Executive Report

President: Grant Tanenbaum
Vice-President: Nicole Brenner

General Assembly

- Arranged future GA visits from:
  - Public Safety Director
  - Dean of Students
  - Vice President for Student Affairs
  - Chair and Vice Chair of the Faculty
  - President Roth

Appointments Update

Interviews scheduled with all applicants.

Endowment & Surplus Update

The $76,113 surplus from last year has been divided.

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Work Study Working Group Update

SALD Meeting, Office Efficiency

I met with the Director of SALD to discuss improving the timeline and process for getting student groups reimbursed and running earlier in the year with funding.

Academic Affairs
Chair: Rebecca Hutman  
Vice-Chair: Bryan Stascavage

Student Affairs  
Chair: Bruno Machiavelo

Fire Safety and Facilities Appeals Board
- The Fire Safety and Facilities Appeals Board had their first meeting (finally) this past Friday and address numerous appeals.
- Really big shoutout to Serene for stepping up to chair the board, doing really well dealing with administrators, and being really available to those students that submitted appeals.

University Residential Life Committee
- URLC met this past Friday and we discussed the heating and cooling structures in the university, printing in the residence halls, and the social scene at Wesleyan
- Heating and cooling: student concerns regarding switching from cooling to heating too early, but once the switch is made it is not possible to switch back. The committee decided that the system was too inflexible to allow for real changes in the way that heating and cooling operates.
- Printing in the residence halls: printers in the residence halls are too costly and do not function well.
- Social scene at Wesleyan
  - Focusing on qualitative measures of being over the fire safety capacity (too rowdy, overflowing) rather than quantitative measures
  - Public safety not shutting down parties that are over capacity and giving warnings to do crowd control instead
  - Improving relationships between public safety and the student body
  - Publishing and doing outreach regarding events - OrgSync, EMS, Aural Wes
  - Increasing the number of large spaces and joint events (2 houses on Fountain hosting a party, for example)
  - Beckham Hall as an option
  - The creation of a social planning committee
  - There were actually more registered parties this semester than there were last semester - points to problems with parties being shut down or with communications regarding events, if you are interested in seeing all of the registered parties for this semester, contact me.
  - Only two Program house capacities have actually decreased substantively

Student Health Advisory Committee
- Joyce Walter has created a comprehensive sheet that will be sent out to all students regarding alcohol medical transports
- SHAC is looking for new members, so be sure to get in contact with Joyce Walter if you or someone you know is interested in serving
- Davison and CAPS operations
  - Beneficial changes: More students have been coming in, increased staffing
  - Problems: reducing “non-shows” for CAPS (solution: reminder calls?), identifying “crisis” appointments and making the definition clear for students

Public Safety Advisory Committee
I’ve been in contact with Scott Rohde regarding the formation of a student advisory committee for helping him acclimate to the student body, contact me if you are interested in working with me on this.
Scott will be coming in to GA next Sunday, so get excited for that and start brainstorming things about the Wesleyan student body and social scene that you think he needs to know.

**Student Life Committee**
- At the SLC meeting before Fall Break, we discussed medical transports and the methods to reduce high risk drinking. The committee discussed open door policies, AlcoholEDU and other educational tools that Wesleyan has at its disposal, programming to reduce high-risk drinking, and the results of alcohol and drug use surveys.

**Member Projects**
- Everyone: collaborating on creating a document regarding the Wesleyan social scene for Scott Rohde
- Andy: programming (pool party), influencing art creation at Wesleyan through the establishment of an art fund, dining review
- Serene: printing, CAPS review
- Carter: CAPS review, points review regarding the SJB, bringing 2-ply to the residence halls
- Nila: pencil sharpeners, student health social marketing campaigns
- Sam: 2-ply task force

**Community Affairs**
*Chair: Lizzie Shackney*

**Bystander Intervention Training**
Bystander Intervention Training during our last meeting went really well! Thanks to all who attended.

