**October 25th, 2023 - Senate Notes**

**Guest Speaker - Babson Public Safety**

**General Expectations for Senate 2023 - 2024 :**

* No Phone(s)
* No laptop(s)
* Be respectful of speakers and each other
* Attendance + accountability
* Be punctual
* Roberts Rule of Order + Parliamentary Procedure

**Speaker Notes with Babson Public Safety**

**Contact Point -** [**publicsafety@babson.edu**](mailto:publicsafety@babson.edu)

* Kevin Carrigan - Community Engagement Officer
* Roger (Babson Campus Community Resource Dog)
* Chief of Police - Erin Carcia
  + 12 years at Babson
  + Campus Law Enforcement for 22 years

**Babson Public Safety Oversight**

* Campus Safety
  + Students, faculty, Staff, Parents
* One Card
  + New Location: Reynolds Campus Center
* Emergency Management
* Community Engagement
  + EX: Pizza on STOOP
  + Candy Bags and Pizza Party
* **Situational Awareness and Self Defense Classes**
  + Situational Awareness Class (1 Hour)
    - Going into boston prep, etc
  + **Self Defense** 
    - Punching and Kicking techniques in the case of the emergency

**Resources**

* 6-7 student employees
  + Student insight to better ways to encourage and promote campus safety

**Issue**

* Perception of Cops
  + Goal: When you see a community resource officer, you feel safe and encouraged to speak on things you may need help with.
  + Encourage students to seek help when needed from a community resource officer.
    - “Public Safety is here for you!”
  + Goal (2): Improve student experiences on Babson’s Campus

**Q&A with Babson Public Safety**

**Q:** Is there anything public safety is doing differently this weekend for halloweekend? Any events?

**A:** Pizza and Candy Goodie Bags on stoop in collaboration with SGA, tomorrow (10/26) at 11 P.M! Goal is to pursue a student focused or community based event once a month, showing that thy have the student experience at the forefront!

* **Student Safety Precautions**
  + Larger amount of patrols during the weekend
  + Staff count is higher on the weekend

**Q:** Speedbumps, are they staying all semester?

**A:** Taken out with snow removal. Public Safety will monitor for snow, and they will be removed prior to winter storms.

**Follow Up Q:** Permanent speed bumps?

**Follow Up A**: Proposal is happening now in the masterplan!

**Q:***Fire alarms*: MCcullough alarms (9 since august) due to people blow drying their hair. How does that happen?

**A:** Highest Building Frequency study, they are looking to how they can adjust the fire alarms in the building, with a potential building-central fire alarm. Looking into a consultant to gain further input on this matter!

* **Note:** Marketing point: Sharing with students the information they receive, and what initiatives Public Safety is currently working on!

**Q**: Concerns: Students can not hear fire alarms in the woodside.

**A**: Provide an officer carrigan a room number for the woodside room on the second floor, they will be looking into this! (Ex: 243)

* **Follow Up A:** Working on getting new fire alarms systems.

**Q**: One Card: residential buildings before 9, why does it work for some and not for all!

**A :** You can get into the building in which you reside, after 9 P.M, only. You cannot access other buildings after 9 P.M. If you are still having issues, please contact [onecard@babson.edu](mailto:onecard@babson.edu)

* **Reason** for this initiative: Prevent unwanted or unconsented situations from happening.

Suggestion: Extending One Card Hours on the Weekend

* Reach out to Caitlin Capozzi or Josh Pepoc to extended the One Card Office Hours

**Suggestion** for safety concerns around Food Service Drivers

* Drop Box Safe Points for Uber Eats and Doordash

**Q**: Why is it that students during performances have to pay for public safety details?

**A**: Officers that are on campus on service calls can support the officers that they have on shift, to accommodate the needs of student safety for these events. Paid detail for officer replacements.

* Event Detail Needs: alcohol, time of day, crowd control, etc
  + Campus Resource: Detail Request Form

**Q**: Is there collaboration with students that are abroad and Public Safety?

**A:** Presentation on student safety in abroad countries in collaboration with Glavin Global office and the risk management team.

**Closing:** If there is something that didn't go well or could have been conducted better, please share that experience with the Public Safety Team!

* Don't hesitate to outreach!

**Budgets for SGA**

1. **IMAN x HSA x ISA**
   1. Diwali Budget
      1. November 20th
      2. 8 P.M onwards on knight auditorium
      3. Event of lights
   2. Budget Makeup
      1. 250 Indian Pre-packaged foods
      2. Catered: Peppino’s
   * **Budget Total:** $54,531.46

**Q & A with IMAN**

* **Q:** Implement Strobe Lights
* **A:** Yes

**Open Discussion with IMAN**

* **N/A**

**Budget Status: Approved**

* Approved: 25
* Denied: 0
* Abstain: 1

1. **BOW Figure Skating**

* A. Practice Ice Time and Event Time
  + Babson is not finding any ice team
    - 9 Practice Sessions and 2 Events
    - Wellesley pays for 30%, and Babson pays for 70%
      * Wellesley pays for 3 session
    - Wellesley pays for 60% of the ice time
* 4 pairs of Jackson Brand Figure Skates
  + **Budget Total:** $3046.44

**Q & A with Babson Figure Skating**

**Q:** What does the event entail?

**A:** Open / Public Skate, halloween event tis weekend.

* + Allows accessibility to a sport that is high barrier

**Q:** Practice is time, are they just an hour?

**A:** yes, 7-8 time frame

**Open Discussion with Babson Figure Skating**

* Club Hockey Discussion / Club Sports Funding
  + Internally, does athletics charge for ice time?
    - Why are we charging our students for Ice Time?

