Air hockey table has been ordered and will arrive in about three weeks
- Two commuter representatives have been hired
 - Updates:
 - October 22: Raptors game streaming
 - October 31: Halloween event (overnight event)
 - November 8: Rage dodgeball (overnight event)
 - Last week of November: Christmas-themed stress-buster activities
 - Biweekly events will be planned once commuters complete surveys to find which times work best to hold meetings and events



Vice President Social Update

- Montreal is approaching
 - Room requests are due next week
 - Waiting on the list of constituents who opted-in so that transfers can be completed
 - The list may not be available before Montreal so this is not guaranteed
- Consider planning the Blue Mountain trip

Orientation Chairs Update

- Debrief with YODA was held to voice any concerns
 - Notified of the Orientation Chair package to be completed throughout the year

YFS Director Update

- Important dates:
 - November 1: Activist Assembly to discuss the Student Choice Initiative
 - November 6: Rally for the Student Choice Initiative
- Continue to promote YFS posts through social media

Chief Returning Officer Update

- Many application forms were submitted incomplete, making many candidates ineligible
- Voting period will be pushed back from October 7-10 to October 9-12
 - Issue with receiving the list of first-year students in order to set up First-Year Representative voting
 - The campaigning period will also be extended for two days
- Five general members have applied for three positions
- Nine first-year representatives have applied for two positions

Meeting Adjourned: 4:16PM EST

Next Meeting: TBD