

Dates to Remember

- September is National Hispanic Heritage Month!
- Bike to Breakfast, every Thursday in September 7-10 AM
- SEEAC Meeting September 11th 7:30 AM
- 9/12 5 p.m. in the ASCSU office First homecoming float meeting
- September 12th, Cabinet and Senate meetings
- Wednesday September 12th 2012; second vote on Senate Legislation regarding Article VIII of the ASCSU Constitution
- 9/13/2012: President's Fall Address and University Picnic
- September 14th, Director's Report Due by 4pm
- 9/14/12 Closing the application period for Deputy Director of RamRide- Marketing and Education. If you know anyone who may be interested in the position please have them apply and sign up for an interview before then!
- Pacesetters nominations forms must be turned into either csupacesetters2012@gmail.com or the ASCSU office by Friday, September 14th by 5:00 pm
- September 15th, ASAP Presents Cobra Starship
- September 15th, 7pm, CSU Volleyball takes on reigning national champions UCLA
- Sept.16 City park 100th Celebration
- September 17th: Candidate Educational Event for Constitution Day
- Pacesetters applications must be turned into either csupacesetters2012@gmail.com or the ASCSU office by Monday, September 17th by 5 pm.
- September 18th-20th is the Diversity Symposium
- Alternative Transportation Fair 9/20 LSC Plaza
- September 20 2012 First RLT Meeting
- 9/22/2012: Football vs San Jose State
- Mr. and Mrs. CSU Homecoming Pageant Sept. 30th
- 10/5 Homecoming Parade, Bonfire, Fireworks
- 10/6 Homecoming game
- Tobacco Opinion Survey Presentation- Classified Personnel Council 10/09/12 1PM
- October 9th at 6:00P: First debate with the SD-14 candidates in A102
- October 10th at 6:00P: Second debate with CD-02 candidates in A201
- October 11, 17:30 seminar From Academia to Industry: Crossing the Chasm
- October 17th, The Arts and The Times: A Presentation by Michael Cieply, Correspondent for The New York Times Lunch w/ ASCSU @ 12-1:30pm
- RLT Retreat is planned for 10/20 -21/12
- Tobacco Opinion Survey Presentation- Administrative Professional Council 11/12/12 9AM
- Student Funding Board Events
 - <u>September 14, 2012</u> 5-9pm on the CSU Plaza: La Raza Presents Banda La Revuelta and Groups Folkorico Sabor Latino
 - October 18, 2012 7-9 pm LSC 230: Meditation and Buddhist Interest Group presents Anyen Rinpoche, a high-level Buddhist teacher who was born in Tibet and has moved to



the Denver area to teach and practice Dharma. He will be coming to give a talk about the Dharma.

- November 11, 2012 7-10pm LSC Ballroom: Chabad Jewish Student Organization presents Shabbat 200. The event is a traditional Shabbat dinner attended by primarily students and some faculty.
- November 29, 2012 7-9:30pm LSC 230: Meditation and Buddhist Interest Group presents Judith Simmer-Brown, a professor at Naropa University, and an Acharya a high-level teacher in the Shambhala Buddhist tradition. She is an expert in religious studies and Dharma.
- <u>December 13, 2012</u> 5-6pm on LSC Plaza: Chabad Jewish Student Organization presents A Giant Menorah Lighting with President Tony Frank. Event includes giant Menorah Lighting, speeches, holiday food and music in honor of the Jewish festival of Chanukah.
- March 8, 2013 7-9pm Chabad Center: Chabad Jewish Student Organization presents A speaker: Simcha Weinstein is an internationally known, best-selling author and has received the prestigious Benjamin Franklin Award for one of his books.
- March 25, 2013 7-10pm LSC Ballroom: Chabad Jewish Student Organization presents the Passover dinner. RSVP is required to attend
- Applications to present to the Student Funding Board are due by 5:15pm Monday to present at the Student Funding Board meeting that upcoming Thursday at 5:15pm in Room 213 Lory Student Center.
- Student Funding Board meetings take place at 5:15pm on Thursdays every week of the academic year starting September 6th not including University holidays.

