

Email #1

Hey all,

Although I know many of you, allow me to introduce myself to those with whom I have not yet been acquainted. I am Matthew Schoenfeld, and you voted me class president nearly three weeks ago. I want all of you to become familiar with myself and the activities of Columbia College Student Council. The first way I intend to do so is by sending out weekly E-mails such as this one. I want to keep all of you informed about what we, your student council, are doing on an everyday basis to improve the quality of life for you, the students. You have a right to know. This being said, I will tell you about what we have done thus far this week.....

After two weeks of exacting negotiation, we have finally pushed through a finalized budget for the freshman class. I can sense your ebullience, and let me just say I'm excited too! This budget allows us to begin work on the freshman Student Council Website. This site will allow you to efficaciously voice your concerns to myself, Isaac (Vice President), and the rest of the council. We have already contracted a webmaster, and all efforts are being made to further expedite the process. This being said, with the budget in hand, we have scheduled some upcoming events for the freshmen class...

This Wednesday- be there- Carman Lounge (Just walk into Carman and you'll see a crowd of people)- 10:30 PM Eastern Time- First Study Break- Rootbeer Floats and Pizza For all. We will take this opportunity to introduce everyone to their newly appointed officers and take a much needed break from midterm cramming.

Thursday October 28- West End- Halloween Bash-10 PM to 2 AM- Try to come in costumes, best one wins a Pony (actually prizes will be offered, but sadly no domesticated animals). We have ordered Five platters of somewhat greasy yet utterly fulfilling cuisine (ie; mozzarella sticks, Buffalo Wings, etc;) which should be enough for all.

Additionally, the Freshman council is also co-sponsoring Casino Night. Although I would love to elaborate upon the event on my own, my compatriots Kwame Spearman and David Chait (Presidents of CC 06' and CC 07' respectively) have graciously provided a description which I feel adroitly sums things up.....

Boys and girls are you ready to GET LUCKY? Casino Night, last year's highest attended event, is just around the corner. This year, the event is bigger than ever with more prizes and gambling tables. Come to win an iPod, Nintendo GameCube, Jets tickets, a television, and much more! In addition, we have a jazz band and DJ to keep the event rocking and rolling.

Casino Night-October 23rd from 9pm-1am @Roone Arledge Auditorium.

2 ID'S to drink. \$1 champagne, wine, and beer.
Tickets are \$5 before the event. \$7 at the door.
Dress to impress, this is a classy, fun time!
Buy your tickets at the Lerner box office NOW!!!

Ahhhh, excuse me for a moment, after absorbing all that information I'm a little winded (I really should start doing more cardio!). I want to close by imploring you to make your voice heard. While it will be easier to do such after the website is fully constructed, in the interim I plead with you to E-Mail either myself (mjs2124@Columbia.edu) or Isaac (is2129@Columbia.edu) with any and all concerns you hold. We will get back to you ASAP!

Below is a list of your officers, both appointed and elected. We apologize to anyone who we overlooked in the appointing process. If you wish to be an officer, E-mail me for meeting times, become involved, and I will certainly offer you every consideration.

Lastly, Good luck to everyone on Mid-Terms!!!!

Sincerely,

Matthew Schoenfeld
President

Isaac Silverman
Vice President

Officer List:

Ingrid Scholze- Elected Representative, Treasurer
Sebastian Bernardo-Elected Representative
Kieron Cindric- Elected Representative
Max Taffel- Secretary
Amy A.C. McCants- Secretary

Appointed Officers:

Huei Ong, Josh Lipsky, Daniel Livtak, Ari Gardner, Ana Taveras, Jason Bello, Calvin Sun,
Shoshana Goldberg