**Budget Status: Approved**

* Approved: 23
* Denied: 2
* Abstain: 0

1. **Babson Political Association** 
   1. **UN Trip** 
      1. Strive to have events to have political discords
      2. Trip to NY
         1. Last year, 40 person trip, open to the entire community
         2. This year, they're aiming for 50 seats!
      3. Guided headquarter tours
   2. Event Date: Nov 17th
   3. Timeframe: 6:30 A.M. - 12:00 A.M
      1. Marketing tactic: SGA Marketing + physical flyers
      2. Panera will be provided to students
   * **Budget Total:** $4,638.06

**Q & A with BPA**

**Q:** How will you motivate people to go for the UN experience, and not the New York experience?

**A:** First come first serve through the signup process.

**Q:** What are they doing at the UN?

**A:** Guided tour of facilities in the UN, self guided landmark seeing around the city. Last year they got to engage in the women conference and talk about the short and long term goals of the UN sustainability goals.

**Q:** Were there any issues getting those 40 kids on the bus last year?

**A**: Not that they are aware of.

**Q**: Is there a way that you are controlling if people from last year are going again this year?

**A**: It's open to the community so they can't control it. Even for a repeat, it's a different experience.

**Q:** DP BPA members get first access to the Trip?

**A:** No, it goes through the signup process on a first come first serve basis, even for house members.

**Open Discussion with BPA**

* **N/A**

**Budget Status: Approved**

* Approved: 22
* Denied: 0
* Abstain: 2

**Constitutional Amendments**

1. OWWWG Discretionary

**Budget Status: Approved**

* Approved: 22
* Denied: 1
* Abstain: 1

1. Discretionary

**Budget Status: Approved**

* Approved: 24
* Denied: 0
* Abstain: 0

1. Budget Senate Limit for Presentation

**Budget Status: Approved**

* Approved: 18
* Denied: 3
* Abstain: 1

**E-Board Report Outs**

**VPF:**

* Pilot Program for a Bus to Boston
  + Date Recommendations
    - Friday Night
    - Leave around 6-7 P.M. - Return at 1-2 A.M.

**EVP:**

* CAPS leassian with SGA
* REP: ann
  + Communicating information back and forth regarding programming
* SGA Historian

**President:**

* **ABSENT**
* We have food truck event at 11 this Thursday, please raise your hand if you could help in giving out pizzas and candies
* We got 652 transportation responses from the survey!!!! Yaay! I will be working on creating a report about it this weekend
* Any help with the round table convo next week will be appreciated: we will have 7 tables with various campus partners coming to the event
* Please fill the form about the class advice sheet!! Really wanna create it for us before we choose our courses for next year
* Hoping to create two new positions for existing senators with constitutional amendment: DE&I rep and study abroad rep, CAPS rep
* Let me know if you have any feedback!!!

**VPC:**

* **OWWWG x BFSO {Babson Polo Beaver}**
  + Safety Hazards and Concerns
    - Students were in the street, another student was injured
      * EX: Larger boys were pushing around smaller girls
  + Structure and Planning
    - One entrance and one exit
    - OWWWGS in various locations
    - Golf Cart Giveaways
* **Round Table Discussions** 
  + OWWWG on Friday
    - Babson Beaver Polo Pt. 2
    - Students get merch at the end of the event, for giving their feedback.
* **October Newsletter** 
  + Committee Outreach and Ideation
* **Student Life Committee**
  + November Brainstorming and Bonding Session

**VPCO:**

* **BOW Club Fair**

**VPAA:**

* UAPC Last Friday
  + Approved: Pass Fail system for students
* SGA Collaboration for Study Abroad OWWWG Collaboration
* Cross Collaboration List for cross registered classes at Wellesley and Olin

**Advisors’s Corner**

**Angel**

* Schedule one on one, if you have not already, reach out to Angel!

**Kenzie**

* Seniors, what set up do you need for the Sunday pancakes event?
  + Lawn tables (3-4)
  + 1-3 Chairs

**Senator Report Outs**

**Club Sports:** Professional Development Event for Club Sports

**Commuter Rep:** Trim is expenses for commuter students

* Is there a way to lower the price for dining for commuter students?

**BOW Ambassador:** Survey for feedback on BOW Club Fair.

**2027 -** Pilot program for MIP reps | SGA Office Redesign | Campus Wide Coffee Initiative, Babson Signature Wall “leave your mark” | CWEL x OWWWG Collab | Friendship initiative | Green house project

**2026 -** Knitting committee for Beanie Designs (OWWWG Collab) | Health Pop Up before Thanksgiving Break

**2025 -** Hat giveaway on December 2nd with Pizza and Ice Cream, open to the entire community (food only) | Game room machines have been approved by the vendor

**2024** - Pancake event this sunday, at 11 A.M. | Glavin Office Representative Discussions

**Accountability Forms**

* Fill out the accountability form every week!

**Open Forum**

* Survey on whether or not students like / dislike the hand dryer systems
  + Committee:
* Sorenson + MIP Rep
  + Committee: Khushi, Jackson
* SGA Room
  + Accent Walls
  + New tables and Chairs
  + Desk / Desktop
  + Coffee Corner
    - Content Corner
  + Storage?
    - Sliding door closets
  + Photo of senate
  + LED Logo Sign (SGA)

**Announcements**

* Card Swipe Attendance Tracking
* Babson Players tomorrow (10/26) and (10/27)
* Halloweekend!