Resident Council Meeting Agenda
November 21st, 2023
Present:
Administration: Wendi, Valerie, Chris, Angelo
Resident Council: Will, Cherelle, Gerritt, Jenna, Skylar, Jiwon

1. Welcome
2. Administration items
   a. Resident Life Appreciation night Dec 4th 6:00-7:30 PM in Cottonwood Community Center.
      i. An email has been sent out and there is a link to RSVP
   b. Reminder not to forward RA/RC emails to personal accounts; Umail accounts were set up to keep university business on university emails.
   c. News and Views has a section for RC to submit updates and articles to share with residents. Valerie will send the monthly submission deadline dates to Gerritt.
   d. Angelo- The SCIF grant has been approved for Recycling Education. The grant covers the purchase of reusable silverware etc for educational events for residents to get swag and learn.

3. Individual Council Member Update
   a. Cherelle - Community Liaison
      i. Friends-giving pie night had around 70 people attend
      ii. December 2nd holiday event
      iii. January programming will include ice skating and swimming activities
      iv. February will be bowling and pizza at the Union building
   b. Will - Campus Liaison
      i. Attended the ASUU assembly and presented bill for reimbursement for the Block Party and the receipts have been submitted.
      ii. There is a cap on each Recognized Student Organization at the university at $4,000
         1. Will keep submitting grants and wait for approval for reimbursements once passing the cap
   c. Jenna - Communications Liaison
      i. Flyers and poster sandwich boards have been put up for the fall forum.
   d. Jiwon - Spruce Liaison
      i. People are sticking random items in the washing machines like boots, it is causing problems with other loads of laundry.
      ii. Laundry is going missing as others are taking it out of the dryers or they are putting laundry around the room to put their own laundry in the dryer. Jiwon will talk to her RA and possibly make a laundry room etiquette paper/flyer
      iii. The red bins in lobby are missing and are not being returned.
         1. Possible solutions: Put a tracking tag on the carts,
   e. Skylar - Cottonwood Liaison
i. Someone is smoking near 796 by the elevator on the 2nd floor or
ii. Smoking by the apartment 797 at the table by the park
   1. Within 25 ft of the building
   2. Solution: put up smoking policy flyers, tell RAs if you see for the
      RAs to go to them and educate them of the smoking policy;
      Valerie will add into weekly email for residents next week.

4. Review of events
   a. All activities have gone well, friends-giving, pie and food drive

5. Upcoming meetings/programming
   f. Holiday Party - December 2nd, 10 am-12 pm
      i. Santa: Gerritt
      ii. Crafts, games, a train to take kids to meet Santa
      iii. Is anyone else able to help that day only 2 RAs have signed up
          1. Help with set up, direct people during event and take down

6. Fall Forum assignments- November 28th, 7PM @CCC
   a. Sandwich boards signs: Jenna
   b. Zoom mtg creator/recorder: Mariah created a zoom meeting ready to go
   c. Food: Water and snack - Cherelle
   d. Follow up email after forum: Gerritt

7. Ongoing resident complaint review
   g. Follow-up on parking for 800 court
      i. Sandwich boards will not be posted as parking areas are open for all
         residents and there are no designated areas for courts.
      ii. Commuter Services will increase patrols and start ticketing more. They
          will start with a week of warnings before issuing tickets.
   h. Power outage updates -
      i. The West Village outage went well and many Cedar residents came to
         Cottonwood Community Cente during the outage to connect to Wi-Fi and
         enjoy snacks.
      ii. A light is flickering in the 900 court that needs to be reported to the RA; possibly
         a short in the wires somewhere.

8. Things to consider
   j. Follow-up on new RA assignments for new RC members
      i. RA meetings for October - Cherelle
      ii. RA meetings for November - Jenna
      iii. RA meetings for December - Skylar
      iv. RA meetings for January - Jiwon
      v. RA meetings for February - Garritt
      vi. RA meetings for March - Will
      vii. RA meetings for April - Cherelle
      viii. RA meetings for May - Jenna
9. Other items
   a. Question:
      i. Will those who are graduating in December 2025 be able to stay in the Cedar West apartments until they close in May or will they have to leave immediately after graduation? Since they will be torn down around 5 months after, and no one would be moving into the apartments?
         1. Possibly
         2. Ask again when it gets closer to this date to get an updated answer
   b. Salt Lake acting company is offering tickets for residents to go to “Elephant and Piggies” for children. Dates and times are still waiting to come in

10. Action Items/Assignments
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