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~Student Centered~

~New Ideas in Bold~

Presidential Candidate, Christy Atkins, Would Like To:

- 1. Act as a delegate to other area Colleges in order to coordinate multiinstitutional events such as concerts and other special events.
- 2. Act as a motivational figure that would reinforce the importance of being our fellow students' voice on campus through the position of Senator or Executive Member of SGA.
- 3. Streamline SGA meetings through the basic use of Robert's Rules of Order to make meetings expedient and efficient while still maintaining a friendly and comfortable working atmosphere.
- 4. Host bi-annual SGA seminars to ensure Senator satisfaction and campus wide productivity.
- 5. Host a conference with all organization Presidents to discuss the direction of their organizations within Westminster.
- 6. Serve as representative of the SGA to the Board of Trustees, the College Administration, the faculty, the college community, student body and the public.
- 7. Preside at all Executive Council and Senate Meetings.
- 8. Sign and approve all Senate legislation.

Vice Presidential Candidate, Russ Mills, Would Like To:

- 1. Initiate the creation of a "Fall VolleyRock-like event."
- 2. Oversee the Senator of the Month/Year and Committee of the Month/Year.
- 3. Review platform goals at the first meeting of the year, and would report regularly on their progress throughout the year.
- 4. Oversee the creation of a SGA Diversity Chair who would promote and address diversity iddues and activities on and off campus.
 - The position will be comparable to the present CPC and Down Under positions.
- 5. Serve as President if the President is absent or is unable to perform their duties.
- 6. Preside at all executive meetings.
- 7. Oversee, plan, and coordinate the annual VolleyRock event

Treasurer Candidate, Kristen Kulick, Would Like To:

- 1. Oversee the booking and reservation of campus musical entertainment.
- 2. Allocate more money from General Budget for musical entertainment.
- 3. Look into refurbishing and utilizing the Amphitheatre for musical entertainment and other events.
- 4. Coordinate SGA's activity in the annual Mardi Gras event held in the spring semester.
- 5. Promote campus involvement for food advisory meetings.
- 6. Conduct the financial transactions of SGA in accordance with the guidelines in the Treasurer's Manual.
- 7. Handle the responsibility of the Food Advisory Committee and select committee on a rotating basis.

Secretarial Candidate, Ian Durham, Would Like To:

- 1. Reformat the SGA website regularly in order to increase active communication with fellow students.
 - Website would include minutes, a calendar of SGA sponsored events, a committees section with information on the individual committees, and a roster of all SGA members.
- 2. Manage a SGA calander that would inform the executive committee and council of upcoming events (at least a month in advance of the scheduled dates) in order to ensure no last minute planning.
- 3. Draft an attendance policy before the first scheduled meeting, which would then be brought to the Senate for debate and approval.
- 4. Tale roll, conduct votes, and take minutes at weekly meetings.
- 5. Take minutes at meetings and distribute them immediately following meeting.

Academics Candidate, Ian Brown, Would Like To:

- 1. Have faculty recommend students for Standing Faculty Committees, Councils and Boards.
- 2. Host a training session for students elected to a committee, council, or board, in order to give them background information about that position.
- 3. Be responsible for all matters concerning the student's relationship to the faculty and academic curriculum policies.
- 4. Conduct the annual College Bowl.
- 5. Conduct elections for student representatives for Standing Faculty Committees, Councils and Boards.

Financial Candidate, Amanda Moore, Would Like To:

- 1. Revise the current "Guidelines and Procedures" of the finance committee.
- 2. Require the Treasurer or financial advisor from all organizations soliciting funds from SGA to attend a leadership conference at some point throughout the year.
 - That individual would then report back to the Finance Chair as to the on goings of that conference.
- 3. Be responsible for the allocation of SGA funds to student organizations.
- 4. Hold annual audits for organizations receiving SGA funds.
- 5. Be responsible for annual allocations of SGA funds.

Public Relations Candidate, Erin Halpin, Would Like To:

- 1. Place the "Weekly Roll" in toilet stalls around campus in order to inform fellow students of SGA issues and upcoming events.
- 2. Put a comment board up near the cafeteria or in the new campus center where only SGA issues and up coming events would be publicized.
- 3. Survey the student body bi-annually on their opinions and satisfaction with SGA.
- 4. Review and publicize our platform throughout our tem checking off the goals we have achieved for the campus community.
- 5. Support and assist fellow student organizations in promoting their upcoming events.
- 6. Be responsible for all SGA publicity including elections, forums, special events, and any other duties as assigned.
- 7. Make the SGA Promotion Days a regular event that students will look forward to.

8. Continue using the Holcad as an outlet to promote upcoming events.

Judicial Candidate, Jess Rummel, Would Like To:

- 1. Elect a Parliamentarian form the Senate that would head a sub-committee (under the judicial committee) that would monitor ans improve the internal procedures and structure of the SGA.
- 2. Establish and enforce a new set of Campaign guidelines.
- 3. Look into revising election procedures for the Senate.
- 4. Attend the New Wilmington Town Council meetings regulary and report back to the Senate and student body.
- 5. Hold monthly gatherings in the dining facilities to allow fellow students to express their individual campus concerns, comments, or ideas.
- 6. Oversee the elections of new executive members as well as new Senators.
- 7. Handle all non-academic issues concerning the student body.

Special Events Candidate, Greg Smith, Would Like To:

- 1. Plan a dinner and dance event for the Friday before Homecoming.
- 2. Plan several sporting events throughout the year (Pitt Panthers Football and Basketball, Pittsburgh Steelers/Cleveland Browns/Cleveland Cavaliers games, Pittsburgh Penguins).
- 3. Create a ticket distribution system for all SGA events.
- 4. Be responsible for organizing the Friday homecoming events, going to off campus athletic event, and planning any trips off campus cultural events.
- 5. Plan and Coordinate several trips to off campus sites.