

Gonzaga Student Body Association
Senate
2017-2018

SB 103117

Monday, October 30th, 2017

Sponsor: Braxton Difuntorum, On-Campus Senator

Co-Sponsor: Fiona Sutherland, Business Senator, Olivia Asato, Arts and Sciences Senator

Summary: GSBA allocates a portion of their budget to support the efforts of GSBA-sponsored clubs and organizations that contribute to the University community. There are ten months during the academic year of 2017-2018 for general clubs and sports clubs to request funds for events and resources. This bill proposes to allocate funding to clubs. Club funding total and purpose are outlined below:

Text:

Section 1: Whereas, according to the GSBA Bylaws Article XXVI Section 13B, the Senate Committee on Finance is “responsible for all financial matters pertaining to the campus as a whole”.

Section 2: Whereas, according to Article VII Section 7 of the GSBA Constitution, “All allocations and appropriations to student clubs and organizations shall first be considered by the Committee on Finance. Individual appropriations bills shall be reported on favorably or negatively by the Committee on Finance to the full Senate... All appropriations bills one-half of one percent or greater (0.5%) shall be passed using standard Senate procedure.”

Section 3: Whereas, the Committee on Finance aims to satisfy club funding requests for events and resources that benefit the Gonzaga community.

Section 4: Therefore, be it enacted that \$500 (Gonzaga Club Baseball-\$500) is allocated to club sports and that \$6,243 (Smash Bros. Club-\$70, Colleges Against Cancer-\$1,073, Hawaii/Pacific Islanders Club-\$3,000, Plant Our Future-\$71, Kappa Delta Pi-\$2,100) is allocated to general clubs.

Committee: Finance

Speaker of the Senate

President

1. Gonzaga Club Baseball \$500:
 - This funding request will help our team rent the batting cages at The Warehouse Performance. These cages give us the space to work on our hitting which cannot be practiced anywhere else. The club has made this request in the past with GSBA approval. The club charges dues which are \$150 per member.
2. Smash Bros. Club \$70:
 - The Smash Bros Club has gained a few new members this year, and we are looking to purchase some new equipment so that everyone can play. We have enough game systems, but we do not have enough controllers for everyone to join in. These additional controllers would allow more members to come to our events and play at the same time. These controllers would also lessen the burden of officers providing their own equipment at events, and would help make organizing tournaments smoother. 6 Gamecube controllers, sold in packs of 2. Each pack is \$18.98, so each controller is \$9.49.
3. Colleges Against Cancer \$1,073:
 - We sell T-shirts every year to help fundraise for our club and raise money for the American Cancer Society. These are T-shirts that will be sold as a fundraiser for the American Cancer Society that will help go towards cancer research, supporting survivors and caregivers, and bringing awareness to cancer. The T-shirts will be sold throughout the year and primarily at our BreastFest event that will bring awareness to breast cancer. This T-shirt fundraiser is the second largest fundraiser that we have aside Relay for Life and it will help us achieve our fundraising goal of over \$51,000. With these funds, the American Cancer Society can aid in funding cancer research, giving support to survivors and caregivers, and providing awareness. 225 T-shirts were ordered in total. 210 shirts sizes S-XL @ \$4.50/shirt 15 shirts sizes 2XL-3XL @ 5.50/shirt.
4. Hawaii/Pacific Islanders Club \$3000:
 - HPIC will be hosting the annual luau in an effort to share the culture of the Pacific islands. We will be hosting the annual Gonzaga HPIC Luau on March 24, 2018. It is a time for sharing the culture of the Hawaiian people including the food, dance and music of the native Hawaiians. This event is one of the biggest events on campus, since it includes both the Gonzaga community as well as the general Spokane community. This money would be used for food & Sodexo services, decorations, & costumes. This event serves to showcase Hawaiian and Polynesian culture and share it with the community. This event is open to the Gonzaga and Spokane community, and many GU students' families come to Spokane from out of town for this event. Decorations, shipping flowers, Costumes: \$500 Food and Sodexo services: \$2500
5. Plant Our Future \$71:
 - We want to order 200 stickers to place on plants, give to our members and use as advertising. We would like to order 200 circle-cut 70 lb. label gloss 2.5" x 2.5" stickers with the Plant Our Future logo for \$70.89 from UPrinting online. They offer free shipping. Our mission is to create a healthy, happy learning

environment for students by placing green plants into classrooms, and in order to gain more members and expand our club to fulfill this mission, we'd like some stickers with our name on it to get the word out.

6. Kappa Delta Pi \$2100:

- This program provides free tutoring for up to 80 struggling student's grade Kindergarten through 6th grade in reading and writing. Tutors are education candidates completing teacher certification programs and Kappa Delta Pi supports these efforts. Up to 70% of students are immigrants and/or refugees, who are also English Language Learners. This tutoring is vital to their success. The funds will go toward buying supplies such as: age appropriate books, office supplies, manipulatives. In addition, to publishing student made books. This funding request will be used throughout the Fall semester and the Spring semesters. KDP's mission advocates for service in the community along with supporting the efforts of the Saturday Literacy Tutoring Program that is held every Saturday in Rosauer's. This Tutoring Program provides an opportunity for education certification candidates to work with children one-on-one helping them realize their literacy potential. This is especially important for students who need support in the English language. Publishing Books - \$200 Reading Materials - \$800 Office Supplies - \$500 Reading and Writing Manipulatives - \$400 Celebration Supplies (both semesters) - \$200

Finance Request

<u>Name</u>	<u>Position</u>	<u>10/30/17</u> <u>(Y/N/AB)</u>
Braxton Difuntorum	On-Campus Senator	Y
Julia Taylor	On-Campus Senator	AB
Scott Peltomaa	TVRAS Senator	Y
Olivia Asato	Arts & Sciences Senator	Y
Ariel Bermudez	Arts & Sciences Senator	Y
Kau'i Ho'opi'i	School of Education Senator	AB
Fiona Sutherland	School of Business Senator	Y
Aubrey Ellerbruch	School of Engineering Senator	Y
Isabelle Lada	Nursing & Human Physiology Senator	Y
Trent Smiley	Freshman Senator	Y
Marlin Jones	Freshman Senator	Y
Madison Schultz	Sophomore Senator	Y
Tess Allen	Sophomore Senator	Y
Giulianna Pendleton	Sophomore Senator	Y
Lauren Drake	Junior Senator	NP
JamesDaniel Valle	Junior Senator	Y
Elizabeth Van Drimmelen	Junior Senator	Y
Rafael Castellanos- Welsh	Senior Senator	AB
Annalise Hodges	Senior Senator	Y