



Clubs and Organizations Fund Policy

Clubs and Organizations on campus are a vital part of student involvement. These formalized groups create a connection to the college and provide learning opportunities outside of the classroom. The entire college benefits from the activities of clubs through their events, community service, and external representation of the campus in the community, state, and nation.

This proposal outlines some changes to the current structure that will allow the student government officers that are working with clubs to better serve them and make the funding these clubs receive from student fee more equitable.

The following is a list of funding that will be available to all clubs and organizations on campus:

1. Club Charter Funds- clubs and organizations will automatically receive these funds once they re-charter, submit a club roster, and a list of current officers. The proposed amount is \$250 per club for the 2006-07 academic years. This amount may change from year to year based on the needs of the clubs and the availability of funds.
2. Participation Funds- these funds will be awarded based on participation in campus and clubs and organizations events which promote involvement and participation. These events include but are not limited to: leadership day, club rush, UVExperience, homecoming, UV Club meetings, etc...
3. Programming Funds- these funds will be available to clubs and organizations that wish to sponsor events for the entire student body that are directly related to the purpose of that club or organization. ASUVSC officers may also award these funds to clubs who choose to spotlight their club by demonstrations or involvement activities that the general student population may participate with. A proposal will be required for these funds and must be approved. Funds will be distributed by the UV Clubs Funding Committee based on their evaluation of all proposals received.
4. Club Funding- funds in this category will be under the discretion of the UV Clubs Funding Committee who will set annual limits. These funds will be distributed to organizations for their specific club purposes. All funds in this category are matching funds. This means that the club or organization which is requesting the funds must have raised at least the amount they are requesting through fundraising efforts (money provided by department or college does not count as fundraising). Funds will be matched to a maximum amount determined by the UV Clubs Funding Committee based on the number of requests and the availability of funds.

We appreciate your patience and understanding while these changes are being made. We realize this will affect a few clubs adversely the first year and pledge to do what we can to alleviate as many concerns as we can. This proposal provides a plan for a sustainable system of clubs and organizations on campus. It further addresses issues of fairness and equity putting clubs on equal footing when seeking campus resources.