



SENECA STUDENT FEDERATION INCORPORATED
Central Level Meeting
PUBLIC SESSION

Niagara Falls Hilton

Tuesday, October 26, 2021
1:00 p.m.

Student Representatives Present: (Voting Members)

Palak Chawla	Vice President, Newnham/SSF Inc.
Tee Dang	Vice President, Seneca@York/SSF Inc.
Ritik Sharma	SSF President/SSF Inc.
Dina Yehya	Vice President, King/SSF Inc. (Virtual)

Guests Present:

Christine Blake	Dean Academic Learning Services/College
Mario Di Carlo	Executive Director/SSF Inc.
Sonia Hoxha	Coordinator, Newnham/SSF Inc.
Roel Isufflari	Manager, Member Services/Recording Secretary/SSF Inc.
Nick Pavlakos	Manager, Finance & Administration/SSF Inc.
Mark Solomon	Dean of Student Services and Indigenous Education
Vay Vu	Manager, Human Resources/SSF Inc.

1. Call to Order

The meeting is called to order at 3:18 p.m.

2. Announcements

- This meeting will be the first in-person Central for this year.
- VP's are asked to provide the names (one person per campus) of those who will attend the November 17th "Meet and Greet". Ritik congratulates Council and VP's for the previous successful Meet and Greet.
- Roel provides information regarding the Food Bank.
- The Member Services laptop was approved online.
- Roel will be taking the minutes today in Brenda's absence.

3. Acceptance of Today's Agenda

It was MOVED by Palak Chawla, and SECONDED by Tee Dang, "to approve the agenda for Tuesday, October 26, 2021 as presented".

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4. Conflict of Interest

None declared.

5. Approval of SSF Central Level Public Session Meeting Minutes from Wednesday, September 22, 2021

It was MOVED by Dina Yehya, and SECONDED by Palak Chawla, "that the SSF Central Level Public Session Meeting Minutes from Wednesday, September 22, 2021 be approved as presented".

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It was MOVED by Palak Chawla, and SECONDED by Tee Dang, "that agenda items be adjusted in order of discussion".

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6. Ancillary Fees Protocol Meeting

Christine Blake and Mark Solomon present the proposed 2022/2023 Ancillary Fees which will be presented at the upcoming Ancillary Fees Protocol meeting. Fees are approved a year in advance in order to keep students informed. The fees are presented and discussed.

As a result of the pandemic, during the summer of 2020, the college brought forward an On-line Fee structure. Fees supporting on campus activities and services which were no longer being offered due to the pandemic, were reviewed. Many adjustments were also made including the removal of the Sport Build Fee; SSF Build Fee, and Athletics Fee. The On-line Fee, introduced in the summer of 2020 will continue to be charged in the Winter 2022 semester. Since standard delivery of campus activities and services will return in 2022/2023, all fees previously removed will be reinstated. No other new fees will be added.

Discussion takes place regarding the lack of in-person convocation ceremonies. This concern will be brought forward.

7. Member Reports

Palak Chawla provides a verbal report for the Newnham Campus. A question and answer period follows.

Dina Yehya provides a verbal report for the King Campus. A question and answer period follows.

Tee Dang provides a verbal report for the Seneca@York Campus. A question and answer period follows.

8. Club Committee Update

Sonia Hoxha, Coordinator at Newnham, provides the Club Committee Update.

The Club Update will also be presented during tomorrow's Club session.

9. 2022/2023 SSF Fees

Mario presents the SSF 2022/2023 ancillary fees and speaks on the history of the fees prior to and after the Student Choice Initiative. The fees presented are the same as last years. Fees are discussed.

The 2022/2023 SSF Fees will be presented to the SSF Board of Directors and will be approved at that level.

10. Other Business

a) Return to Campus

- Ritik would like to receive more updates on returning to campus, specifically what services we will be able to provide. The VP's are asked to speak to their Coordinators to collect feedback regarding a return to campus plan.
- Assessing current furniture and equipment, etc., will need to take place.

11. Date and Time of Next Meeting

TBD

12. Adjournment

It was MOVED by Palak Chawla, and SECONDED by Dina Yehya, "that no further business be discussed and this meeting is adjourned at 4:47 p.m.".

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