



# Appropriations Funding Board Agenda

February 16, 2024 at 1:30p.m.

Kirkhof Room 2263

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1. Opening of Meeting
  - a. Meeting Called to Order 1:29 p.m.
  - b. Committee Introductions Braylond, Ty, Nancy, Elena, Dip, Ka'nyah
  - c. Organization Role Call Recreational Therapy Student Association, Data Science Society, Laker/Solar Race Teams
  
2. Hearing of Allocations Requests
  - a. Recreational Therapy Student Association
    - i. Looking for funding to have an open house for different stations for students, community members, or prospective students to bring awareness of this major and field of study.
      1. Elena asked if by prospective students if the club meant high school students admitted to GVSU.
        - a. Club states that this is open to mainly GVSU students but there will be some community members as well.
      2. Board comes to a decision of approving the funding materials for the event but not the food items.
      3. Ty motions to approve as adjusted for \$19.30.
        - a. All yays.
  - b. Data Science Society
    - i. Looking for funding for an event to collaborate with other departments and firms locally to inform employers the process for hiring international students.
      1. Ty asks if this event is being put on by the organization or by a department on campus.
        - a. Club states that they started this idea and wanted to scale it with the help of other organizations and departments.
      2. Nancy asked if this event is geared towards GVSU students or if it is geared towards employers.
        - a. Club states that this is focused on students at GVSU to help them get internships as well full-time jobs.
      3. Ty mentions that the board is confused based on the fact that the department was booking everything and it wasn't the club itself.
        - a. Club states that they are a sponsor of the event and that the department was helping them go through the process.
      4. Ka'nyah asked how many students that reserved a ticket were GVSU students.
        - a. Club states that every student will be a GVSU student.
      5. Dip asked if this was promoted to only GVSU students.
        - a. Club states that this was only promoted to GVSU students.
      6. Ty asks how many GVSU students will actually be there.



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- a. Club states 25 GVSU students.
    7. Ty asks what the \$300 sponsorship money will be going to.
      - a. Club states this amount would go towards the catering of the event.
    8. Ty motions to approve as adjusted for \$300.
    9. All yays.
  - c. Laker/Solar Race Teams
    - i. Laker Race Formula SAE states that the purpose of the organization is to build a car from the bottom up by designing parts on CAD and sending those parts out for manufacturing as well as manufacturing some parts in house. Competition is at Michigan International Speedway which they will compete against 120 teams from all over the world. Hosting a Brazilian team where these teams shared designs with each other and practiced with each other.
    - ii. Solar race side looks to build a car by being efficient from using solar panels as building battery packs. They are building their first car and are very close to being finished.
      1. Ty motions to approve as adjusted for \$9,999.99.
      2. All yays.
3. Adjournment 2:06 p.m.

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