

Joint Campus Organizations Committee Meeting
October 2, 2002

JCOC Committee Attendance

In Attendance: Michael Dodd, David Kasi, Matt Ridley, Hevil Shah, Jennifer Matthews, Tim Cailloux (Chair)
Absent: Miya Smith (Excused)
Present: Glenn Matthews, Vickie Cherry

Pending Chartering Student Organizations

- **Tech Korean Association (TEKA)**
 - Existed for 4 years, 30-40 members
 - KSA is Grad only (has about 200 members)
 - KUSA (Pending Org) is Undergrad Only
 - TEKA provides a forum for native Koreans studying in US
 - *RECCOMENDATION: PENDING*
 - JCOC Needs to check on KSA/KUSA Status
 - Action will be taken at next week's meeting
- **Acapella Club**
 - Been on campus for 6 years, 16 males, 13 female singers
 - Has performed several concerts, including at Under the Couch
 - Different from Choral – Acapella Club plays contemporary music
 - In the process of producing a CD
 - *RECCOMENDATION: GRANT CHARTER*
- **Buzz Studios**
 - 14 Members
 - Film club – makes movies written, directed, and produced by students
 - Currently shooting a 2 hour movie
 - *RECCOMENDATION: GRANT CHARTER*
- **Philosophical Society**
 - 12 Members
 - Supports students in minor/certificate program in Philosophy
 - *RECCOMENDATION: GRANT CHARTER*
- **Sophomore Summit**
 - 6th year, 50 members plus steering committee
 - boosts Sophomore morale and leadership
 - Activities – Weekend retreat with speakers, activities, relationship building
 - *RECCOMENDATION: GRANT CHARTER*
- **International Business Club**
 - 75 Members
 - Open to Graduates Only
 - Related to DuPree College of Management
 - *RECCOMENDATION: GRANT CHARTER*
- **Joint Advisory Board of the Ferst Center for the Arts**
 - This will be created as an Executive Committee from SGA. Not seeking to charter as a student organization.
- **Atlanta Chinese Christian Campus Fellowship**
 - 70 Members, ½ Georgia Tech, ½ Professional, Georgia State students
 - Chinese speaking organization (Mandarin) for worship/Bible study
 - Meet at 425 10th St. at the United Methodist Church
 - Use the NIV Chinese Bible
 - *RECCOMENDATION: DENY CHARTERING*
 - Voting Rights open to everyone (GT & Non-GT)
 - Allows Non-Georgia Tech membership
 - Excludes many parts of campus

- **Asian Student Interest Association**
 - 20 Members
 - Open to anyone interested in Asian culture; try to pull together all Asian organizations
 - Fun Raising – Credit card applications, Krispy Kreme doughnut sales
 - Community Service – Ronald McDonald House, Habitat for Humanity
 - Attended Ultimate Mixer
 - Good relations with CSA, TEKA, Vietnamese Student Association
 - *RECCOMENDATION: GRANT CHARTER*

Yellow Jacket Flying Club

- JCOC/YJFC Meeting to discuss suspension, figure out “next step”
- 3 Options – Reconcile Situation, Appeal, do nothing and face termination of organization
- Discussed concerns over increase in insurance premiums or loss of insurance.
- Post 9/11/2001 Complications in General Aviation Industry
- Not for profit organization
- Owns 4 aircraft
- All Dues paying members part “owners” of aircraft
- Current leadership positions staffed by professionals (Chief CFI has about 2500 flight hours)
- Continuity of Membership on Executive Committee a concern
- Concerns over loss of aircraft ownership by non-students if they are not allowed to vote
- Current JCOC “Student Only” policy created years after the YJFC was created (1946)
- Grandfathering YJFC
 - Only Student money (from SGA) would be spent on Students
 - Finance Committee – Chaired by President, only students on committee
 - Responsible for all decisions concerning student fees
 - Faculty, other non-students would still have authority in decisions affecting club assets
- SGA Money in the past used to cover only the Insurance, also charts, GPS information
- Jennifer Matthews: Subcommittee of students would make what decisions?
 - Money from SGA requests, no operational decisions
- Elections – Executive Committee elected annually, makes all monetary decisions
- Kasi David – Recognize need for non-students. Possible to make them ex-officio non-voting?
- YJFC: Faculty/Non-students could go to other airports to fly if it gets too expensive for them.
- Non-student members may leave organization if their right to vote is revoked
- YJFC: Insurance Companies – Don’t necessarily want to insure a student-only organization
- YJFC: Aircraft paid for by loans, club funds. No funds from SGA/Georgia Tech.
- Jennifer Matthews: Exec. Board runs the club. What is the specific student involvement?
 - Glenn Matthews (YJFC): EC governs day-to-day activities. Makes decisions regarding pilot qualifications and safety issues. “This is the way students want it.”
- Kasi David – Need parity in student organizations.
- YJFC: EC makes major decisions, subcommittee responsible for daily operations
 - Majority of financial, operating decisions rest with EC
- Barry Hellman (YJFC): “We don’t want to make things too complicated.”
- Barry Hellman (YJFC): “Insurance companies are concerned with what is written, not what is practiced.”
- Jennifer Matthews: We need to see proof of YJFC’s plans for solution of this problem.
 - Prepare a resolution, so it to JCOC, JCOC will make recommendation to SGA
- Danielle McDonald: Options to YJFC:
 - File letter of appeal with reasons for appeal to Judiciary Bodies
 - Judiciary Bodies will then have a hearing
 - Joint Judicial Decision – process for this still being fine-tuned

Adjourned: 8:45 PM