

MGB Meeting October 2023

1. Welcome!
2. Amanda Kozar from COGS (possibly with another COGS rep) – Did not come...
3. Notifications from Chair and Vice Chair
 - a. Account Balance: **\$793.90** in the account (**+\$81.76** in the lockbox)
 - b. Freddy's fundraiser brought in **\$51.48** (included in the balance)
 - c. Fundraiser at Short's next month
 - i. Either November 1st or 8th.
 - d. Travel Funding Approval: \$200 (max of \$50 per person)
 - i. Approved with 11 in favor, 1 abstain.
 - e. Amendment to Constitution (DRP related)
 - i. Ensure more participation and continuity of the program.
 - ii. Adding it to GAUSS responsibilities.
 - iii. Approved to consider amendment to constitution: 12 approved.
4. Officer Updates
 - a. General Liaison
 - i. Change time because it coincides with College Algebra Meeting.
 - ii. Student evaluations for 5000 TA helpers from Math Dept.
 1. Cannot be used for any Graduate College applications (outstanding TA and others)
 - b. Social Co-Chairs
 - i. Pumpkin Painting
 1. October 27th 4-6pm.
 2. Kit will bring pumpkins and paint.
 3. Display them on the corridor (or MathLab) with QR-code to vote for them (voting once and everyone can vote). The winner will get something.
 4. Survey will be sent to know how many participants there will be.
 5. Budget 50\$. Approved: 12 in favor.
 - ii. Joe's Night on Friday October 6th at 6pm.
 - iii. Thanksgiving candy grams
 - c. Newsletter/T-shirt Ministers
 - i. Newsletter was sent out next week. Next one will be at the end of November.
 - ii. T-shirt will be done by the end of this week. The t-shirt will be ready to wear before Thanksgiving break.
 - d. GAUSS Co-Chairs
 - i. Shaeffer Hall Room 3.
 - ii. No seminar this week. Next week is Elise Askelsen. Wednesday October 11th at 4:30pm.
 - e. Heartland Chair
 - i. 3 talks scheduled.
 - ii. Pamphlet has been useful to advertise the program.
 - f. International Liaison

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- i. No updates
 - g. Webmaster
 - i. No updates
- 5. SIAM Updates
 - a. No updates
- 6. GSS Updates
 - a. Graduate Tuition scholarship.
 - b. Looking for commencement speakers. Self-nominated.
 - c. There will be a pamphlet to advertise GSS.
 - d. GSS travel funding is on second round. There is a lot of money available.
- 7. COGS Updates
 - a. No updates
- 8. Comments/Suggestions
 - a. Who is bringing food in December?
- 9. Thank you for attending!