Executive Branch

- President Regina Martel
 - Progress on Goals from the Last Week:
 - Named the newest Associate Justice Nigel Daniels to the Supreme Court. Congratulations to Nigel!
 - PR: met with Dell Rae to go over some media related topics, got some advice.
 - Met with Brian, Joe and Billy regarding improving Senate membership and improving ASCSU outreach. We will be setting aside time to do outreach every week.
 - We are looking at bolstering Senators through a number of different avenues. Please have anyone who is interested in Senate talk to Speaker Pro Temo Olsen to learn more about specific college councils.
 - Joe and I attended the annual Fall Leadership Forum at the YMCA in Estes. We were able to meet with a number of leaders across the university and learn about some big picture items that are coming down the line. Most of which have to do with the CSU Master Plan and how we are going to continue to house and support a larger and more diverse student body.
 - Goals for the Next Week:
 - Meet with Jerry from the Fort Collins Police Department start conversations about long term sustainable funding for the Late Night Bus Route.



- Meeting with individuals from Super Shuttle regarding the vouchers that we will be giving out again this year.
- Attend/Participate in the President's Fall Address!
- Compile Board report.
- Attend the City Liaison meeting!

Vice President – Joe Eden

- Progress on Goals from the Last Week:
 - As most of you know, Bill 4202 passed its first round of voting 19-1-4. I worked most of the week on making sure students knew what was going on with it.
 - Regina and I attended a campus leadership forum in Estes Park on Thursday and Friday and had a great time meeting with administrators.
- Goals for the Next Week:
 - Unfortunately I will only be here for Monday and Tuesday of next week, so most of my time will be spent looking at SFRB applications and making selections for that board.
 - I will also be doing my best to make any clarifications necessary regarding Bill 4202 before its final vote next Wednesday.
- Miscellaneous:
 - The next Senate session is on September 12th, please note that it is in all Directors' job descriptions to attend Senate meetings and give an update on your department.
 - Talk with the students you represent as you begin to attend classes again, they offer great perspectives on all of the issues that we are dealing with.
 - I am still accepting applications to serve on the Student Fee Review Board. Please get those applications in as soon as you can and better understand where your student fees go.

■ Finance – Wendy Bowling

- Progress on Goals from the Last Week:
 - Bill 4203; the Student Funding Board Bylaws passed through Senate on emergency status
 - Bill 4202 in which I was a co-author had its first vote on Wednesday September 5th, 2012 and passed its first vote. Since it is a constitutional change it requires 2 votes. The final vote will take place on September 12, 2012. If you have any questions on this legislation please feel free to contact me at Finance@ASCSU.ColoState.Edu.
 - The Student Funding Board had its first meeting where it heard presentations this Thursday September 6, 2012 from 5:15 –6:30pm. 6 requests received funding for their event. I encourage members of ASCSU to reach out and get students involved in these events.
 - We have been conducting interviews over the course of the week for the position of Controller. The decision will be made by Monday and the new Controller will be ratified by Senate this coming Wednesday September 12, 2012.
 - I met with a few Student Organizations about seeking funds from the Student Funding Board. Our next Student Funding Board meeting is September 13, 2012.
 - We discussed in the Student Funding Board going paperless or next to paperless and determined we
 were going to start bringing tablets and computers to the SFB meetings to cut down on some of the
 excess printing that the Finance Department usually has to do.



