

CASA Meeting Notes: September 11, 2006

Football Ticket Sales

- We receive 10% of ticket sales for the 2006-2007 season
- Women's Basketball will sell tickets for the upcoming game vs. Kenyon
- We still need workers for the remaining games:
 - October 7th vs. Ursinus College @ 12pm
 - October 14th vs. Carnegie Mellon @ 12pm
 - October 28th vs. University of Chicago @ 1pm
 - November 11th vs. Washington and Lee @ 1pm
- Workers must arrive 2 hours before the start of the game and stay through halftime
- All representatives must work one game (excluding football reps)
- Teams are encouraged to pair with other teams to work games
- A sign up sheet will be on the website of available times for the remaining games
- Email LaVonne (lavonne.sherald@case.edu) times that you are working.

Needed: New Spirit Committee Chair

- Duties: Advertise and attend events of the Department of Athletics.
 - Develop programs and incentives to encourage attendance of athletes and non-athletes at athletic events.
- Last year's events: advertising, Softball/Baseball Cookout
- Email LaVonne (lavonne.sherald@case.edu) if you are interested in filling the position

Special Events

- CASA received \$2,000 from the UAA to put on 4 programs
- CASA must tell UAA how we are spending the money before we receive money
- CASA must have one program from each of the following categories:
 - Community Service/Student Athlete Welfare (e.g. Study room for athletes)
 - Diversity/Gender Equity (e.g. Diversity workshop)
 - Sportsmanship (Be Loud. Be Proud. Be Positive)
 - Training/Medicine/Nutrition

Finance Meeting

- System has changed in how USG allocates money. We can now ask (well in advance) when we need money for an event.
- Reps for each team should pick one game that your team would like people to come out to and email to LaVonne (lavonne.sherald@case.edu).
- CASA would then use money to get people to the games (i.e. t-shirts for students, free food, etc)

Meetings

- General Body Meetings will be held the 3rd Monday of every month at 7:30pm in the Hall of Fame Room.
- The Executive Board meets the 3rd Monday of every month at 7:30pm in the Hall of Fame Room
- In the event that there are no classes on a scheduled meeting day, the meeting for that month will take place on the first Monday that class resumes.

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-It is important to attend meetings because it is an opportunity for the student-athletes to address issues in the department.

Community Service

- Goal: Find some place the Athletic Department and CASA can have ongoing service
- Tutoring at the Louis Steel School
- Tutoring at the Coventry School

New Committees

- Letter Awards: This committee will investigate the athlete's opinion of the Letter Awards given at the end of each year and devise a proposal for future Letter Awards. (To be presented to Head of the Department, VP of Student Affairs, and the Provost).
- Letter Award Policy: This committee will investigate the previous and current letter award policies and devise a proposal for future Letter Award Policy. (To be presented to the Head of the Department, VP of Student Affairs, and the Provost)
- If you are interested in joining either committee, please email LaVonne (lavonne.sherald@case.edu).

Open Forum

- All-sports Award Banquet: Should the format be changed?
- Painting "Home of the Spartans" on the concrete wall on Southside
- Current Towel policy at Veale
- Placing 'Student Section' signs at NRV
- Changing signs from 'Football Parents' to 'Case Parents'

Special Notes

Volleyball has its first home tournament of the season this weekend. Come out and support the team. The Spartans play on Friday at 4pm and 7pm and again on Saturday at 11am and 1pm.