



Colby College — Student Government Association
Student Body President Report
October 2022

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October Goals

- Office Hours cookout!
- SGA/SPB/SAAC Homecoming Event
- Address student body with new initiatives and September reports
- Support efforts to revive the Rescue Sale
- Follow up with work being done on the ColbyNow and Shuttle Apps
- Establish Prom planning committee and finalize plans
- Investigate sustainability efforts on campus: CLYNK + education campaign + partner with enviroco
- Increase efforts to provide better lighting around campus walkways
- Publicizing State of the College and Conversations with the Deans
- Finish Trustee's Report and present to the Board
- Support the President's council in hosting first events!

October Accomplishments

- Prom planning
- State of the College
- Finished and present report to the Board of Trustees
- Met with dining about "Useful"- a potential new to-go program
- New apps for ColbyNow and Shuttle are still in progress
- Started process for getting DEI/Bias Intervention training
- Continued conversations on rescue sale, lighting, and repaving on campus
- Started research on organizations to partner with for fundraising

October Addressed Feedback (ongoing)

- Dinner meetings for Exec Board
- Met with Pugh Center Folks on YikYak discussions
 - A large scale event to share stories is probably not ideal
 - We need an ongoing safe space, possibly publication, to share stories

- Need to survey student body on current needs
 - ex) do students still want multicultural housing?

November Goals

- Elect and train a new VP! :)
- Finalize website
- Get follow through on Athlete Title IX motion
- Meet with Class Presidents and reevaluate goals
- Develop DEI education campaign for weekly emails
- Begin Runnels space proposal
- Fulfill two sustainability working group goals
- Pick 1-3 organizations to partner with for fundraising

Questions or concerns? Please provide feedback to these members using [this link](#). This form will be checked weekly and they will get back to you as soon as possible.

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