

## IFC Delegates Council Minutes

1/31

Chapters Absent: Alpha Sigma Phi, Beta Theta Pi, Delta Chi, Delta Upsilon, Kappa Sigma, Pi Lambda Phi, Sigma Alpha Epsilon, Sigma Phi Epsilon, Sigma Pi, Theta Xi  
Others Present: 2 representatives from Alpha Delta Phi, Ilana Nankin from ASUC

Meeting began at 7:05

### **Announcements:**

Nikhil Bhagat:

- Leadership symposium this Saturday, sponsored by ASUC, OSL.
  - -\$7 a person
  - IFC will pay for each chapter to send 1 person.
  - Personal leadership development
- Please submit updated contact information to [ifc.secretary@calgreeks.com](mailto:ifc.secretary@calgreeks.com).
- Order of Omega applications are here. Please take them back to your chapters.
- Dean of Students meeting times have been changed.
  - 1 conflicted with Superbowl
  - If you cannot make yours, you can attend others.

Aashin Nagpal:

- We are working with Panhellenic to put on an All Greek Warriors Night.
- It will be Friday March 9<sup>th</sup>.
- After the game, there will be access to either the Smirnoff Lounge or the Corona bar, Invitational style.

Kenan Wang:

- Social Chair training will be at 7:30 on Tuesday night.
  - Social chairs and Presidents must attend to be able to host registered events.
- GAMMA training will be at Wednesday at 7:30.
  - Only 14 chapter have sent me GAMMA reps.
  - Send GAMMA rep contact info to [ifc.risk@calgreeks.com](mailto:ifc.risk@calgreeks.com)

Michael Marino:

- I need rush numbers by next week. Email them to [ifc.recruitment@calgreeks.com](mailto:ifc.recruitment@calgreeks.com)
- If recruitment did not go well, please let me know.
- House tours had a low turn out.
- To effectively recruit, you should update your chapter's profile on calgreeks.com.
- I am also working on updating our brochure by next Cal day.
  - Email me with comments or suggestions for it.
- Rush week for next fall will be the Friday of welcome week to the following Friday.

### **IFC Budget**

Nikhil Bhagat: The budget hasn't been updated before; despite expenses increasing.

Nick Perry: I did the budget, and am the IFC Treasurer. Please ask me if you have any questions.

Andy Maxwell (Chi Phi President): What are the fees for pledges and actives?

Nick Perry: The fee for pledges is \$50, the fee for actives is \$10. This is the same as it has always been, and is one reason we run at a deficit.

NB: One thing on the budget is Recruitment Boot Camp. Grahaeme is a facilitator for this program, and it is a hardcore recruitment program. We're looking into it; Mike Marino will be attending part of a session of it. It is a one time expense, and they say it should increase our numbers by 15 to 20 percent.

NP: There is approximately a \$7,000 deficit. \$6,000 is from Recruitment Boot Camp.

A vote is called.

A majority voted yes. No 'Nay' votes were present.

### **Social Host Ordinance/Second Response Ordinance**

Nikhil Bhagat: This is part of the BAPAC (Berkeley Alcohol Policy Advocacy Coalition) proposal to "revise" the city's alcohol policy. The host ordinance is changing, and the second response ordinance is changing.

Kenan Wang:

- The goal of the BAPAC is to "modernize" the city's alcohol policy.
- If this change in host law passes, the host is liable for serving alcohol to minors.
  - You will be fined \$250 the first time, then fines increase with subsequent violations.
- The second response ordinance was also voted on:
  - If the police come to your house 2 or 3 times in a night, they will post a second response notice on your house.
    - This notice indicates your house is a public nuisance.
      - For example's sake, Chi Phi currently has one posted on the door. (Secretary note: I am certain no one in attendance thinks of Chi Phi as a public nuisance, but rather an excellent fraternity which claims several IFC executives and other community leaders as its own.)
    - Currently, if you receive one and the police are called again in a two month period, they do a walk through, and you are fined \$500 the first time, \$1000 the next time, \$2000 the next time, and continue to be fined at \$2000.
  - The changes the new BAPAC ordinance is trying to create:
    - Increase fines to \$750, \$1500, \$2500, \$2500, etc.
    - Increase time from 2 months to 6 months
    - Makes it rolling (ie, if you receive a violation 5 months in, the 6 months begins again.)
- Yesterday, I (Kenan Wang, IFC VP for Risk Management), Charlie Friedemann (IFC Security Management Chairman), the USCA (the Co-op Association), and a representative from Panhellenic lobbied before the city council.
  - We did get them to change the language to "knowingly commit" in the alcohol to minors section.
  - The Second Response part got repealed, and the city attorney is working on it. They want to change the time period.
  - There will be a Daily Cal article tomorrow.

- Any city ordinance has to be passed twice to go into effect, so in two subsequent weeks they will vote again.
- We will push hard in the intermediate time to change it.

Nikhil Bhagat: We will work with Gordon Wozniak and Chris Worthington. We will give you all form letters to send from chapter members.

Rory Mouat (Theta Delta Chi Delegate): Is the Second Response Ordinance currently in effect?

Kenan Wang: Currently, it's repealed and the new one is not yet in effect. We are working with the ASUC, USCA, and Igor Tregub (AEPi member highly placed in local politics).

Andy Maxwell (Chi Phi President): How do you intend to lobby?

Nikhil Bhagat: We want to lobby our city councilmen. Kriss Worthington supports us. We have a meeting with him and the mayor next week. We will give you a form letter for your chapter members to sign and mail. Additionally, you should encourage your chapter members to vote in Berkeley, so they have more control over these things.

Kenan Wang: If we flood their mailboxes and email boxes, they have to do something. Very few students vote; we need to change that. If you remember, Cal Student Jason Overman (Secretary's Note: former TKE and ACACIA Pledge) ran, receiving ~36% of the vote. As a result, Gordon Wozniak is trying to outreach to us.

Nikhil Bhagat: Try to inform the councilmen about your position.

Kenan Wang: You can expect a letter – that is the most direct thing you can do.

### **Philanthropy**

Jeff Young:

- There will be philanthropy roundtables
  - They will meet once or twice a month.
  - Please email your philanthropy chair contact info to [ifc.philanthropy@calgreeks.com](mailto:ifc.philanthropy@calgreeks.com)
  - This will facilitate intergreek events.
  - We will also try to facilitate an All-Greek service project.

Ilana Nankin (ASUC Senator, Alpha Delta Pi member):

- We have the ASUC Greek Philanthropy Fund.
  - You can get up to \$1,000 for events.
  - Tell a senator (like me) to write you a bill.
  - You get your money within 8 days.
  - Applying to the ASUC Philanthropy Fund is required to get money from the IFC philanthropy fund.
- Thanks Greeks!
  - Spring Welcome Week was awesome.
  - We raised \$357 for the Riley Center at a BBQ.
  - Sublime was... cool.

Alex Mastrodonato:

- Minutes will be on the website.
- If you need advertising/other website things, let me know @ [ifc.pr@calgreeks.com](mailto:ifc.pr@calgreeks.com).

Nikhil Bhagat:

That meeting was 40 minutes. That's what we will try to keep this to. Have a good night.

Meeting closes @ 7:42.

Respectfully submitted,  
Matthew Gratt  
IFC Secretary