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Oak Grove

Wilham D. Albion, 11

Jack Force

Environment:

Counseling: special counseling for student with personal problems. Many students need a black professional to relate to and express personal needs and desires. This person should experience in direct and indirect counseling techniques. Special courses should be offered for admission and having lead recruits to for the purpose of increasing their ~~scope~~ background and ability to deal with problems of minority students. A merit system should be used to increase attendance of these courses.

Housing:

Data: % of black resident assistants
Room assignment policy. Procedure for room and hall change.

Issue: Black - White roommate as opposed to black black ~~roommate~~ roommate.
% requests request for black - black
% filled.

Social affairs:

% affairs related to blacks or
opposed to whites.

% affairs actually requested by
blacks.

% programs requested by blacks and
refused for reasons of lack of funds

2

Use of activities fees of Blacks for
white programs as opposed to the use of
white activities fees for Black programs
Amount of funds allocated for operation
of A.S.T. (A.S.T. College, American Student, Liberator,
Face) as opposed to funds allocated for
operation of Student Senate and Instructional
House.

Role of Black Greek Organizations
Representation on F.F.C.

Communication between ~~Black~~ Black
Greeks and White Greeks
Existence of other social clubs and
organizations - recognition by ~~university~~
W.S.

Recreation:

1. Effects of Campus Entertainment Board
and University Concerts

- a. entertainment related to Blacks
- b. input into CEB entertainment - more
members on board with power to designate
entertainment - Black advisors to board
with future seats on board

c. Reorganization of CEB

- d. No activity fee allocated to CEB
as opposed to amount of Black entertainment
- brought to campus.

no investment in white programs - vs
no profit, no loss, attendance
no investment in Black programs - vs
no profit, no loss, attendance

2. Access and availability of off-campus entertainment.

Community affairs

A. Public service efforts to the Black community (i.e., legal aid clinic, minority insurance)

B. Black community involvement with U.S.

C. Image of U.S. to Black citizen

D. " to Black U.S. student to Black citizen

Cultural programs

A. Student Center use

B. Black Cultural Center - participation in decision-making process of bringing various guest speakers and entertainers to the U.S. campus

Human Relations

A. Attitude towards Safety and Security

B. Representation on various Appeal to Basis

C. Reaction toward instructors

D. " of instructors

E. Human relations between student and non-student personnel

F. Communication between black and white students

G. Human relations with community

D. ENVIRONMENT

Howard Allenberg

① SPECIAL DATA:

1312 Fort St

Rm 341 Union
Center

② COUNSELING:

SURVEY COUNSELING CENTER FOR USE BY BLACKS

✓ "THE
~~CORNER~~ CORNER"

✓ RELIGIOUS CENTERS

③ HOUSING:

A. ON CAMPUS →

RESIDENCE HALL EMPLOYEES → CHECK OFF OF RES. HALL

ROOM ASSIGNMENTS → ALSO CHECK NAMED STUDENT LIMITATIONS

DISCRIMINATION → INTERVIEW WHITE/BLACK (MALE/FEMALE)

OPPORTUNITIES IN RES. HALL

DISCIPLINARY ACTIONS → AGAINST WHITE/BLACK

IN RES. HALLS

BLACKS IN GIBBS HALL

B. OFF-CAMPUS →

BLACK COMMUTERS → WHERE FROM & # OF COMMUTERS

AVAILABILITY IN AREA

IS DISCRIMINATION PRACTICED → INTERVIEW PRESENT OFF-CAMP BLACKS

④ SOCIAL AFFAIRS :

A. FRATERNITIES & SOCIETIES →

② ROLE OF BLACK GREEK ORGANIZATIONS

RELATIONSHIP OF BLACK GREEKS TO OTHER GREEKS

~~THEY~~ ARE BLACK FRATS, & SOCIETS. CLOSED TO WHITES

OTHER SOCIAL CLUBS, ORGANIZATIONS,

B. BLACK ENTERTAINMENT →

EFFORTS OF CEB & UNIV. CONCERTS TO MEET DEMAND & NEED

DO BLACKS LIKE ^{HIS} WHO PERFORMED SO FAR

WHAT EFFORTS HAVE BEEN MADE TO EXPRESS FEELINGS

C. OFF-CAMPUS →

ACCESS & AVAILABILITY OF ENTERTAINMENT

WHAT ROLE DOES KNOX COLLEGE PLAY IN SOCIAL LIFE

WOULD UT BUNKS PREFER OFFERINGS ON CAMPUS ~~OR~~

SOCIALIZE W/ KNOX COLLEGE & TO WHAT EXTENT

⑤ RECREATION %

PARTICIPATION IN INTRAMURALS

SPORTS CLUBS

BLACK ATHLETE → (discrimination (stating); attitudes of black athletes; attitudes of alumni & students towards & attract

⑥ COMMUNITY AFFAIRS %

⑦ CULTURAL PROGRAMS:

BLACK HISTORY WEEK

✓ ARTS FESTIVAL

FEASIBILITY + DESIRE FOR CULTURAL ARTS CENTER

PARTICIPATION IN DECIDING ON SPEAKERS & ENTERTAINERS TO U.T.

USE OF STUDENT CENTER

⑧ HUMAN RELATIONS:

WITH

✓ WHITE STUDENTS

✓ INSTRUCTORS / ADMINISTRATORS

✓ SAFETY & SECURITY

⑨ INFORMATION & PERSPECTIVE:

SUMMER ORIENTATION PROGRAM

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