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To: Students' Union Council

Re: Report to Students' Council

Hey Council!

Welcome to my report. The last couple of weeks have been quite fantastic! VP Ripka and I went and volunteered at the Calgary Stampede parade this weekend, and now we're headed to our CAUS Counterparts conference with the team.

1. SU & Athletics Partnership

VP Ripka and I met with Brianne Ferris and some other folks from athletics to discuss a potential partnership between the Students' Union and athletics. This could look like us broadcasting Bears & Pandas games up in RATT, and athletics hanging SU banners at games to get some exposure. We'd also like to host some "meet the athletes" nights to provide an opportunity for students to meet them in person. We are now running the details by the core managers to ensure that every department gets the most value out of it.

2. Campus Faculties Safety & Security Committees

At the last CFSS meeting, risk management updated us on the status of FAB. The following safety measures have been added, totalling over \$100,000 in investment:

- Security cameras
- Security gates
- Elevator restrictions to the basement

This committee has set a goal to release a report to the university administration by Sept 28th, 2018. It will contain recommendations and outline the areas of campus that are in greatest need of improved security measures. This committee will also seek opportunities to educate the campus community on safety awareness. There is currently a survey open until July 17th that seeks student opinion on the subject, so if you want your voice heard go to my Facebook page, and click on the link.

3. Closing thoughts

I am looking forward to meeting all of our counterparts at this CAUS conference. I am sure I will be able to learn a lot from them, and implement some ideas to collaborate

throughout the year. I have a meeting with Risk Management to discuss student group policies and procedures for the upcoming year, and I look forward to updating council next meeting. Lastly, I will be meeting with some government officials to discuss the FCSP grant to discuss how to use the it to best serve students. As always, office hours will be held Monday from 12:00-1:00; see you there!

Cheers,



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