

Laney College Gender & Sexuality Alliance Agenda/Minutes

Date: 02/21/2023		
Time: 11:30am		
Location: SC 401-A		
Officer Position	Name/Abbreviation	Present/Absent
President	Cyrus Paris (CP)	Present
ICC Representative	Nat Currid (NC)	Absent
Advisor	Susan Yee (SY)	Absent

- I. CALL TO ORDER & INTRODUCTIONS 11:37am
- II. APPROVAL OF AGENDA
- III. OLD BUSINESS

1. FILM SERIES

I. POLL RESULTS Death & Life, Disclosure & Paris is Burning. Discussion of logistics to purchasing the films, CP will be purchasing PiB and will receive a reimbursement for it. Angela will help with that paperwork.

II. EVENT DATES/TIMES March 15th for first film as Spring Fest was cancelled this year. A bit of scheduling conflicted as we have the conference in April. April 12th and May 17th.

III. TOPICS How prepared are we to discuss the topics? Will we just present the theme and that is? Or will allow people to think on their own. Angela suggested a partnership with Oakland LGBT Center and the Wellness Center to lead discussions, CP will follow up to see if they would need to be paid or just come and volunteer to facilitate.

IV. FOURTH DATE – PRESENTER Goddexx, a poet and performer, reached out to Atiya to see if they could present, it might work out for one of the film discussions. They have partnered with other colleges; we have enough funds for this person. We watched a reel of their performances. They would hypothetically present as the end of the film series. Angela suggested this to be a separate event as a poetry/open mic event and have Goddexx perform at the end or the beginning as the main event. This event would be announced/advertised at the end of each film. Food and refreshments for each day of the film series will be discussed at the next meeting.

IV. NEW BUSINESS

1. FIERCER TOGETHER (APRIL 19 & 20) Potentially 3 people would be coming. We looked at the panels being held. CP will follow up with Atiya and the org. CP will email Lavender Project for leftover stuff.

2. QUEER PROM Realistically it is too time sensitive and too rushed to do anything so we decided that we would not put our energy to that.

3. QUEER BRUNCH Moved off the agenda as Nat is not here today

V. AGENDA REQUESTS & SUGGESTIONS (NEXT MEETING) Angela suggested in place of queer prom that we do a lavender graduation. Have an option for wither only pin, only stole or both for graduates/certificates. food and refreshments will be served. Would be before the honors banquet. We would reach out to the petitioning department and have an estimate. More will be discussed on the next meeting.

VI. ANNOUNCEMENTS

VII. ADJOURNMENT 12:40pm