Goals for the Next Week:

- I will be working on composing a Student Voice Survey regarding the ASCSU Student Fee that I would like to send out by the end of September. I will be contacting Directors on what relevant information they would like regarding the value of their events in relation to their spending. If you have any suggestions about this survey please don't hesitate to e-mail me.
- I will be starting to attend the SLiCE Finance Trainings for Student Organizations next week. This is a time that I use to discuss the Student Funding Board and funding opportunities ASCSU has such as RamRide. If there is anything you would like me to discuss at these trainings please let me know.
- We are evaluating Telecom charges to see where we can reduce costs as we go into the upcoming Lory Student Center renovations. Please be on the lookout for an e-mail regarding your office phone usage.
- We will be placing an ad in the Collegian in the coming week discussing the ASCSU Student fee as
 well as the different boards and services we provide to students. I will be finalizing that
 Advertisement shortly.
- We will be having days in which we are on the Plaza discussing with students the ASCSU student fee and receiving feedback more information to come.
- I am continuing to work on an ASCSU Student fee sustainability plan. Please be aware that I might need some information from you or your department about some of the budgets.

Miscellaneous:

- If you wish to apply for funds from the Student Funding Board please visit www.SFB.ColoState.Edu for all the documentation you need. If you would like help in composing your application or presenting to the board please send me and e-mail at Finance@ascsu.ColoState.edu. Applications are due by 5:15pm on Monday to present the following Thursday at 5:15pm in LSC room 213.
- Just a reminder, please make sure you are correctly using ASCSU Finances. If you have any questions on purchases, making purchases, or utilizing the Student Fee please contact me. I would be happy to help you through this. Please note that you must return any P-Card requests to me 3 days prior to when you expect to use the funds.
- Please continue to ask yourself "Is this a proper utilization of the Student Fee?" and bring up any concerns you have with me. This year is about improving our fee and impacting the most students possible. I would love to speak with any of you about the ASCSU Student fee and its utilization. Please e-mail me and we can set up a time to talk.

Chief of Staff – Robert Duran

- Progress on Goals from the Last Week:
 - Talked with Todd Halverson in regards to the Michael Cieply presentation and luncheon. There's a possible relocation for the presentation in the evening of the 17th to move from the UCA Theater to the Behavioral Sciences Auditorium.
 - Sent Collegian 4 solid story idea on Wednesday by 2pm.
 - All weekly directors' meetings are officially scheduled throughout the entire semester.



- Finished the Controller position interviews, made decision and are working to get the selected candidate ratified by senate this coming week.
- Met with John and talked a lot about community items important to ASCSU.
- Goals for the Next Week:
 - PR template will be sent out Monday September 10th by 4pm.
 - Continue to work throughout the week to gather event details, story ideas and new look into ASCSU to prepare for the Collegian.
 - Continue sending story ideas to Andrew and Carrie in the Collegian on Wednesdays by 2pm.
 - Begin the Interview process with Becky for a new deputy as well as other open positions in ASCSU.
 - Waiting to hear back from JD to get RamRide and COS phones swapped in RamTech.
 - Follow up with John about UniverCity and SHO.
 - Continue following up with Andrew in regards to the progress of ZimRide
 - Touch base with Community Development on RLT updates, as well as the current OutReach push.
 - Follow up with Audrey in regards to how operation of Positive Impact opening weekend was.

Miscellaneous:

- Please continue to give me story ideas for the Collegian by Wednesday's at 2pm. We should also be utilizing our weekly guest column as well so keep that in mind.
- Remember to share the NYTimes.com/Passes URL with students as a new service provided by the Times giving student emails 24 hour access periods for all online content for free.

Community Affairs – John Dietrick

- Progress on Goals from the Last Week:
 - Meeting date is set for the meeting between the Fort Collins Police and ASCSU to begin the late night Bus discussion
 - Attended the UniverCity meeting, and joined the student housing team
- Goals for the Next Week:
 - Attend the Board of Realtors meeting on 9/13
 - Set goals with Fort Collins Police about the Late Night Bus Route
 - Begin organizing funding status with student services for the DIA super shuttle

