

UConnPIRG Core Meeting
Monday October 10th, 2016
Student Union Room 317

Attendance:

Voting Members

Matt Talley, Kharl Reynado, Saman Azimi, Brandon Chesnut, Chelsea Garcia, Colin Bixler, Sam Jaffe, Jameson Foulke, Kaila Mahon, Kervelle Baird, Noah O'Connor, Alex DePasquale, Rich McKenney, Cheyenne Holliday, Cameron Cantelmo, Rebekah Rowe, Samuel Bedard, Walter Dodson

Guests: Gina DeVivo-Brassaw

Meeting Called to order a 7:01 pm by Chair Kharl Reynado

- I. Intros
- II. Overview of Agenda
- III. Discussion
 - a. Tripod: Campus Relations (Saman)
 - i. Our relationship with professors, administration, students, student organizations and clubs
 - ii. Most critical on our campaign, it allows us to reach a broader audience
 - iii. Allows us to have a wider net, and have made a lot of progress in the last few years
 - iv. Important since there are people who want to kick us off campus, and we want there to be organizations that will stand up for our place here and our fees
 - v. Most of the people who vote in reaffirmation polls are often students in other student organizations and we want them to support us when it comes times for our place on campus to be voted on
 - b. Mini-Blitz
 - i. Didn't hit the 1,000 goal for the week, but we do have a 1,000 for the campaign so far
 - ii. Wish to be more available for students, have tables at different times, longer hours
 - iii. The Mega- Blitz will be the week before November 1st
 - iv. The week before election will be a "Get Out to Vote," Blitz
- IV. Updates
 - a. Bottle
 - i. Table Thursday the 13th, at Northwest dining hall from 11-3
 - ii. Construction on bottle monster will begin Friday
 - iii. Bottles and stickers
 - b. NVP
 - i. Phone bank Tuesday the 11th from 6-8
 - ii. Voter Registration at 6pm in Gentry on Tuesday the 11th

- iii. Next week there will be an educational table
 - 1. Prop making will be Wednesday the 12th from 3-6 with factual information
- iv. Ask for people to design a poster for NVP
- c. H&H
 - i. Tuesday 11th, table 11-3 in front of the library
 - ii. Thursday 13th 4-7 at South dining hall
 - iii. Working with OxFam to organize a hunger banquet, had a meeting with them Thursday the 7th
- d. Democracy
 - i. Democracy campaign has a goal to register 1,000 people to vote and make 200 get out to vote contacts
 - ii. Planning stuff for after NVP
- V. Business
 - a. Vote to approve the minutes from last week
 - i. Saman Motions
 - ii. Chelsea seconds the motion
 - iii. Passes unanimously

Meeting Adjourned at 7:45 pm by Chair, Kharl Reynado