



SAVMA[®]

Cummings SVM
at Tufts University

Tufts Student American Veterinary Medicine Association Minutes

February 25, 2020

Members in Attendance: Kendra Nowak, Rachael Alionhart, Cameron Pryor, Rafaella Susara, Emily Kometer-Cox, Alena Naimark, Ashley Sanchez, Lindsay Smith, Katherine King, Rachel Park, Aubrey Specht, Callan Tweedie

Faculty Members in Attendance: Dr. Lois Wetmore

Kendra

1. Thanks everyone for humoring me with Fatima's :)
2. Welcome and general outline for meetings
 - a. Remind people SCAVMA is obsolete
3. Response from administration about possible SAVMA scrub sale for next year
 - a. Would be...
 - i. Funding for SAVMA without raising dues
 - ii. Brown colored scrubs for pre-clinical years
 - iii. Open to the entire school
 - iv. Option to add onto their SAVMA membership
 - v. Sold in the SAVMA store
 - b. Administration is planning to include this information in a V'24 email

Rachael

1. Final Symposium update
 - a. Hotel rooms are all set
 - i. Receipts sent to the gmail
 - b. Final email has been sent out
 - c. This is Alena's problem now!

Emily

1. Club reminders
 - a. Merging of clubs
 - i. One Health + VGS are merging
 - ii. VDRC is remaining alone
 - iii. Avian Club is remaining alone
 - b. Funding application has been sent out
 - i. Due: **March 18th**
 - ii. Stress...
 1. Possible club mergers
 2. National funding from individual societies/ organizations

3. Funding from SAVMA's national grants
 4. Dues are a way to fundraise
 5. Co-hosting with other
2. Therio Club proposal
 - a. New clubs need:
 - i. 4 e-board members & a faculty advisor
 - ii. Why they should be a club (proposal)
 - iii. By-laws
 - iv. For next year, a petition of people interested in joining
 - b. Yes, with conditions
 - i. **TO DO: Rafaella:** send Therio Club email

Lindsay

1. One Health Night funding
 - a. Planned for **March 30th**
 - b. Budget will be needed from Lindsay
 - i. Sent to Ashley
 - ii. Receipts will be given to Ashley after the event asap

Kat

1. Outdated bulletin board outside of HLH
 - a. **TO DO: Kat:** update with new photos & blurbs

NEXT MEETING:
Tuesday, March 24th @ 5:30pm
2nd floor conference room,
Varis Campus Center