

**RESIDENCE HALL STUDENT ASSOCIATION  
ASSOCIATE COUNCIL MEETING**

Date: 4/15/2019

Location: SUB 62/63

**CALL TO ORDER 9:00 PM**

Happy E-Board Appreciation Day!

**MYSTERY ACTIVITY 9:05 PM**

We watched more Hallywood Videos!

**ROLL CALL/HALL REPORTS 9:24 PM**

HALL NAME	NUMBER PRESENT	SHIRTS	CONFERENCE SHIRTS	HALL REPORT
BEVIER	1	0	0	Talked about future events
BLISS	3	1	0	Talked about programming and future events
BOUTON	6	6	0	Talked about budget and programs
CAPEN	4	2	0	Talked about future programs
COLLANG O	4	1	3	Talked about game of thrones program and future programming
CRISPELL				
DEYO	2	1	0	Held Hall Gov Bonding
DUBOIS				
ESOPUS	5	2	0	Talked about future programs and bonding
GAGE	1	0	0	Talked about programs and bonding
LEFEVRE	2	2	0	Talked about programs
LENAPE	5	1	0	Discussed the game room and programs
RIDGEVIEW	10	10	0	Discussed future programs
SCUDDER	2	1	0	Discussed future programming

**NRHH 9:27 PM**

One person no shirts, last meeting we went over applications and we are going to be inducting 3 new people!

**SENATE 9:27 PM**

Stay tuned for a Senate Report

## OLD BUSINESS 9:27 PM

Motion to Open: Ridgeview  
Second: Collango

### Historian

Yearbook is really cool this year, it's going to be different, you all get full pages, so that's more room for more pictures. I could still use help, so please sign up! I even have a whole page for recognition. I'm missing Crispell, Bevier, Collango, and Lefevre, so historians please message me. It's cool if they do their page. The other part is superlatives! I'm handing them out, so please vote. They're totally anonymous and pretty self explanatory. I'm going to go through these today or tomorrow, I'll reach out to you if you get one so you can send me a picture.

### Coffeehouse

That's me, sorry I have twix in my mouth. It happened, it was a lot of fun, Sodexo gave us some really good donuts. David Eaton did such a good job, thanks for showing up, it was a fun time. Stay sassy.

### Amazing Race

Hey that's me, the Amazing Race was on Saturday. It was a lot of fun, thank you for coming! We had fun in the sun because the sun was out, I got a watch tan. You don't want to see it. There were some nice prizes, I know a few people won! Thanks for coming, I hope you all had a great time, tune in next year to do it again! \*\*What has hands but cannot clap?

Motion to Close: Scudder  
Second: Esopus

## NEW BUSINESS 9:41 PM

Motion to Open: Collango  
Second: Esopus

### Vintage BUZZ Bingo

So this Friday, here at 7:30 we're having Vintage BUZZ Bingo, we're giving out these awesome shirts. We'll also have fun raffle prizes picked out from each E-Board member! Come get your shirts and prizes, it'll be a good time.

### Pride

HEY so on April 27th we will be hosting a Kickoff to Pride Week here in SUB 62/63 from 7-9 PM, and we'll be working with NP Pride and Queens and Kings to celebrate! Come by, we'll have fun booths from the organizations, so come, learn more and have some fun!

### Retreat

Hello! Retreat is April 28th at Six Flags Great Adventure! We're going to meet at Lot 28 at 9:30 AM and don't be late because you will be left behind and you will be SAD. We are so so so excited for this trip, so PLEASE give me your forms! I'm now going to call out the halls who STILL haven't given me their sign

ups! Bevier, Crispell, Deyo, Lefevre, Scudder, and Gage! Come see me after the meeting so we can ensure that your hall still gets to go! Thanks!

### Banquet

Hey everyone! To celebrate all of the amazing things we've done this year, our Spring Banquet is going to be on May 6th, at 8 PM in SUB MPR! And the best part is that the theme is, drumroll please.....  
HARRY POTTER! That's right! It's going to be a magical night, you're all going to get to dress up and have tons of fun! Cool! Also please please give these forms back because I have a big surprise that I can't do unless you give them back! Also Pharez put his blood sweat and tears into those invites!

Sam: Come through, there will be free food, bronze pins for everyone. Just kidding, but it'll be really great!

Motion to Close: Esopus

Second: Capen

### UPCOMING EVENTS 9:45 PM

Vintage BUZZ Bingo, April 19th, 7:30-9 PM, SUB 62/63

Pride Kickoff, April 27th, 7-9 PM, SUB 62/63

AC Retreat, April 28th, 9:30 AM- 10 PM, Six Flags Great Adventure (Meet at Lot 28)

Banquet, May 6th, 8 PM, SUB MPR

### HALL CONCERNS 9:46 PM

If there's something wrong in your hall that you have already talked to your RAs and RDs about, you've waited for something to happen, and nothing has been done, this is your time to tell us.

Juan: Every time I use the bathroom in Esopus I hear a whooshing noise. Never mind it's a bad joke.

### STUDENT CONCERNS FOLLOW-UP 9:46 PM

The disability buttons in CSB side door, Vandenberg side doors, and the College Terrace will be added. Yay! If you've noticed more of these, please email and let us know.

Food updates, Hasbrouck is being fully renovated in the Summer of 2020 after I graduate, and they're changing some of the locations such as the wild mushroom to hot vegan food, and then they're going to shift some stuff around. Sweets and Treats is going to be a full fledged, upgraded candy store next year, so they're going to have a lot of stuff. Stay tuned for that.

Juan: They're going to have bulk candy, so by the time orientation rolls up it'll be a candy store.

Sarah: Run out of dining dollars faster!

