

Council Report
October 1st, 2023

Week 37 September 11, 2023 September 17, 2023

I had a meeting with Dr. Keefe where we discussed the student listening sessions that are coming up in lieu of the report. He is asking for input on the format, time, and structure of the sessions to make sure that it is tailored to students correctly. I had a very important meeting with Dana Hospitality, where we received the good news that the new contract with Dana allows for a monthly \$500 to be put towards food security and, moreover, to be worked with the SU. In the meeting, we discussed getting a fridge for our food bank and discussing the expansion of not only non-perishable items but also fresh produce. In this meeting, we also discussed our plans to create meal kits for students and teach students about recipes and healthy, affordable food habits. They hope to offer these meal kits before Thanksgiving weekend so that students are provided with a home-cooked meal for the holidays. I attended the finance and audit committee under the Board of Governors, where we approved a few motions that were then taken to the Board of Governors meeting later on and approved there. That week, I also met with the Development, Fundraising, and ER Committee, also under the Board of Governors. We had our first Senate meeting coming up, so we also met with the Senate student representative the day before to help touch base and see if there were any concerns we would like to discuss before the Senate. On Friday of that week, I had an ASI PEI Project Planning Session. ASI is the Atlantic Summer Institute of healthy and safe communities. An external organization that works on community health. Then, I attended our weekly executive meeting. That afternoon, we had Senate, which was reported on at the last council meeting. After Senate, I attended the Onam celebration, for a short period. It was organized by the UPEI Kerala Federation.

Week 38 September 18, 2023 September 24, 2023

I worked on a currently confidential event, a media release that should go out on Tuesday. Rayyan and I presented in front of a UPEI 1030 course. Divya and I met with Deeper Life Campus Fellowship to discuss some Club concerns. This was the week of my bi-weekly E45 committee meetings. E45 is the 45th Election Committee for CASA of which I am a voting member, and I will be working with this committee to have the get-out-the-vote campaign ready

to go nationwide for the next election. Divya and I attended the Alumni Awards, where we read citations for some distinguished alumni and also networked with many executives and politicians who were at this event. I had a phone call interview on the new SVPRO modules and course. On Friday, there was the executive meeting, as always, as well as the CASA September E-Plenary.

Week 39 September 25, 2023 October 1, 2023

I had an interview with University Affairs Magazine on the previous few years of UPEI. The SU hosted a Soup for the Soul, and the soup was supplied by the Fox and Crow. The executive team was there, as well as a few full-time staff members. On Tuesday night, I attended the Board of Governors meeting, where I reported on the SU's operations from the last few months. There was a scheduled Senate/BOG meeting for the Friday of this week, so Senate and BOG student Representatives met up to touch base the day before the meeting. On that Friday, I met with the PEI Coalition for Women in Government, as I was invited to sit on their steering committee for a new project that they have, which is a Girls Parliament. I met with a student to discuss disability day and to plan for the various events he wanted to collaborate on. Friday was a day of Truth and Reconciliation, so the team wore orange shirts to show their support and we attended the event at the quad. The Senate/BOG meeting was eventually canceled due to the facilitator being sick. Lastly, I had our executive meeting.



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