**Individual Projects**

**Halloweekend**
Key Session ’17, Anna Pezanoski-Cohen ’17, and the chair are working to plan a redistributive event for Halloween weekend, encouraging several program houses to hold events throughout the weekend to diversify nightlife options, spread out the party population, and hopefully fulfill programming requirements. Look out for the Facebook event and map we are developing.

**Greek Life/Community Events**
Anna Pezanoski-Cohen ’17 is communicating with DKE to discuss community-building/merging events that would benefit some greater cause. She is looking at models from other schools to use as building blocks for this potential event. Another consideration is some kind of event that enlists the support of many student groups, ensuring that they all have some sort of stake in the success of the event.

**“State of the School” Resolution**
Anna Pezanoski-Cohen ’17 has been developing a resolution focused on increasing transparency from the administration to the student body. In this case, it would take the form of President Roth delivering a "State of the School" address in either the beginning or middle of the year amongst other things, in order to encourage more productive conversation. We’ll be looking into this resolution today.
Bias Reporting System
Arron Luo ’18 has discovered the University’s new reporting system (which goes beyond just bias - also a system for reporting sexual assault, crime, etc.), Maxient. He will be looking into how to better publicize this system in order to create a culture of reporting.

NAGPRA Evaluation
Did you know that the University is in possession of 15 Native American human remains and thousands of cultural objects? Did you know that there is a federal law, entitled the Native American Graves Protection and Repatriation Act (NAGPRA), that states that these remains and artifacts must be returned to the tribes and nations to which they belong? Brenda Quintana ’18 is going to look into where we are in terms of evaluating and repatriating these sacred objects.

Visit from Achievement First Amistad High
This week, a group of students from Achievement First Amistad High School will be visiting campus, and they requested a Q&A panel with some of Wesleyan’s student leaders. Brenda Quintana ’18 is organizing this panel.

Smartkey Situation and Student Group Registration Process
After careful evaluation and a lot of work by the WSA office, we’ve determined which smartkeys can be repurposed. We’re preparing to undergo some major changes to the registration process, including administering registration deadlines, suggesting that some groups with similar missions formally merge, among other things. More information to come.

Subcommittees

CID
CID met and discussed their mission statement, what they wanted to change, and how they would relate to it throughout the year. They’re interested in encouraging student groups to initiate a photo project similar to the “What I Be” project - something to show the many faces and experiences of Wesleyan.

MidWes
MidWes will officially be chaired by Ellie Martin ’16. Their first actual meeting (without me) is today from 5-6 in the UOC!

Student Group of the Week
Outing Club, because they’re getting really into OrgSync and it makes me proud.

Thing I found on the Internet of the Week
A grape wearing a raspberry as a hat.
Sustainability, Finance, and Facilities
Chair: Ellen Paik

Welcome to SuFFaC, Angela!

CIR
Welcome to the new CIR members: Joli Holmes, Mira Klein and Joel Michaels

Dining Committee
Izzy Linzer ’16 met with Michael Strumpf and Michelle Myers-Brown about the Sabra hummus issue, and the various options that Bon Appetite could take. There are several options, including publicizing other hummus brands more. During the meeting, the Dining Committee also discussed student feedback, notably the complaints about WesWings prices. Izzy also met with the student pushing for the ban of Sabra Hummus. Meal Plan Analysis is still in the works.

Sustainability Coordinator
Christi is continuing to adjust to her new Sustainability Coordinator role and is meeting with sustainability people! Woo!

Financial Aid Committee
Financial Aid doesn’t cover EMT classes, so Henry is meeting with the Financial Aid Office to figure out if students that need the extra cost coverage could get that funding from the Financial Aid Office.

Light Tour
The Annual Light Tour will happen on November 4th. Please join us!

Green Fund
Green Fund is preparing materials for the Board of Trustees meeting in November, where we'll be pitching arguments for why we should continue to exist and provide updates on what we've been doing for the past 5 years since our founding.

**Future Projects**
- There is a possibility that we will be creating a Usdan Advisory Team.
- We will be creating a survey for the Bikeshare Program

**Student Budget**
*Chair: Justin Gitlin ’15*

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