■ Community Development – Brian Roling

- Progress on Goals from the Last Week:
 - A big Community Service Event with the Bohemian House/ United Way in Fort Collins is currently being planned
 - First RLT Interviews this week
 - Two Sororities for Climatewise instead one of one. ZTA is 100% in.
 - Greek RamRide halfway complete
 - Greek-ASCSU Mixer pinpointed
 - Meeting with Univ. Affairs, Office of the President, and Com. Development about reaching out to all of Campus and developing Senate
- Goals for the Next Week:



- To have estimated budget for Greek mixer so that we can finalize the plans for the event
- To have the first few nights of Ram Leadership Team planned out
- Venue retreat finalized
- More RLT Members
- Community Service events for RLT
- Get second Sorority to join Climatewise
- Plan a Greek ASCSU Mixer for a Wednesday 5-630pm.
- Community Service with United Way after cans around the oval
- Community service with Habitat for Humanity
- Community Service with Reachout, Homecoming 5k, Crossroads, Veterans 5k
- Miscellaneous:
 - Dept. Community Development will be reaching out to ALL of campus, not just select groups. To develop CSU, we will be reaching ASCSU out to campus by being representing on the plaza, college councils, Greek council meetings, dormitories, RHA meetings, student orgs, and classrooms.
 - Greek RamRide next three weeks
 - United Way Community Service around Halloween

Diversity – Angel Smith

- Progress on Goals from the Last Week:
 - I had my first department meeting and divided tasks
 - I met with La Raza and we are not giving funding for their cultural event anymore.
 - Figured out the dates for the Luncheon and the First Diversity Days Mini Series
 - Went to SDPS open houses
- Goals for the Next Week:
 - Finalize luncheon date
 - Finalize dates for the Diversity Days Mini Series

Graduate Student Affairs – Katherine Zaunbrecher

- Progress on Goals from the Last Week:
 - contacted new students who expressed interest in participating in student government at the Graduate School orientation
 - filled all 5 Senate seats for Graduate School (!)
- Goals for the Next Week:
 - schedule socials for the year (in conjunction with the Grad Student Council)
 - follow-up with department heads contacted at Fall Leadership Forum
 - begin discussion with CU, Mines, and Lindon about legislative business

Governmental Affairs – Lindon Belshe

- Progress on Goals from the Last Week:
 - Contacted and partnered with various student organizations for the debates
 - Wrapped up all preliminary plans for the debates
 - Worked with Matt to draft a 1-page brief for possible bill sponsors on a textbook tax break



- Sent out confirmation emails for debates
- Planned out an educational experience for students. For this event, we will have a table on the plaza with literature from ALL candidates from CD02, HD 52, HD 53, SD14 and the Presidential Campaigns
- Meet with the League of Women Voters to plan out voter registration
- Partnered with Rob and Nick, regarding the advertising and communication with student/local media
- Goals for the Next Week:
 - Get information from all candidates to display on Constitution Day
 - Submit a guest column for the Collegian on the importance of voter registration and participation
 - Work with Wendy and Regina to renew Jenn's contract and begin meeting with possible bill sponsors
 - Discuss and work with our Senators to draft a bill that supports the textbook tax break effort.
 - Continue planning for the debates, mainly focusing on meet with student organization presidents
- Miscellaneous:
 - October 9th is the last day to register to vote in Colorado.

Health – Audrey Purdue

- Progress on Goals from the Last Week:
 - Positive Impacts first game is this weekend! We have been preparing all week by purchasing vans, purchasing food vouchers, and attending the Pre-season Game Management Meeting. For the 09/08 game we will have 18 volunteers.
 - Sarah is working on obtaining location at the stadium for Positive Impact volunteers to be able to take breaks.
 - This year a new edition to Positive Impact is that we are having students record everyone they talk to while tailgating, along with filling out an evaluation of their experience after each game.
 - At the Positive Impact Training we were fortunate to have Lieutenant Chris Wolf, Chris Bryson from Conflict Resolution, Andrea Coryell from CSU Health Network, and Gwen Sieving and Codi Farrar representing CREWS come and speak to our volunteers. The training went well thanks to our guest speakers preparing our volunteers on what to expect for game days!
- Goals for the Next Week:
 - Re-contact Faculty Council about presenting Tobacco Opinion Survey
 - Create executive summary of Tobacco Opinion Survey

