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BUSAC Report

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Events

Buzies is coming up next and planning is about to begin. Jody Thomas and Chris green will be working on the awards for the event so if anyone has any nominations they would like to make please send those to either Jody or Chris. The date that we currently have set for the event to take place is Friday April 3rd, 2009. I will keep council posted as more details come forward through the planning process, but as it was reading week this week and most of the office staff was off, final decisions on plans and ideas has yet to be made.

Clubs

Meetings have been held weekly for all club presidents, the clubs coordinator, Paddy Magill as well as myself. There have been a number of great ideas thrown around during these meetings although the feasibility of them is still being looked into. Minutes were taken at each meeting so if anyone would like to be filled in on the exact details please let either Paddy or myself know and I will gladly send those ideas forward.

BEAR

Jackets have been found for Brock Aid and the order will be made shortly. The money will come from capital for the new jackets. Currently there are 3 jackets for the volunteers. New jackets are necessary as there are names of positions that no longer exist imprinted on the old jackets. Since there is also a greater number of volunteers more jackets are necessary therefore a total of 6 jackets will be ordered in a variety of sizes in order to be accessible to all volunteers. The price of the jackets is looking to be approximately \$600.00 for 6 jackets with embroidery done on each one.

Volunteering

A lot of progress has been made on the volunteer website over the past couple of weeks. A temporary build of what the website will look like has been created in a word file. I have attached the file for council to look at. More work still needs to be done obtaining confirmations to use certain pictures in the website and designing more of the graphics for the website.

Foot Patrol

A letter was sent a couple weeks ago to apply for the Women's Health and Safety fund which I am still waiting to hear a response from. The letter laid out some of the operating expenses that Foot Patrol typically encounters and some that it may encounter in the future such as cab rides for volunteers, SWAG and advertising, the metal poles for the cab line outside of Isaac's and other volunteer appreciation. The amount that is typically awarded is \$2,500 but with the current economic state it is uncertain that the same amount will be awarded if at all.

Other Notes/Reminders/Comments/Concerns

Firstly I would like to wish a congratulations to all councillors who have won an executive position over the last election period!

Also, for all those who do not know, the "Yes" campaign passed and a new BUSU constitution will be implemented this May.

~~ PEACE, LOVE... *Wrzosek* ~~

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