Executive Report

President: Nicole Updegrove '14
Vice President: Andrew Trexler '14

Sexual Assault and Fraternities
Most of the week was spent working with the intersection of sexual assault and fraternities.

Espwesso
Espwesso, thanks to the efforts of Andrew Trexler, is now able to operate from 1 PM to 1 AM on weekdays. In Fall 2014, Espwesso will be open from 2 - 5 PM in addition to 9 PM - 1 AM on weekdays.

Constitutional Review
Academic Affairs Committee (AAC)
Chair: Grant Tanenbaum ‘15

AAC spent a great deal of time discussing the recent resolutions on sexual assault and our proposed constitutional changes.

History Minor
Welcome to Wesleyan’s newest minor! EPC has approved the new History Minor which will be available shortly.

Advising
The Chair met with representatives from Academic Affairs this week to discuss some “executive” actions the administration can take to promote more meaningful advising relationships.

Religious Absences
AAC, thanks to the work of Rebecca Hutman and Izzy Linzer, is preparing to submit a proposal to EPC asking that syllabi state Wesleyan’s policy on religious absences.

Admissions (Bruno)
The last two things that the Admissions Committee plans to do this year are a discussion about international student admissions and any potential initiatives that the Admissions Office and the WSA can undertake as well as planning for next year (firm institutionalization under AAC, the creation of a missions statement, etc.)

Internationalization Task Force (Bruno)
Bruno and Simon (SAC, ‘16) are going to be working on issues of international student resources and internationalization. Most of this year will focus on planning for next year as well as compiling a list of student concerns and grievances regarding international student resources (admissions, career center, paperwork and taxes, internationalization, study abroad, etc.)

Cardinal Connect / Network (Bruno)
Bruno and Nicole Brenner (CoCo, ‘15) will be beginning the recruitment and training process for Cardinal Connect mentors. Contact one of us if you wish to be involved.
Community Committee (CoCo)
Chair: Nicole Brenner ’15

Coco Members will update the assembly on the status of their projects

Shoulder to Shoulder - Lizzie Shackney
Kickball Tournament - Key Session
Student Life Support - Aidan Martinez
Midwes - Glenn Cantave
CID - Sadasia McCutchen

TODAY IS KEY’S BIRTHDAY!!!!!!!
Organization and External Affairs Committee (OEAC)
Chair: Jacob Musinsky ’15, Coordinator

Canvassing
We will be canvassing over the next couple weeks! We have prepared questions and lit to bring along with us on our journey around campus. This will be happening late this week and early next week. Look out for more information.

Elections
Elections for President/Vice President and Senior Class Officers will open tonight at midnight! Mansoor and I have decided to stick with our old voting platform and will continue look into switching into Qualtrics in the future. Tell your friends to vote! Voting closes on Friday at midnight.

Constitutional Review
Con Review Committee wrote up a list of our proposed changes to be discussed and voted on in GA. The language is not final, but we will be voting on the changes instead of the language until we vote on the Constitution and By Laws as a completed whole. We will start meetings with standing committees this week. If you would like to join us for general discussion, we meet Thursdays at 6PM in the WSA Office.

WSA Review
Lily and I have drafted some questions about all of your experiences being on the WSA. We hope to send it out soon for some feedback on our practices.

Student Government Research
Fred has been doing some research on the makeup of some of our peer schools’ student governments to give us some ideas for constitutional review reforms.
Student Affairs Committee (SAC)
Chair: Kate Cullen ‘16

Thank you all who came out to the potluck last night! I had a great time and look forward to more in the future.

Student Judicial Process Committee
SJPC met this week to organize the SJB interviews. The interview team will be comprised of two SJB members, one SAC member and one affiliated faculty member. The selection process will be based on the composite scores of the applicants and the overall comments of the interviewers. If there is debate about any of the applicants, the SJB will present their recommendations to the SJPC through the representatives to that committee as will the representatives of the WSA on SJPC. If consensus cannot be reached, the Dean of Students or designee will make the final decision. In addition, a proposal is moving forward to SLC to increase the membership of the SJB to ten students.

Undergraduate Residential Life Committee
URLC began by discussing GRS, which went along very smoothly this year. Preventing splitting and merging for juniors and seniors made the process clearer and more predictable for many students. We also discussed the role of CAs. We established their job as a point person for ResLife resources and information in addition to building community through programming. URLC suggested that these programs be organized less often but in greater size, so the limited resources CAs have can go to a few, but very good programs. In addition, we talked about sustainability in ResLife, including the joule bug app, new sensor lights in Foss Hill dorms, heating controls in WestCo, handing out clothing lines, and advertising WasteNot.

Student Life Committee
This Friday, SLC met to discuss the Labor Forum and the campus discussion on sexual assault and Greek life. At the Labor Forum, strained communication between management and workers and the profound amount of mess that students make were identified to be the major contributing factors to the poor working conditions of our custodial workers at Wesleyan. While the administration is working on the communication piece, WSA and USLAC should work on the messy piece. Kate Cullen ‘16 proposed that program houses have a program requirement to do a full spring cleaning. Outhouse will be holding one this year and we encourage all other program houses to do the same. Dove tailing off of Nicole Updegrove’s resolution, this idea will be brought to URLC for further review.

In addition, SAC went over the ongoing discussion on sexual assault and Greek housing with the administrators at SLC. They gave us their input and we discussed a framework for our GA discussion tonight.
On Friday, Kate Cullen ‘16 attended the Title IX and sexual assault policy training conducted by a representative from Pepper Hamilton. President Roth, the Student Affairs Office, faculty, and other administrators were present. Nina Gurak ‘16 was also in attendance.
Student Budget Committee (SBC)
Chair: Nicki Softness ‘14

Here is who we funded:

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Request of the Week: Fred (and his group, Active Minds)
who sent a video detailing his love for the SBC via his absence. Setting new standards every day.
Sustainability, Finance, and Facilities Committee (SuFFaC)
Chair: Justin Gitlin ’15

Usdan Advisory
The Usdan Advisory Committee convened this past week. In conjunction with the committee, SuFFaC will be helping to initiate and run an end of the year clothes/winter coat drive. As students move out for the year, they often come across clothes they do not want. We will be setting up boxes in every door with the hopes of collecting clothes to give to local shelters.

This summer, Usdan will be undergoing a little bit of an interior redecoration. As part of this redecoration, SuFFaC will be working to design and install health tips and sustainability tips throughout the building.

Dining
The food sustainability tour will be happening this week thanks to Colin O’Keeffe ’17. If you would like to join Colin and Nadia Georgieva ’16 on Thursday at 2:00 PM, please e-mail Colin.

Transportation
Mary Diaz ’14 is working on a ride sharing program which should be available in time for the end of the year. The program will make it easier and cheaper for students to find and coordinate travel home at the end of the year.

Additionally, The Ride tracking software has recently come online. As the program is up and running, SuFFaC is in talks with the Transportation Department to make the software available as a trial run for the remainder of the semester.

Also, Wes Cab is up and running, and the committee will be working to popularize its existence in time for the end of the year.

Sustainability
Mary Diaz has compiled a campus heating survey which will be distributed with the end of the year surveys. The hope is to gauge housing heating knowledge in an effort to address the sustainability issue faced in the winter.

As part of the residential sustainability effort, Martin Malabanan ’16 has been working on URLC to make a list of proposals to make campus residences more sustainable, which would, in the process, also serve to reduce costs. As part of this effort, fixing heat control will be targeted, and motion sensor lights will be installed in the Foss Hill dorms.