



# Appropriations & Cultural Funding Board Agenda

February 17th, 2023 at 1:30p.m.

Kirkhof Room 1104

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## 1) Opening of Meeting

- a) Meeting Called to Order 1:34 p.m.
- b) Committee Introductions Quinten, Ben, Justin, Larby, Jonathan, Jacob
- c) Organization Role Call Astronomy, Native American Student Association

## 2) Hearing of Requests

- a) Astronomy Club
  - i) Speaker: Dr. Larry Molnar, open to the community
    - (1) First speaker in the last few years
    - (2) Looking for funding for catering and a speaker gift
  - ii) Quinten asked how often does the club meet and the usual attendance
    - (1) Club meets at least once a month and at least once a semester try to attend an observatory with a usual attendance of 10-15 members.
  - iii) Justin asked about the 30 people they plan to feed even though the club has half of that for usual attendance.
    - (1) Club mentions that it's hard to ask for an exact number and the RSVP was not required to come.
  - iv) Justin also asked how the organization will promote this event.
    - (1) Club states that they will be sending out emails and that the promotions office will be hanging flyers around the campus.
  - v) Jacob asked when they event is
    - (1) Club mentions that it is scheduled for February 24th, at 5p.m.
  - vi) Quinten motions to approve the request
  - vii) Justin seconds
  - viii) All yays

## 3) Hearing of Cultural Funding Requests

- a) Native American Student Association
  - i) Looking for funding for their Powwow event.
  - ii) Have not had this event since before covid.
  - iii) Justin asked about the speaker.
    - (1) Shannon Martin is the head MC, and that event will also have other speakers as well as dancers and other types of events.
  - iv) Jacob asked if this event has gone on for the past years
    - (1) Club mentions they have had it in the past and that they had to cancel due to covid.



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- v) Jacob asked about how to promote this event
  - (1) Club mentions that they have already worked with promotions and that there is a Native community on Facebook and the community seems excited for this event to come back.
- vi) Justin asked what the details are to support the large number of people.
  - (1) Club mentions that they will be staffing the event to keep it safe and ran correctly, they also have a head coordinator for the event, and that everything is planned out.
- vii) Club states they expect the number of students to increase and be larger than anticipated
- viii) Quinten motions to approve the request pending GA approval
- ix) Larbi seconds
- x) All yays.

4) Adjournment                      1:52p.m.

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## Budget Request: Dr. Larry Molnar: Contact Binary Stars


On January 19th, 2023 Dr. Larry Molnar, Physics and Astronomy Professor at Calvin College, is coming to speak at an open event at GVSU. Dr. Molnar has made ripples in the international Astronomy community recently, with his research that focuses on contact binary stars. In the spring of 2017 Dr. Molnar, with the help of his pupils at Calvin, published a paper demonstrating ways to detect and predict luminous red novae. Since then, Dr. Molnar and his team have come ever closer to understanding contact binaries and red nova, paving a way for future direct observation of these exciting and elusive phenomena.

<b>Requested Total</b>	\$701.69
<b>Adjusted Total</b>	\$701.69
<b>Date Created</b>	Thursday, December 1, 2022 3:19:09 PM
<b>Submitted By</b>	Colin Blassingame
<b>Organization</b>	Astronomy Club
<b>Status</b>	Submitted on Wednesday, February 15, 2023 11:46:18 AM
<b>Process</b>	Campus Programming 2022 - 2023

## 5 Sections, 3 Line Items

### Section: Food Service - 7022

1 Line Item / \$674.70

<b>Tasty Tex Mex</b> Campus Catering (Expense) Fajita buffet with vegan options for 30 people  <a href="#">Web capture 13-2-2023 124345 .jpeg</a>	1 x \$674.70	\$674.70
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### Section: Marketing and Promotions Office - 7032

1 Line Item / \$12.00

Advertising, printing, promotions, etc

<b>Flyer</b> Promotional Package (Expense) Promotional Flyers posted for the event.	1 x \$12.00	\$12.00
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## Section: Speaker Gift - 7046

1 Line Item / \$14.99

<b>GV Mug Speaker Gift (Expense)</b> Michigan GV Mug 16 oz. Show your school and state pride everywhere! Lakerstore: Item: 70519912410  <a href="#">GV Mug.jpeg</a>	1 x \$14.99	\$14.99
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## Section: Speaker / Performer Contractual Payment - 7041

## Section: Supplies - 7003

## Additional Information

## Funding Guidelines

Before proceeding with this request, please click on the following link to review Event Guidelines and Rules for funding requests. PLEASE CLICK HERE. I understand that by proceeding in this form, I am verifying that I have read and understand all of the funding guidelines listed above. I understand that if I choose not to follow these guidelines, my request will be denied. I understand that any "in person" events must follow all university policies and guidelines regarding COVID-19. **Yes**

All communication is done through LakerLink. Be sure to check your funding request regularly for updates and scheduling. Please enter your @mail.gvsu.edu email address: - [blassinc@mail.gvsu.edu](mailto:blassinc@mail.gvsu.edu)

## Program Information

Will this event be virtual or in person?

