Board of Trustees East Campus Student Government Report

Theme: Unity

Topics:

1) Unity at the Campus level
2) Unity at the Collegiate level
3) Unity at the Community and State level

Unity at the Campus level	Issue: Uniting Student Government	Issue: Uniting the East Campus Student Body
Reasoning	Before we help others, we must first help ourselves. If we want to be the Student Leaders this school deserves, we must all be in one accordance with our thoughts and goals.	East Campus is our home. The students here are not only our friends, but have elected us to represent them to the school and the community. We don't take that lightly.
Focuses of the goal	Increasing our board efficiency as well as the creation of events and activities hosted by Student Government.	Targeting the needs of the non-traditional student in order to unify them with the traditional student body. Partnering with other clubs, organizations, and individuals to better accent all of the flavors of east campus, as well as increase the amount of educational outcomes we can accomplish.
Plan of action	Our plan of action for Increasing the boards efficiency is by reviewing our Constitution in order to detect any policy that needs updated, or adding a clause in order for us to better serve the school, as well as working on a means of publishing our meeting minutes electronically so not only can we have the minutes accessible for us to review to make sure we are maintaining our goals, but as well as increase the transparency of the board.	Sending out surveys to better is aware of the issues concerning the students, with an emphasis on gathering data from non-traditional students. Increased cooperation and support of clubs by Vice-President there so that SGA may be able to communicate and support other school clubs.

Unity at the College level	Issue: Uniting all 5 SGA programs	Creation of a Student Advisory board
Reasoning	Increase resources for all campuses, both ability to assist one another in events, but as well as share knowledge and resources with one another.	Have a formal organization comprised of all 5 SGA's to meet and communicate the goals previously listed in the last issues.
Focuses of the goal	Constant communication between all five SGA boards, both formally, and informally.	Allowing each campus to bring its issues to the other four campuses to better allow them to trouble shoot as a college instead of as a campus.
Plan of action	Creation of a Student Advisory board.	We are going through college procedure and the chain of command to ensure this organizations success. We have the support of our advisors and we are working with the Student Development College wide Director to ensure that his organization is successful as well as following procedure.

Unity at the Community and State level	Keeping students informed on issues that concern them	Issue: Advocating Student issues to legislators
Reasoning	As a liaison of the students, it is not only our responsibility to bring student issues to the school and the community, but to inform the students about the issues themselves as well.	It is Student Governments responsibility to advocate the issues of students to the appropriate body.
Focuses of the goal	Increased support of Town hall meetings as well as incorporating student issues that students should be aware of in our monthly SGA newsletter.	This year, three of the campuses (East Campus, West Campus and Osceola Campus) made a commitment to the state by running and getting elected to the District 2 Executive board in the organization FCSSGA. FCSSGA is the over encompassing organization that unites SGA's all across the state to coordinate with each other to help address the issues of students.
Plan of action	Increased commitment to both of these ideas by increasing resources of the target objectives, both with human and budget resources.	Workings in conjecture with the state SGA organization (FCSSGA) to not only advocate the issues of Valencia Students, but Florida students in general.