

#### Smoking policy:

Jazmine: Letter was sent to administration. Dean O'Connell has emailed back and said that she will look into it

Amber: We should be hearing back soon.

#### Senior Regalia

Jazmine: A letter has been drafted. A recommendation from Lisa Wells is for the senior class officers to spear head that but I think it's better for senate to collaborate with them and tackle it from more than one angle in an open senate session. In the letter drafted to Dr. James and Dr. Van Assendelft is to invite them to next senate and have an open discussion with the seniors.

#### Yik Yak/Diver

Proposal has been sent up and is being reviewed by Dr. Fox and Dean O'Connell. One suggestion from Aaleyah is to already begin working on this instead of waiting for the results. The survey has been sent out today - please take it.

#### Updates from Committees?

Aaleyah Joe - proposal is being drafted to beautify the campus. Has short term and long term goals. Short term goals is to make the dorms more welcome and long term goals is to renovate the campus. Making it so that people more welcome and improve retention rates. Look out in your emails - our new idea is to have an online link on the website in addition to the physical suggestion boxes.

#### Senate Location:

Jazmine: We intend on having them here in Hunt West so that we will have more student involvement. Do you have any feedback on this location as a regular location?

Tralen: I think this is good but more controlled discussions should be held in Franics.

Jazmine: The other option was to have it in the Nuthouse. Is that something there might be some interest in?

General: yes

#### Announcements

Lilly Parker: Tomorrow is the BPB Mine where you can get a plush animal at the Pub at 7 pm

Ciara Dacosta: Annual Kwaanza celebration is in Hunt West this Saturday at 7 pm

Jazmine: Directly following the Kwaanza celebration is the first ever Umoja Ball. It is \$5 for students and \$12 for guests. You can contact any of the leaders of MCU, BSA, or the Umoja residents to get tickets. There will be food and a DJ!

Motion to adjourn: Khabirah Matthews

Seconded.