Finance Committee
Kevin Benscheidt, Treasurer

- Allocations in Fall Semester:
  - $38,000 in Annual Budgets to 18 orgs
  - $8,930 in New Money to 10 orgs

- Projection for J-Term/Spring:
  - $35,000-50,000 in New Money, next semester
  - Total allocation of approximately of $1.08M-$1.1M

- Other Notables:
  - Interview 27 applicants, selected 3 younger members to join FC
  - Significant decrease in the number of annual budgets: 140 to 125 orgs
  - Clubs sports funding framework to be introduced after break
  - Proposal to provide structured, need-based Fin Aid to students active in potentially cost-prohibitive orgs (coming soon)
Student Organization Oversight Committee
Nick Delehanty, Director of Student Organizations

- 12 New Org Submissions
  - 3 denied (2 presented before committee, one failed to respond to emails)
    - Middlebury Trap and Skeet, Slackline Club, and Menstrual Mountain Cyclers
  - 3 approved unanimously
    - UR STEM, Go/Refuge, MiddLaw
  - 5 in various stages of preparing to present to committee
    - American Chemical Society, She’s the First (presenting today), Tabletop Gaming Club, Project Pengyou, Young Progressives Demanding Action
  - 1 (Bike Shop) in process of moving from current home in Public Safety to elsewhere with assistance of SGA SOOC, FC, and Middlebury Outdoor Programs
  - Successfully oversaw and approved revisions of Midd IVCF’s constitution
  - Will hear three presentations over J-term, complete annual review process
Educational Affairs Committee
Jiya Pandya & Maya Woser, Co-Directors of Academic Affairs

- Mid-term Course Evaluations
  - “Re-envisioning Mid(d)-Term Assessments”
- Advising
  - Student/Faculty expectations
  - Database
- Textbook prices
  - Donor-endowed fund
  - Texts.com
  - Resource sheet for faculty
- Academic Clusters
  - Survey
- International Students
  - CCI/ISSS flowchart
- Helping
  - Thinking Buddies (J.J. Moser)
  - Grade-free first semester (Jeffrey Ou)
Publicity Committee
Yiyi Jin, Director of Publicity

- SGA Facebook Page management
- Bulletin board and website maintenance & updates
- Project ACTR Bus Pamphlet!
- Publicity of events
  10 O’clock Ross
  SGA Election
  Zimrides and break buses
  Middcourse
  Financial Aid Survey

Recent promotions on Middlebury College SGA

**Boosted post**
*End in 1 hour*
The FINANCIAL AID SURVEY is here! The S...  
Promoted by Yiyi Jin on 12/01/2016

**Boosted post**
*Completed*
Spring registration is right around the corner, an...  
Promoted by Yiyi Jin on 10/28/2016

**Total Page Likes as of Today: 1,008**

- People reached
- Post engagements
- Spent out of $15.00
Institutional Affairs Committee
Taylor Banaszweski, Director of Institutional Affairs

• Hired students to work in SGA sponsored initiatives on campus (10 o’ Clock Ross, Craft Space, Secretary, Newspaper Delivery) and arranged orientation into these roles

• Actively worked with employees throughout the semester and helped solve any challenges they encountered

• Managed the successful execution of 10 o’ Clock Ross and worked to solve any problems dining hall staff had with the service

• Approved newspaper charges to the New York Times
Institutional Diversity Committee
Brianna Arroyo & Geovany Martinez, Co-Directors of Institutional Diversity

• Partnerships
  – Miguel Fernandez (Chief Diversity Officer)
  – Jennifer Herrera (Associate Director of AFC)

• Past Initiatives
  – Student Leadership Conference
  – Post-election Student & Faculty Panel

• Future Goals
  – Spring Student Leadership Conference
  – 2-3 Faculty & Student panel discussions
  – Potential collaboration with SNG/ Divest
  – Work with Environmental Club to facilitate inclusivity in the outdoors
Athletic Affairs Committee
Annie Cowan & Kate Reinmuth, Co-Directors of Academic Affairs

- Met with Erin Quinn, Director of Athletics, to discuss finances for athletics, gym programs, skate rentals, and club sports rules
- Interviewed 22 of 49 varsity, JV, and club team captains for information on team finances, sports medicine and field house improvements, and social issues on campus
- Began working on the establishment of a SuperFan organization on campus
- Solved the mystery of the missing skates
- Interview the remaining 27 team captains. Compile the information gathered in this study and compose an article summarizing the important points
- Establish gym programs for all students in order to create a better understanding of how to safely use the gym equipment
- Initiate a pilot program for the SuperFan organization over J-term
Environmental Affairs Committee
Michael Shrader and Jenny Ortega, Co-Directors of Environmental Affairs

- **Native Landscaping**
  - Hoping to find an affordable way of getting the College to begin incorporating native plants into the college landscape—which would be more affordable in the long run

- **Sustainable Booklet**
  - Reformattting the comic book given to first years about how to be environmentally conscious on campus
  - Will include more ideas besides telling students to recycle, use less water, etc.

- **Carbon Neutrality forum**
  - Providing a space for students and faculty to learn more about the carbon neutrality goal, its shortcomings, and what this means moving forward

- **Eat Real**
  - Reduce meat products in the dining halls by 30% over 3 years and increase awareness of impact of meat, and more!

- **Laundry Detergent**
  - Create educational stations in the major laundry spaces on campus that provide free environmentally-friendly (and allergy friendly) laundry detergent

- **Burgin Lodge Retreat**
  - In collaboration with MILC in order to get students who feel excluded in the outdoors to be the ones attending
  - Used as a space for healing
  - Atwater dinner for MMC centennial can set tone of inclusivity (and acknowledgement of the lack thereof) before the retreat happens
External Affairs
Amirah Fauzi and Jack Petrillo, Co-Directors of Environmental Affairs

• Established relationships with BMP, Town Select Board, and Chamber of Commerce
• Provided student input for various town events such as Chili Fest and Midd Night Stroll
• Worked with James on preliminary talks regarding Town-Gown event
Student Health and Wellness Committee
Michelle Yang, Director of Student Health and Wellness

Fall Semester
• October 10th, World Mental Health Day
• November 16th, Envisioning Middlebury, Library Spaces

Updates
• New Co-Director: MEGAN MAHONEY
• WomenSafe advocate, Member of Field Hockey team, strongly committed to sexual assault awareness and making campus a more inclusive space for underclassmen

On The Horizon
• Alternative Wellness Day in collaboration with Barbara McCall & Student Wellness Leaders (Caroline Wolfe)
• Future partnership/expansion with Green Dot Program (Shshank Karn)
• Speakers: “It’s Not What You Think” series (Pam Berenbaum)

***Coffee hour? Dogs during finals?