Marketing – Nicholas Patenaude

- Progress on Goals from the Last Week:
 - Liz finished our website updates
 - Garrett was put in charge of our KCSU/CTV contract
 - He met with Lauren from KCSU
 - Waiting to set up a meeting with RamRide to go over marketing things as the position is in limbo. Attempts have been made to contact Cassie to set up a meeting but I haven't gotten to yet. I will keep trying.



- Weekly water closet is under way.
- Met with Doni and we discussed that I would contact Lindsey Connors for future approvals.
- Garrett will meet with Kaitie Huss.
- Sent in financial request forms for the sustainability cards
- Got the Marquee sign working for Angel
- Did not apply for scholarship
- Garrett will meet with Lauren from KCSU
- Positive Impact cups will be in next week
- Goals for the Next Week:
 - Finish RamRide high five cards
 - Finally have a meeting with RamRide
 - Print sustainability cards
 - Instagram usage
 - Get more followers
 - Get prep packets from Brian to put on our website.
 - Take care of the Catalyst things for Robert
 - Start advertising for the debates in October
 - Start advertising for the tailgate in October
 - Start advertising for the homecoming float grants
 - Meet with Community Development to go over what can be done for RLT
 - Meet with deep to go over what can be done about PaceSetters

■ RamRide – Becky Ewing

- Progress on Goals from the Last Week:
 - Met with Gia and explained the business card idea for donating to RamRide and had her put together a rough draft of one. I have seen a first draft and things are looking great! There are only a few changes she still has to make.
 - Opened up job applications for Deputy Director of RamRide Marketing and Education
 - Dani emailed a long list of student organizations from the Involvement Fair to give them more information on how to volunteer for RamRide and what our payment prices are.
 - Talked briefly with Beau about marketing for RamRide Return. He wants to put together a full week of mass marketing ideas on September 17-23 where we do a different event or marketing approach each day to advertise RamRide Return.
 - Jessica solidified a few more food donors for this semester. There are only 4 more nights that she
 has to get covered for the semester.
 - Continued to update the volunteer spreadsheet and create contracts for student organizations.
 - Had our first SFRB meeting with student organizations. We approved 6 different events for 2 different student organizations.
- Goals for the Next Week:
 - Finalize the RamRide donation business card with Gia and have Austin, Rob, Regina, and Alexis give input on it.
 - Interview applications for the open Deputy Director position.



- Brainstorm with Beau and the rest of the department ideas for the different days to advertise RamRide Return.
- Call JJ and ask him the various questions that arose out of the meeting we had with Alexis.
- Make a list of current email contacts for student organizations from RamLink and email those groups.
- Continue to seek out volunteers to fill night operations this semester.

• Miscellaneous:

- If you know any groups or students who are interested in volunteering for RamRide, please guide them to the RamRide website, <u>www.ramride.colostate.edu</u>, or have them email <u>ramride.volunteers@gmail.com</u> with any questions
- If you know of any groups, clubs or dorm halls who are interested in learning more about RamRide, please tell them to email us and we will be more than happy to go and present to them

Date:	Number of Rides	Number of Patrons	Wait Time (minutes)
RR 9/6/12	53	145	20
RR 9/7/12	103	297	75
RRR 9/7/12	3	7	2
RR 9/8/12	116	337	50
RRR 9/9/12	3	3	3

Student Services – Taylor Jackson

- Progress on Goals from the Last Week:
 - Ram Road Trip went very well. We filled 5 out of our 6 buses that we reserved (so essentially about 83% of the people who bought tickets showed up; traditionally we have about 50%); There was some confusion about where the buses were parking and some of them moved after students had already gotten off so we had to flag students down and redirect them after the game.
 - I attended the first Homecoming Student Involvement Committee meeting this week. We'll be meeting every Tuesday up until homecoming starts.
 - I'll be sending out a calendar of events closer to homecoming, but there is some very cool stuff coming up!
 - We've started planning our football tailgate. It is tentatively scheduled for 10/27 (the Orange Out game). We are looking into doing a pumpkin carving station and "orange out" costume contest. We'll be meeting with Athletics to work out more details. I've already gotten approval to set up early so we can stake out a location, and the tailgate would start at 2 p.m.