Sam: Wooster is going to have some changes to the menu, they're going to make it less confusing and easier to see. This way you're not standing there confused. We know we all do it, they know we all do it. Now it'll be easier. Nesters will be opening later on weekdays, so they will not be serving breakfast anymore, all breakfast items will be served at N-Pressed, so there will still be the same stuff, just in a different location soon. Nesters wasn't getting enough foot traffic, you can still order breakfast. And N-Pressed is getting new coffee!

Juan: There Might be a survey about water quality soon by next semester, keep an eye out for that, very crucial. Some people like SUB water some people like any water. Keep an eye out for that. They talked

about an increase to scholarship funds. Shop 24 is no longer a thing, they're going to tear it down, they'll make room for 3 fully operational vending machines, so there's no repairs. Most of the issues were with the claw. They're going to take dining dollars and hawk dollars and actually work.

Clare: Find a dining dollar daddy for next year.

Juan: It'll also have an overhang!

Capen: When?

Sam: By next fall.

Juan: It might take longer because of the other renovations but it'll be done by next fall or spring.

Capen: How will the Hasbrouck renovations affect orientation?

Sam: It's not happening yet but we will see. They'll probably move everything to the MPR. The last update is that they're going to put a bronze statue of a young Sojourner Truth outside the library by next year. I'm very excited. I may graduate by then. I'll come back to see the statue.

## STUDENT CONCERNS 9:52 PM

If you have general concerns for things going on campus wide (something's broken, wrong, can be improved), this is your moment to tell us so we can relay the information to the administration. However, if you have any food concerns (type, quality, price, location, etc), we will not hear them at this point but you can email us at [rhsa@hawkmil.newpaltz.edu](mailto:rhsa@hawkmil.newpaltz.edu).

Esopus: I know there's no real help for people who are injured on campus now, but my roommate lives in Esopus and has to crutch to Vandenberg twice a day. I was wondering if we can get resources to help students for next year?

Sam: I recall last year, Elee was looking into the escort service but due to lack of funding we couldn't do it. I'll look into it though.

Marissa: The women's room downstairs in Wooster, none of the doors lock. They're all off a bit.

Sam: Can you take a picture of it for me?

Serena: Is there a way we can extend campus escort?

Sam: The issue is a lack of funding.

Juan: Also, the thing about escort is that it's only a service for night. Like Sam said, aside from lack of funding, they can't find students to drive it.

Sam: They're student drivers.

Bliss: In terms of funding, if they can renovate dining, getting students to classes matters too.

Sam: A lot of campus funding comes from different places. So the money from CAS goes back to the university so when funding projects like cable and laundry goes back into projects. So the budget limits don't come from the projects. Residence hall money comes from the room rent. The funding comes from different places.

Chrissy: There's also grants. It's not money that's liquid, it all has a specific budget line.

Sam: Same for alumni donations, a lot goes to specific causes. For funding it's like a big map with different money going different places. There's usually a reason why we can afford some things but not others.

Matt: Could we use Zipcar for it?

Sam: The issue is that we still need a driver.

Chrissy: If a student is having trouble with accommodations for getting to class, they can go to the Disability Resource Center. You can go if you have a broken arm and need help with tests, or a broken leg getting to class. Anyone can use the DRC for resources .

## OPEN FLOOR 9:58 PM

If you have any general announcements about your personal clubs and organizations, stuff going on in New Paltz, hall governments, etc, this is your time to share!

Scudder: I'm running the out of the darkness walk for suicide prevention on April 28th, so if you're not going to Six Flags, you're welcome to come through, from 10 AM-1 PM, come walk around and make a difference.

Marissa: Programming committee is doing our first big program on April 18th, we're going to be at a table in the SUB giving out cute eggs with compliments in them. Come to the tables in the SUB from 3-6.

Clare: Tomorrow UPC is having a Walk By program. It's our Grab Grub Game and Go series, we have snacks, games and stuff. Come stop by and check it out. It's on the SUB Concourse from 12-2 or 3. It's nostalgia themed so it's fun snacks and cute games.

Ridgeview: Next Friday, the 26th is our Second Chance Prom Program, it's at 8 PM in our Main Lounge, we're using a lot of our budget for it, it's going to be so much fun so you should come through. The music mix is already done. It's going to be so fun and it's semi formal so you don't have to go all out.

Bliss: On Thursday we're having a Dine and Dance with Just Dance and we're ordering P&G's, it's at 10:00 in the Main Lounge!

Esopus: On the 20th at 6:00 PM we're hosting a movie night where we're watching For Colored Girls, and then we're doing a Disney Movie Morning on the 21st at Noon, where we're watching Christopher Robin and Lilo and Stitch.

Sam: Are you interested in Community Service, Leadership, Friendship, and seeing Sam looking washed up? So am I! If you're interested join Alpha Phi Omega, we have 2 pre-rushes this semester. The first one is in SUB 62/63 on April 25th from 9-11 PM, and the second one is in SUB 401 on May 3rd from 5-6 PM.

Sarah: Hey, so Bevier, Crispell, Deyo, Scudder, Lefevre, and Gage, come to me after the meeting!

Cat: Ridgeview is having a program tomorrow. It's an egg hunt, we're hiding eggs inside and outside Ridgeview, and whoever wins first place wins a basket full of candy and snacks. It's tomorrow in the Main Lounge at 7:30 PM.

## PASSING OF MOLLY THE MOOSE 10:03 PM

Esopus gave her a sticker, and they are giving her to Gage.

## QUOTE OF THE WEEK 10:03 PM

"If you believe in yourself and with a tiny pinch of magic all your dreams can come true" -Spongebob Squarepants

## ADJOURNMENT 10:04 PM

Motion to Adjourn Meeting until next week: All of the AC Reps  
Second: Scudder

Next Meeting in Scudder Hall!

