

**Furman University  
Substance Abuse Coalition  
Student Sub-Committee**

November 13, 2007 – 5:30 p.m.  
Hartness Pavilion Dining Room  
Meeting Minutes

In attendance: Andrew Leithe, Mike Spinelli, Caroline Ingram, Ross Steinhilber, Red Hopkins, Brenai Bell, Michael Reddish, Erin Cain, Katie Fairman, Rebecca Lee, Michael Bingham, Carol Daniels, and Jason Cassidy (Chair)

Absent: Lesley Dillard and Ashley Baker

- Introductions were made.
- Dinner was served.
- Jason explained the purpose of FUSAC and the student sub-committee
- Jason reviewed past accomplishments of the student sub-committee
  - The creation and implementation of the Amnesty policy.
  - Past members suggested that RAs really discuss issues around alcohol, drugs, and sexual assault at their first hall meetings. Even suggested providing the RAs with a script to follow. This occurred for the first time this fall when the FRADs and FRARs facilitated a discussion during the first hall meeting in O-week.
- Jason reviewed the new Alcohol and Drug Programs web site:  
<http://www.furman.edu/housing/adp.htm>
  - Students thought this was a good idea
- Carol announced that the 2007 Core Survey was being administered next week. Jason emphasized that the students go back to their organizations and encourage their peers to participate in the survey.
- Jason mentioned that the 2006-07 Alcohol Dashboard would be available at the winter meeting. The Dashboard is data collected from judicial hearings involving alcohol and drugs.
- Carol announced that the AFS shuttle was in full operation.
- Jason briefly reviewed the 2006 Core Survey results with the committee.
  - Some discussion on drinking and driving.
  - Some discussion about the dry campus alcohol policy.
- Suggestion was made by the students for a fraternity president to address the male rushees in January to educate them on what is and is not “cool” regarding alcohol use. Ross volunteered to speak to the freshmen. Carol will work with Ross to make this happen.
- Suggestion was made by students to e-mail the Substance Abuse brochure to all students in the future since most just trash their campus mail.
- Ross Steinhilber (IFC) and Caroline Ingram (AFS) were selected to represent the student sub-committee at the Coalition meetings.

The meeting adjourned at 7:30 p.m.

**The next meeting will be scheduled for Winter 2008.**