• Call to Order
• Minutes
  • **Motion to Approve Minutes: Lucas**
    • Second: Jake
    • Result: 18 – 0 – 0
• Budgets
  • Beekeeping: Need things for working with the bees.
  • Table Tennis Club: Having them purchase less expensive equipment.
  • Medical Reserve Corp: Already got a lot of money from other places. So we are funding what they still need money for. We won’t be funding them in the future b/c they are getting money from the national organization.
  • South Asian Students Association: Got money from a bunch of other places. They are raising money, so makes sense to have in benefits.
  • **Motion to Approve Budgets: April**
    • Second: Kate
      • 20 – 0 – 0
• New York Times – Online Subscription
  • Adrian: We’re getting physical copies of the New York Times. Is it worth investing in the online copies too?
    • Options:
      • Trying to get library to help us. But they will only do it if it is only accessible on campus. Also, it is based on the Williams.edu email address, so alumni could access it as well as anyone in the Williams community, which would take it away from Williams students.
        • Kate: Do we really have to worry about alumni accessing it?
          • Adrian: More of an administration concern.
        • Jess: Could we tie it to Purple Air?
          • Adrian: No – NYTimes can’t do that
        • Adrian: Do we need it for all 2,000 students too?
          • Griff: Can we play for less subscriptions?
            • Adrian: We can ask.
              • Emily: Math works out so that if we do it for 250, we may as well do it for the entire campus.
                • Max: We’ve tried it before and 50 is not enough.
                • Emily C: Hopefully this will also change
the way students interact with their news sources.

- Jess: Would say a lot about the character of our campus.
  - Adrian: Also a lot of other institutions have this.
- Jake: Don’t think there is anyway we can fund all of it, but definitely something we should have on campus.
- Eric: Could we get institutionalized funding?
  - Max: I think its part of the libraries funding.
- Kate: Don’t think we should be funding this at all. It should definitely happen but it isn’t really our job to fund it. Maybe a resolution is more effective than actually paying it. We should also think about papers other than the New York Times.
  - Also could we raise the SAT tax in order to do this?
- Teddy: Matter of precedent – they’ve given JSTOR access to alumni.
  - April: Perhaps we could do something similar? Makes more sense to offer current students access to news.
- Emily C: We should delegate the money, but not delegate the drive behind the idea.
- Eric: Should we survey to gauge student interest? Helps us get facts and shows support.
  - Kate: Good idea – questions that we could add.

- Updates
  - Great Ideas: Doing Wish List campaign – a lot of ideas are coming in and we’ve set up meetings to work on them.
- Student Groups:
  - Williams Fiber Club – dedicated to the fiber arts.
  - Motion to Approve Fiber Club: Jake
    - Second: Griff
    - Result: 20 – 0 - 0