



## Board Meeting

October 3, 2019  
12:00 PM-2:00 PM

Board Members Present: Benjamin Campbell, Salman Safir, Nicole Yan, Hiatt Allen, James Woodall, Mark Lambert

Meeting called to order by Ben

### New Items

- Bias Training
  - Club leaders asked where they felt community and where they were excluded
  - 4 to 8s were on both
  - Cliques
  - People not feeling community
- October 10 4 to 8
  - Environment
    - More structure? So that it is not as overwhelming
    - Helping students come into better without making it a kids night
    - We need to be the people that make sure people have someone to talk to
    - Ask people to help?
  - Set up
    - Cool off space in the lounge
    - There are benches in the hall now
    - GOB used as well?
    - Nametags with pronouns
  - Why don't people come to 4 to 8s?
    - Asking what people want to have at a 4 to 8
    - People need to be told that we want to hear from them
  - Incentivizing
    - Having a raffle or a gift for people who meet so many other new people
  - Finalizing environment
    - Nametags
    - Same space

- Conversation starter
    - Announcement about cleanup
  - List of items
    - Zip Lock bags and carry out boxes
  - Alcohol
    - Not having alcohol at 4 to 8s and supplementing with pub nights??
    - Some faculty don't go because they are uncomfortable and have heard things drunkenly said
    - Some students don't go because they can't be around alcohol because of family issues, personal issues, or religious issues
    - Shift could be hard because alcohol has been so integral to the event
    - Pub nights are not as much planning
    - We know the problem exists so we have to address it
    - The amount of faculty that comes now is four times as much as eight years ago when 4 to 8s had hard liquor
    - People used to complain that 4 to 8s could be better
    - A large perception in the div school is that dsa exists to buy beer for the div school
    - Way to let steam off
    - People who are coming are systematically excluded
    - Suggestions
      - Pub night
      - Time separation
      - Space separation
      - 1 4 to 8 with one without
      - Different quarters
    - We're not elected
  - Motion by Salman to vote on the first 4 to 8 of the quarter not having alcohol
  - Seconded by Hiatt
    - Tied 3 to 3
  - Motion by Ben for a time separation
  - Seconded by Salman
    - 4 to 2
- Time Sign Ups
  - 2 to 5
    - Mark
    - Salman
    - Nicole
  - 7 to 8 and clean up
    - Ben

- James
- Hiatt

Minutes taken by Hiatt Allen