Town Hall Minutes 10/23/12

McMurtry, it's time to get cozy and find someone to cuddle with...for Pajama Town Hall! People are dressed up in their finest sleepwear attire, from Aaron's Elmo snuggie to Mason's flannel pants. We apparently don't have a conch, so Aaron and Noah do a pseudo-conch blow. I guess it works. MUUUURRRTTT.

Shout out time!

- Chelsea and Greta did a super awesome job with Centennial! They're not here, so they get their prize later. PRIZE? YES INDEED. Drumroll (or ellipsis)....light up mugs! *Want one? Organize the next Centennial celebration. Trolololol that's in 100 years.*

Announcements! HOLY COW THERE ARE SO MANY!

- Socials are announcing...KARAOKE NIGHT! It's on 5th, which is where I live so it' obvi awesome. They'll have lots of themed food, along with maragritas and piña coladas. Awesome for those with talent, and those without talent!
- Jessica wants to show some love for the cleaning and servery staff. Each hall would get 3 servery staff, and a cleaning lady. We would fundraise for gifts as a hall! Be on the lookout for info.
- Tina wants a McMurtry Literary Journal. ArtLab can't fund it because it's college-specific, but she wants to petition for Initiatives funds. We'll probs keep it online, because our website is spiffy and gorgeous. She needs help, so if you have graphic designing or binding experience, let her know!
- Adam talks about the Student Admissions Council! He's on the Exec board, which sounds pretty legit. We need more overnight hosts! Prospies are wonderful and beautiful, so you should host them. Especially if you're a guy.
- Nader (without his partner in crime Garrett) announce College Night! It's a
 co-hosted College Night with Sid: McMurtry Superheroes vs. Sid Villains!
 They'll have t-shirts, which are always appealing. Morning stuff will be here,
 but afternoon will be at Sid. Double the budget, double the fun and
 shenanigans. Get pumped.
- O-Week Coordinators: Damn, O-week was only two months ago. It's almost time to start picking new coordinators. WAIT WHAT IT'S ONLY OCTOBER?!, you may be thinking. We're moving to pick coordinators before Christmas! This would allow time to apply for internships because you know sooner. Info Sessions: November 15th and November 27th. Interviews will be during dead days, find out before Christmas.

- PAAs! There's a URP (not a UFO) coming! UNIDENTIFIED REGISTRATION PROCESS. We're moving to the system used during O-Week this year. It's outer space themed, so get excited. Sunday, November 4th in the commons! Upperclassmen encouraged to come as well, to become familiar with the new system.
- Officer Stache: Centennial went fantastic! He was super busy. He thinks we all looked supa fine for Esperanza. No major issues with U-Court, but people were prevented from getting on stage with DJ Samantha Ronson. Too cool for us. They have new security officers! They wear dark navy, but they're not suspicious! Don't call RUPD on RUPD, please. NOD this Saturday! Check out Michelle and Matt's email from UCourt, because it's super helpful. Rules apply to guests, so make sure they know! The Stache peaces out.
- Lena has results from the survey! McMurtry Day is going to be on Saturday November 3rd. The results say to bring back *the big girl keg,* in Lena's verbage. *Lena says* to take them and interpret them as you wish. She likes it when you take her polls!
- RA Search Committee: Tyler Woods, Niki Desai, and Eli Wilson! Talk to them (us?) if you have any questions. It's definitely a college-wide process, so everyone should be involved!

Discussion Topics

- Apparently, it's election season? I never would have guessed. We want cool McM events for elections! John Breen, our awesome Elections Committee Head, wants to have a McM watching party in the commons! It also happens to be the night of Town Hall, so we could have an election-themed Town Hall and make it a big event. Lots of ideas!
 - o Candidate specific viewing party?
 - o Combine with Duncan? College-specific? McMurtry-only wins. *Because* we're that awesome on our own.
 - Competition to vote for swing states? Entered into raffle it they get all the states.
 - o Can we have an election to replace Peter for a day?
- Lena, along with the Freshman Year Reps, are trying to put together a freshmen/senior soiree!
 - There was a freshman wooing party to get people to transfer. It was a super fun event for some inter-class bonding.
 - o Juan, Andrea, and Kate have a plan!
 - Possibly Friday November 2nd, 8-10, classy deserts, semi-formal attire, music from Murts, trivia game.

- Budget? Food, alcohol, prizes, etc. They're asking for \$450 from initiatives. Lena says that it could set an awesome precedent, and for the classes to get to know each other.
- o Thoughts?
 - More money for food/drinks, less for prizes
 - ALL new students welcome, not just freshman! We got your back, Sean (and other transfers).
- o TIME TO VOTE
 - It passes. "*That's just great*". Classic Kelsey voting phrase.

Costume competition

- Peter, Kelsey, Huston
- Aaron screams Akshay's name, but it's awkward because no one wantes to vote for him.
- HUTSON wins..a PICTURE FRAME! YAY!