Goals for the Next Week:

- Put together a marketing campaign to inform student orgs that we will pay for Homecoming Parade entries on a first come, first served basis.
- Set up a meeting with Chase in Athletics to work out details for the football tailgate. We need to figure out how we want the partnership to look.
- Start looking at details for doing a Border War Ram Road Trip in November.



Meet with Regina and Jessica (from Super Shuttle) to discuss our plans for voucher distribution this
year and finances with the service.

Miscellaneous:

- Rachel Riley will be taking on the ASCSU Homecoming Float. If you have ideas or are interested in participating, please send an email to StudentServices@ascsu.colostate.edu and direct it to Rachel. We'd love to have your help! The first meeting will be in the office on Wednesday, September 12 at 5 p.m.
- Please, please, PLEASE let me know if you know of any student organizations who want to put on events. We would love to start building these partnerships and co-program with other groups on campus. We can provide a lot of resources for them.

Sustainability – Andrew Oringer

- Progress on Goals from the Last Week:
 - First Bike to Breakfast went great!
 - Live Green Team Meeting
 - Eco Leaders Sustainability Panel was a success in terms of informing residents of ASCSU initiatives
 - Meeting with Jeanine Ortega and Nancy Rhodes from Off-Campus Life about Zimride. There will be a presentation to all departments involved in mid-October
 - Ordered bike lights and met with Jennifer and Amanda with Parking Services.
 - Continued to spread the word about climate wise
- Goals for the Next Week:
 - Follow up on Green Cards
 - Begin to confirm necessary parties involved with ALT TRANS fair
 - Finalize graphic for fair
 - Help Pi Kapp Sustainability chair with beginnings of climate wise audit
 - Gather info for green.colostate.edu website
- Miscellaneous:
 - Bike to breakfast will be held this Thursday September 13th 7-10 AM outside the Natural Resources building

University Affairs – Billy Raddell

- Progress on Goals from the Last Week:
 - Have been contacting all college councils with little response.
 - Met with Regina, Joe, and Brian about our plan for college councils.
- Goals for the Next Week:
 - Find a Senator to help me with our Wi-Fi project.
 - Keep working to contact all college council presidents.
 - Attend a meeting for each college council.
- Miscellaneous:



 Will be working with the readership program to make a big push in October and November for the election.

Judicial Branch

- Chief Justice Kellen Wittkop
 - Past Week Follow Up:
 - President Martel and I have appointed Nigel Daniels to the Associate Justice position. The Court is very excited to have Nigel on board and welcomed him at our meetings this past week.
 - The AUHB began hearing preparation this week which was very successful. We will be meeting with organizations for the next two weeks before deliberations.
 - At our Court meeting this week, Associate Justices were assigned to committees for the year and nominated to those committees by President Martel. We also finalized our trainings/meeting schedule for the semester.
 - I will be bringing up legislation in the following weeks to update the Associate Justice Job Description.
 - Supreme Court Liaison, Keith Patton, and I met this week to plan events for the semester. Liaison
 Patton will be presenting to Senate and Cabinet in the upcoming weeks about the function of the
 Court.
 - Goals for Next Week
 - Finalize legislation
 - Schedule trainings
 - Miscellaneous
 - Please contact me if you would to attend an Court/AUHB meetings
 - Direct any questions to myself (<u>kellen@go-ebs.com</u>) or the Court email (ascsu_supreme_court@mail.colostate.edu)