



Student Life Committee of the Senate

REPORT TO THE SENATE April 2008

The committee is comprised of 18 people of the University community and met FIVE times during the 2007-2008 school year.

Each meeting provided the opportunity for the SGA President, the leaders of major student organizations and the Vice President for Student Life to give an update and note issues from their respective areas.

In addition, the following guest presenters shared information with the committee.

- David Tedjeske, Director of Public Safety
- Frank Henninger, University Shop

Some of the topics discussed at the meetings were:

- Cable services offered on campus (digital, premium channels)
- Opening of new Fitness Center
- Master Plan and possibility for additional beds/residence hall(s) on campus
- Housing needs of Seniors and resources offered by Villanova to Juniors looking for off campus housing
- Concerns regarding some of the local landlords
- New “Second Sense” initiative and opportunities on campus to discuss issues of race
- Leadership in a multicultural world
- Parents’ Weekend and Ring Ceremony
- Public Safety and overview of department by new director
- Shooting in campus parking lot
- Social policies and monitoring outside guests at Villanova events
- Basketball lottery
- University Shop and possibility of including cost of text books in tuition
- Housing Lottery
- Student leadership on campus and students holding multiple leadership positions
- New Villanova commercial: The Power of villanova university
- Wildcat Cove: programming space available in Good Counsel
- Greek 101: new member education program