Computer Interest Floor

Board Meeting!
October 18th, 2026
Anderson 310

- **WE HAVE A LOT TO COVER TODAY. PLEASE STAY FOCUSED. I AM TALKING TO YOU SAM AND MATT**
    - It's been a week since the last meeting, so this is especially true! :)
- Attendance
    - Ehren
    - Sam
    - Matt
    - MJ
    - Leo
    - Me, but I don't really matter too much. (Hat Jacob)
- Past Events
    - Open Lab 1
        - Happened
            - Yep. They sure did occur.
    - Open Lab 2
        - Happened
            - People went.
            - It kind of became CIF Social hour, but that's perfectly fine.
    - WicMic/CIF Collab
        - Stephen and Ehren went, in terms of Board.
            - A large number of CIF Members outside of board showed up (About 40% of total attendance were CIF Members).
        - Overall, it went pretty well!
        - There was supposed to be an interactive portion, but it didn't end up really happening.
        - We kind of feel a little bad, since we didn't do as much as we could have, but that's a note for the future.
        - Overall, the goal of the event was accomplished, and we would do it again.
    - LaTeX Tech Seminar
        - Third time is the charm!
            - 5 total people came
            - There were no real technical issues!
        - We have one more Tech Seminar this Semester! (As a side note).
    - Video Game Night
        - It basically turned into Smash night, but that's fine enough.
        - It wasn't in CCC, so we might want to do that in the future.

                - Let's put the Video Game Night on the 7th of November on CCC.
                    - And also the December 5th one.
    - Ice Skating
        - Basically, no one who went really knew how to skate.
            - So, a lot of people who were hugging the wall and shuffling around.
        - Enjoyed having an off campus event!
            - It was great! The aspect of walking out and doing something was pretty cool.
        - Maybe do something else next time like bowling or driving range or mini-golf
            - MJ said that Ed might have a lead on bowling.
            - Briefly looked into bowling - roughly $10/person/game or $30/person for 2 hours
        - We won't do another outing this semester, in all likelihood.
- Future Events
    - Open Lab
        - Will happen
            - Yep.
    - Mario Galaxy Movie Night (Member only) - is it FNAF or mario galaxy?
        - It's the FNAF 2 movie, not Mario Galaxy.
            - Someone just has to get the movie before the event, but that's really all that needs to happen.
- Collabs
    - MIF
        - Started planning with Peter. We are going to start by asking CIF and MIF members to nominate video songs they want to play/hear played
            - From there, we'll decide what is viable and make arrangements as necessary
            - The aforementioned nomination form goes out **tonight**
                - It will stay open for a while, so yay!
    - CSUG
        - We are approved to table and do the Git seminar
            - Yay!
        - We need to coordinate with them on a few things.
            - When they think Dandyhacks is vs when it actually is,
            - What we're actually doing for Dandyhacks, etc.
                - We'll talk to Stephen about the Tech seminar.
    - BAHA
        - They ignored us : (
            - I think this one is just a dream…
    - CUBESAT
        - Stephen isn't here.
- Membership applications

    - None
- Dues update?
    - Has the cash been turned in yet?
        - No. Not yet.
        - Matt will reach out to Ryan after his stats exam.
    - Please put reimbursement requests (receipts) into the #reciepts channel
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    - Has IT been notified of their failings?
        - We're working on compiling all of their vulnerabilities into an E-Mail.
    - Roundtable additions!
        - It has more nodes now! (Yay!)
        - GPU node is ongoing.
            - I need to buy a hole saw.
            - Merlin II still W.I.P.
    - New Lab Access Applications portal! (It's fancy! :))
        - applications.cif.rochester.edu
            - It makes things easier, but is not fully in prod. This will be done very soon in the future, by way of hosting it on Zeta or Ward.
    - NetBSD is even more based. (Stephen's new server)
    - Korvax…
        - Remember how we said it was quieter?
            - News flash, it is not. : (
    - The IT Incident. (They found the Debian Mirror)
        - Someone tried to download the source code to Pong2 in Georgia.
            - Yay, but also : (
        - Theres stuff about misusing an IP but the guy likes Debian so maybe its ok?
            - They think it's a minecraft server, even though that never really fully happened.
        - Hopefully, we'll be able to have more ports open on more IP addresses, which would be cool.
- Constitution (joy)
    - Finance
        - We no longer need a finance section in the new Constitution! :)
            - Our funding sources change depending on the year, so…
    - Ryan Ed Meeting on the 7th
        - For liability reasons, we cannot have a proper disciplinary section
            - The idea being that if we hear about anything thats grounds for kicking someone out, we strictly shouldn't know about it and would technically be kicking someone out for hearsay
            - There really isn't a way for us to really do this.

                - So, the way it is looking, we will only be able to kick people out for lack of paying dues and lack of meeting the participation requirement.
        - Impeachment should be completely an internal affair.
            - Ed and Ryan agreed.
        - It's a very reactive approach, which we don't really agree with, but alas.
    - MJ Meeting
        - New timeline (optimistic)
            - Finalized template out by the 21st
            - Constitution draft returned to Res-Life by end of month
            - 2 weeks of deliberation between ourselves and Res-Life to finalize the entire 12 page constitution
            - Finalize constitution amendment by mid-november, giving us 1 month to ratify it
        - This timeline is *very* optimistic in our opinion, so we'll see if it actually happens.
            - It didn't happen last time, so… we'll see.
    - From MJ, his questions
        - What is an SIH.
            - Why would UR have SIHs?
                - To encourage community
                - Living together,
                - Providing services.
            - SIHs formed as a form of getting people together.
                - Inclusivity, and diversity has always been a very integral part of SIHs and Clubs in general.
                - A community where like-minded people can come together, and be together.
            - First, surviving, then growing, then thriving.
                - The reality of CIF is much bigger than the floor.
                    - The lab is open to the whole university.
                        - Is controlled by us.
        - The whole structure of an SIH is under Reslife.
            - They do fund things for us, like having a floor, electricity, etc.
        - A Frat is entirely different from an SIH, just fundamentally.
            - So, we really shouldn't compare them to us.
        - We are all here to work together and find solutions.
            - Really!
                - If we do not approve the constitution, "someone from higher up can do it for you".
        - Basically, we are going to have to change.
            - It is best for us to lead the change, rather than have the change happen without our approval.
        - What does "accountability" mean?

        - What “consequences” can the executive board actually hold people to?
- A committee!
    - A committee decision to remove people that involves multiple non-students
- Perhaps a way to remove participation points/housing points?
- MJ is here to work, and find creative solutions to problems.
- “CIF is a well oiled machine”
- Mention bylaws and member expectations in the constitution, and that they must be followed.
    - Maybe having a series of consequences in order of
        - Like removal of participation requirements,
        - Making people go above and beyond for planning events
        - Housing point removal?
        - Committee?
- We cannot fine people.
    - This has been a discussion of the past, but maybe would could do something like this in the future?
    - MJ will get back to us.
- Perhaps
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Floor Meeting Notes

- Thank you everyone for attending events
- Upcoming events
    - Open Lab
    - Member only Movie Night FNAF II
- MIF/CIF collab!
    - Link sent out before floor meeting