

Projects for the future in SGA

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The student government association gathered on Wednesday, Feb. 22 in MG 232 for its last meeting before Spring Break. Halfway through the semester it was time see what could be done for the rest of the semester and for next Fall.

Despite the low turnout of club representatives to the reunion, many projects were discussed.

The main project that was debated during the meeting was about a composting machine for the campus next year. The very high cost of this project is going to require funds from the SGA, and the leftover of the other club's budgets at the end of the semester if they haven't spent their money.

In order to accomplish this project, Lauren Fowler, SGA president is going to open an account that has the goal to save money for this task. This project proposal goes along the past initiatives made by the SGA like the solar panels and the electric car chargers.

This project of composting for the Myers dining hall, would help to reduce the waste produced on campus, and at the same time help Brevard College to be more eco friendly, and try fully relying on clean energy by 2030. The compost that would be created will also serve for the future greenhouse that is going to be built on campus.

In addition, BC student Sam Munson proposed to create a committee that was then approved to install a public bike station with a pump outside the coffee house.

The committee's plan would serve both Brevard College students and members of the community that have a bike. When asked about the timeline of the project, Munson said, "I would hope that the bike station would be built by the end of the semester."

Both projects are going to be important investments if they come to realization. An estimated cost of \$10,000 for the composting machine and from \$300 to \$1,000 depends on the level of the bike station.

Finally, for the upcoming events this semester, the Earthfest and Grassical are now one event. This will both take place from April 17 to 22. The Kids Go Fest will also take place during the same week.

All those events are going to bring a lot of people on campus for the end of the semester. According to the past years venues, around 700 people are expected to come to the college and take part in the activities organized on campus. As a consequence, a lot of planning will have to be done.

BC Juried Student Art Show



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'Best in show' piece at the BC Juried Student Art show - Hors D'oeuvres by Haley McGavin. Full article on page 4.