

## Vice President (Student Life)

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SUB 280

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November 28<sup>th</sup> 2017- January 5<sup>th</sup> 2018

A very Happy New Year to everyone!

### University Relations

#### Bi-Weekly University Meetings

- Verity Turpin (Executive Director Student Wellness): New joint meetings between myself, Verity, Alex, and Dean Martin (Incoming Director Student Life and Residence)
- Community Day 2.0: have begun to meet with individuals from CLDC and Dal Student Life to discuss plans for Community Day 2.0 (or rather community month) taking place throughout the month of February. Dal is attempting to get students and faculty to collectively log 2018 volunteer hours for the month.
- Winter Orientation committee meetings (Dal)
- Impact Awards Committee has begun to meet, nomination forum now open!  
<https://mycareer.dal.ca/impactawards/impactnom.htm> Ceremony will be March 22<sup>nd</sup>

#### Weekly Internal Meetings

- Meetings with Greg Wright RE: upcoming Grawood and T-Room programming
- Meetings with Paul (interim comms director) and Alex to discuss Union Communications
- Weekly meetings with TEDx Coordinator
- Student Life Committee

#### One-Off Meetings

- Meeting with Tech and Room bookings on Sn-O-Week Plans
- Meet with several SRAs to discuss relationship between DSU and Residence groups
- Briefly met with Residence Life Manager regarding Dry Residence Policy during O-week

### Programming & Events

#### Sn-O-Week

- Taking place between Jan 17<sup>th</sup>-19<sup>th</sup>

January 17<sup>th</sup>:

**O-Week to Sn-O-Week:** Check in panel discussions for first year students hosted by past O-week leaders. Topics will include academics, student wellness, extracurriculars, on campus living, off campus living and any other questions from the audience!

**Time:** 7:30pm

**Location:**

- Gerrard Main Lounge
- Risley Dining Hall

- Sherriff Dining Hall
- Howe Dining Hall
- SUB rm 302 (OCUS)

January 18<sup>th</sup>:

**DSU Skates!:** We're headed to the oval for an evening skate! No experience necessary! Skates also not required as they are free to rent at the oval (ID card required)

**Time:** 6:30pm

**Location:** Meet at the lobby of the SUB, we'll head over together at 6:30pm

**Sexton Snowfest:** Join us down at the Sexton campus for a choose your own adventure night and concert in the T-Room! Kick things off by selecting from a list of activities including family feud, snow fort design contest, jack box, and Cider Pong tournament. Concert in the T-Room to follow for all those who are 19+

**Time:** 6:30pm for activities | | 9pm for concert

**Location:** Sexton T-Room, Design Commons, and Alumni Lounge

January 19<sup>th</sup>:

**Snowfest:** Back to Studley, we're hosting another choose your own adventure night with even more activities including: family feud, jack box, cookie dough snowman building, dance dance revolution, cider pong tournament, and minute to win it! Prizes all around! Concert to follow for all ages in the McInnis Room. Concert requires purchase of a ticket either before or at the door.

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**Location:** SUB

TEDx

- Salon license submitted: 3 smaller TEDx events to take place throughout second semester
- Executive Meetings have begun
- Speaker Nominations are open
- General Volunteer application up on the TEDx website <https://tedxdalhousesie.com/>
- This year's theme: "Against the Current"

WELLNESS ROOM

- Yoga Hours have changed! Monday yoga has been moved to 12pm and Sunday to 4pm
- Wellness room office: the smaller room in the wellness room will now be locked at all time unless booked through our Member Services Coordinator. The key will only be given to individuals who have a booking.

GRAWOOD/ T-ROOM

- TRIVIA + 2-for-1 BURGER NIGHT WEDNESDAYS
- SEX TOY BINGO + WINGS NIGHT/OPEN MIC NIGHTS THURSDAYS

#### ATHLETICS AND RECREATIONS

- Looking at potential collaborations for Olympic parallel events

#### STUDENT LIFE COMMITTEE

- Meetings have been mostly in regard to Sn-O-week planning. Attention will begin to shift to finalizing event and programming timelines for the rest of the academic term.