



Newsletter

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**Next USG Public Forum: March 23rd at 5:15 in the Brutus
Buckeye Room on the 3rd floor of the Ohio Union**



USG Update:

Academic Affairs:

- Please fill out Academic Affairs' survey to gain information on access codes in order to help our efforts to make textbooks more affordable!
go.osu.edu/accesscodes
- Nominate your great teachers for teaching awards so they receive recognition for their hard work!
http://usg.osu.edu/posts/documents/doc_282017_1231172.pdf

Diversity and Inclusion:

- Check out our upcoming diversity discussions!
- We passed resolutions on gender inclusive housing and interfaith & prayer spaces

Governmental Relations:

- We are hard at work preparing for our annual lobbying trip to Washington D.C. in late March. We will be sharing the accomplishments of this year's work with legislators as well as lobbying on behalf of undergraduate students on issues of mental health and affordability.

Upcoming Public Meetings

General Meeting:
Tuesday, March 7th
at 6:00pm in the
Ohio Union
General Assembly:
Wednesday March
1st @ 6:30pm in the
Senate Chambers

President: Gerard Basalla
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Questions, Comments, or Concerns?
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Cabinet continued:

Student Affairs:

- Registration for Buckeye Road Trip is open (go.osu.edu/buckeyeroadtrip)
- Spring off campus living expo will be held on Tuesday, March 21st from 9am – 4pm in the Ohio Union Great Hall Meeting Rooms
- Continue to donate swipes via Block Out Hunger at C-Stores!

Health and Safety:

- We are currently working on planning advocacy events for mental health and for Sexual Assault Awareness Month in April. Ideas? Feel free to send them to chang.1310@osu.edu with subject as “H&S Ideas”

Sustainability:

- From March 8th-10th USG will be hosting “Plastic? Fork It Over” in the Union Credenza. We will be using To-Go Ware reusable silverware to reduce plastic waste.
- We invite people of all backgrounds and every organization to participate in the sustainability community’s Time For Change Week from April 3rd-9th! If you are interested in planning a project please email Samuel Reed.1275 and encourage your members to attend!

General Assembly:

Past Resolutions

- Go to usg.osu.edu/gen_assembly to see the latest USG General Assembly Resolutions including resolutions regarding excused absence policies and dining.

Forum Update

Thank you to all who have attended our forums so far!

Our upcoming forums will be:

- Thursday, March 23rd at 5:15 pm in the Brutus Buckeye Room in the Ohio Union
- Tuesday, April 18th at 5:00pm in the Brutus Buckeye Room in the Ohio Union

We are proud to announce a **USG Google Calendar** to track all USG happenings.

All events (officer office hours, committee events, regular meetings, and more) will be updated on this public calendar for your convenience. Sign up here if you would like to have access:

go.osu.edu/USGcalendar