

10/15/2012 Queer Commission Minutes, contact andrewfarkash@gmail.com

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I. Ice breaker

a. Introductions, if you could have one food item in front of your face right now what would it be! ☺

II. Announcements

a. Queer Pin@y Conference apps are due in two days (app can be found online, not a lot of applicants. OUTREACH plan)

b. QSU big queer/little queer smores event TONIGHT @ 8:30pm @ the Rainbow House lawn

c. Funding application for QComm is ready (To be launched online tonight):
https://docs.google.com/document/d/1_Jac_LtE-chvfecGk4nAz7H_1c3smUrQTQ9ADNoBuGA/edit?pli=1

d. Application for QComm first year intern, transfer intern and special coordinator positions to be launched online tonight: <http://tinyurl.com/8hgfw9k>

e. This **Thursday from 5-7/8 @ San Nic Formal Lounge, Kalaya'an Mendoza** (Amnesty International Speaker) for those who are interested in gaining messages and media skills! Wearing QBomb shirts and swag is encouraged! ☺

III. Debriefs

a. Retreat

i. Retreat packet to be completed soon, including inclusive language sheet & does and don't of being a good ally!

ii. Revising legal code: office hours

iii. Website

iv. Next week come with project tasks: Tasks Calendar

b. Coming Out Week

i. Keshet: first interest meeting very successful, over 20 people attended, future events planned/laid out! Monthly meetings to be announced soon (first Thursday of each month?)

ii. Critical Coming out with QSU on Tuesday: critical discussion of coming out

iii. Queer People of Color (Wednesday night) dialogue/discussion on coming out (or not) in communities of color and the struggles associated with it

- iv. AS Retreat: leadership building (first half), defining

AS (second half)

- 1. Campaign: You Are Associated Students
- 2. Tabling Fair: Week 5
- 3. BC4 meeting Week 4 (Qcomm must attend)

IV. Officer Updates

- a. Tim- October 28th, Safe zone workshop for Greek Life retreat
- b. Peterson- date for QLC November 2nd 12-5 at women's center conference room, deadline for asking queer leadership about what they want at the conference tonight
- c. Terri- hotels for QPC, app is due Thursday the 18th tinyurl.co/qpc2012
- d. RJ- Carly Thomson specified that she wants to work with QComm and create workshop, RJ taking this up as a project
- e. Evan- Queer commission binder ready for people to add the amazing stuff we do to it! ☺

V. Funding Requests

- a. **\$970** for Queer Pin@y conference requested by Terri Luna (\$700 for hotels, \$270 for gas)
 - i. Andrew motions to fund \$970
 - ii. Tim seconds
 - iii. Peterson calls to question
 - iv. Evan consents
 - v. **No objections to consent, motion passes to fund**

Queer Pin@y conference \$970

- b. **\$20** for 200 Queer Bomb buttons
 - i. RJ motions to fund 20\$
 - ii. Terri seconds
 - iii. Jennifer calls to question
 - iv. Andrew consents
 - v. **No objections to consent, motion passes to fund**

Qcomm buttons \$20

VI. Next Meeting

- a. Legal Code
- b. Projects: support each other, teamwork