Hybrid (Both)

Program Information

Title of Program - Dr. Larry Molnar: Contact Binary Stars

Date(s) of Program - 01/19/2023

Time(s) of Program - 6:00PM

Event Location - Kirkhof Center

How will you promote / publicize this event? - Campus Promotions Office (via flyers), Social Media (FB, Twitter, etc.),

Word of Mouth (Teachers, Students)



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## Additional Funding Sources

Please describe any additional sources of funds being contributed that will impact this request. **Donations**

## Participants

Expected Event Participants

Number of GVSU students expected to participate: - 40

Number of GVSU Faculty and Staff expected to participate: - 4

Number of people not affiliated with GVSU expected to participate: - 10

## Budget Request: 22nd Annual Celebrating All Walks of Life Powwow

A Traditional Powwow is a gathering and celebration of Native American culture through ceremony, song, dance, feasting, and socializing. Traditional powwows include dancers, drum groups, invited Elders, Veterans, and other honored guests to perform and participate in the celebration. NASA has worked in strong collaboration with the Office of Multicultural Affairs and the Division of Inclusion and Equity to plan and coordinate this large-scale event. In addition, NASA has strong support from the local West Michigan Native American community in ensuring that the event is successful and respectful of traditional Native culture. The number of student participants has been steadily increasing every year, and the community interest is high. For many students, this may be their first time attending an event like this, or it may represent their first time re-entering the community in this way since the pandemic.

<b>Requested Total</b>	\$15,130.00
<b>Adjusted Total</b>	\$15,130.00
<b>Date Created</b>	Friday, January 20, 2023 12:56:51 PM
<b>Submitted By</b>	Jacob Klanke
<b>Organization</b>	Native American Student Association



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Status	Resubmitted on Wednesday, February 15, 2023 11:43:58 AM
Process	Campus Programming 2022 - 2023

## 5 Sections, 6 Line Items

### Section: Food Service - 7022

### Section: Marketing and Promotions Office - 7032

2 Line Items / \$555.00



Advertising, printing, promotions, etc

<b>UPO Package D</b> Promotional Package (Expense) <a href="#">Screenshot 2023-01-23 130607.png</a>	1 x \$255.00	\$255.00
<b>Photographer</b> Grand Valley Photographer (Expense) <a href="#">Photographer.Whitman.doc</a>	1 x \$300.00	\$300.00

### Section: Speaker Gift - 7046

### Section: Speaker / Performer Contractual Payment - 7041

2 Line Items / \$8,000.00

<b>Headstaff</b> Speaker / Performer Contractual Payment (Expense) Head Veteran, Master of Ceremonies, Arena Director, Fire Keeper, (3) Head Male Dancers, (3) Head Female Dancers  Each staff person has their own contract, following the same layout as the contract below. Contracts for each staff person are available.   <a href="#">Bissell.Dan.Contract.doc</a>	1 x \$4,400.00	\$4,400.00
<b>Drummers</b> Speaker / Performer Contractual Payment (Expense) Drummers and hosts for all days   <a href="#">Rinehart.Jonathan (1).doc</a>	1 x \$3,600.00	\$3,600.00

### Section: Supplies - 7003

2 Line Items / \$6,575.00

<b>Fieldhouse Arena</b> Supplies (Expense)   <a href="#">Screenshot 2023-01-23 130607.png</a>	1 x \$175.00	\$175.00
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<b>Powwow Feast Supplies (Expense)</b>  <a href="#">GVSU Pow Wow 2023 (1).pdf</a>	1 x \$6,400.00	\$6,400.00
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### Program Information

Will this event be virtual or in person?

In-Person

Program Information

Title of Program - 22nd Annual Celebrating All Walks of Life Powwow

Date(s) of Program - 04/15/2023-04/16/2023

Time(s) of Program - 04/15 12:00pm-8:00pm & 04/16 1:00pm-4:00pm

Event Location - Fieldhouse Arena

Please list the exact campus building and room where the event will take place. Listing this space confirms that your group has already reserved and confirmed the space. Documentation of your room reservation must be uploaded in the budget portion of this form in order for your request to be heard. - FieldHouse Arena

How will you promote / publicize this event? - GVSU Events Calendar, OMA Events Calendar, Website and Social Media outlets, Division of Inclusion and Equity, Division of Student Services, NASA Facebook and Social Media, UPO Promotions Package, GVSU Facility in School of Social Work, Anthropology, History, Liberal Studies, Sociology, Honors College, Local Tribal Councils websites and calendars, Native News Online, Local TV Media (WZZM, WOODTV8, Fox News)

At a minimum, all events must be listed on the GVSU events calendar at [www.gvsu.edu/events](http://www.gvsu.edu/events), and on the LakerLink event calendar. - GVSU Events Calendar, OMA Events Calendar, Website and Social Media outlets, Division of Inclusion and Equity, Division of Student Services, NASA Facebook and Social Media, UPO Promotions Package, GVSU Facility in School of Social Work, Anthropology, History, Liberal Studies, Sociology, Honors College, Local Tribal Councils websites and calendars, Native News Online, Local TV Media (WZZM, WOOD-TV8, Fox News)



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Please list the co-sponsors for this event.

- Office of Multicultural Affairs & the Division of Inclusion and Equity

What are the co-sponsors contributing to the event?

- The co-sponsors are contributing funds will go towards some staffing, facilities, some food, and hotels for head staff

## Additional Funding Sources

Please describe any additional sources of funds being contributed that will impact this request. **Co-Sponsorship**

If you have checked a box other than "none" please describe the amount of financial contributions in detail.

- OMA and I&E will be contributing \$10,000 but the total cost of the event is \$26000 at minimum

## Participants

Expected Event Participants

Number of GVSU students expected to participate: - 600

Number of GVSU Faculty and Staff expected to participate: - 100

Number of people not affiliated with GVSU expected to participate: - 400

If involving non-GVSU participants (guests), please explain: - As in previous years, we have an extremely strong showing of support from the local Native American community as participants (drummers, dancers, vendors) as well as spectators. It is important to include community members as this is a ceremony and cultural event.