To: Senate  
Subject: Spring Term’s Alt Bev Funding

Last term, I allocated the following in “Alternative Beverage” (abbreviated Alt-Bev) funding from the Treasurer’s discretionary fund:

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Summary:  
Total Alt-Bev Funding: $405

¹ If approved amount other than amount requested, I included a short rationale for why I did not approve funding for the request.
² While Alt-Bev can fund events during finals exempted by the Dean of Student’s Office, Alt-Bev cannot fund events during finals not exempted. This event did not receive exemption.
Total Third Center Funding: $0

According to the Bylaws, the Alt-Bev or Treasurer’s Discretionary Fund is “…primarily reserved to fund non-alcoholic beverages and food for registered events that are open to the entire campus…” (Bylaws Article III Section IV F).

So, basically, a club wants to hold an event with some snacks present. The club fills out the Alt-Bev request form online and, then, if I send the club an email approving their Alt-Bev funding request, the club receives thirty dollars for food at their event.

If you have any questions, comments, or concerns about Alt-Bev funding last term or in general, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,
Ben Strauss, CSA Treasurer

Budget Committee Request

Event Date (Month/Day/Year):
04/02/2015

Event Location:
Leighton 426

Sponsoring Organization (if applicable):
CSA Senate - Budget Committee

How many people do you expect to attend this event?
18

Describe your request. Include a description of the event, and what food/beverages you are planning to offer. :
Root bear (1-liter bottle): $4
Coca-Cola (1-liter bottle): $4
Ice cream (2): $10

Total Amount of Request:
$18

CAFEO Request

Event Date (Month/Day/Year):
4/16/15

Event Location:
Nurse Lounge

**Sponsoring Organization (if applicable):**
Carleon Advocates for Educational Opportunities

**How many people do you expect to attend this event?**
about 25

**Describe your request. Include a description of the event, and what food/beverages you are planning to offer.**
This is our "Coffee with Cafeo" event where all are invited for an informal discussion on the perception of the teaching profession. We plan to provide coffee and doughnuts for those in attendance.

**Total Amount of Request:**
$30

Chinese Club Request

**Event Date (Month/Day/Year):**
04/18/2015

**Event Location:**
Concert Hall Lounge

**Sponsoring Organization (if applicable):**
Chinese Club

**How many people do you expect to attend this event?**
40

**Describe your request. Include a description of the event, and what food/beverages you are planning to offer.**
I request funding for beverage because there is a gathering after the Chinese Music Concert. During this gathering people attending this concert will have opportunities to interact with musicians and discuss certain musical instruments, pieces played in the concert, and other related topics. The funding will be used to provide soft drinks and snacks for the gathering.

**Total Amount of Request:**
30

Mixed Request

**Event Date (Month/Day/Year):**
4/18/15

**Event Location:**
Sponsoring Organization (if applicable):
MIXED
How many people do you expect to attend this event?
15-20

Describe your request. Include a description of the event, and what food/beverages you are planning to offer:
$10 - Crackers
$20 - Cheese

If this unreasonable, we will go with a cheaper finger food, but we will stay in the $30 budget!

Total Amount of Request:
$30

CPAD Request
Event Date (Month/Day/Year):
04/18/2015

Event Location:
Sayles 251

Sponsoring Organization (if applicable):
Carls creating Political Atmosphere/Discussion

How many people do you expect to attend this event?
15

Describe your request. Include a description of the event, and what food/beverages you are planning to offer:
We are showing a documentary about the use of drones in military forms.
We are providing snack and drinks to feed around 15 people
-Chips/salsa
-Granola bars
-Fruit juice

Total Amount of Request:
$30

Cloth Request
Event Date (Month/Day/Year):
05/07/2015

**Event Location:**
United States

**How many people do you expect to attend this event?**
30-40

**Describe your request. Include a description of the event, and what food/beverages you are planning to offer.**:
The Cloth is a story-slam event where any student can come and tell a true story live to an audience. We would like to have some coffee available for people to drink during the event.

**Total Amount of Request:**
$30

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GSC Request

**Event Date (Month/Day/Year):**
4/27/15

**Event Location:**
Boliou 104

**Sponsoring Organization (if applicable):**
GSC

**How many people do you expect to attend this event?**
20? Unsure

**Describe your request. Include a description of the event, and what food/beverages you are planning to offer.**:
We are putting on a panel about asexuality and aromanticism. Members of ACE (asexuality community and education) and the GSC will make up the panel, and all members of the carleton community are invited. We plan to offer pizza, cake, and soda/ juice. We understand that Alt Bev does nut fund meals, so we mostly are asking for help with the cake and/or the drinks.

**Total Amount of Request:**
$25 or $30

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CSBC Request

**Event Date (Month/Day/Year):**
5/2/15
Event Location:
Sayles 251

Sponsoring Organization (if applicable):
CSBC

How many people do you expect to attend this event?
16

Describe your request. Include a description of the event, the advertising for the event and what food/beverages you are planning to offer. :
Singles tournament, posters, nnb, fb group. Clementines, grapes, carrots, hummus, chips, salsa.

Total Amount of Request:
$30

CAFEO Request
Event Date (Month/Day/Year):
5/12/15

Event Location:
Nourse Lounge

Sponsoring Organization (if applicable):
Carleton Advocates for Educational Opportunities

How many people do you expect to attend this event?
about 25

Describe your request. Include a description of the event, the advertising for the event and what food/beverages you are planning to offer. :
This is our "Coffee with Cafeo" event where all are invited for an informal discussion on financial aid policy. We plan to provide coffee and doughnuts for those in attendance. Coffee with Cafeo is not our regular club meetings, which happen weekly. Club meetings consist of a much smaller group of people planning events, informally exploring questions related to education, and organizing education related resources. Coffee with Cafeo is a special event which we plan to hold once or twice a term which is geared towards a wider audience. Cafeo members spend time researching one particular topic, collecting material, and formulating discussion questions. The culmination of these efforts is a Coffee with Cafeo discussion where all interested students are invited to participate. This event is core to Cafeo's mission to promote education related discussion throughout campus.

Total Amount of Request:
30
J Street Request
Event Date (Month/Day/Year):
5/21/2015

Event Location:
Weitz

Sponsoring Organization (if applicable):
J Street U Carleton

How many people do you expect to attend this event?
30

Describe your request. Include a description of the event, the advertising for the event and what food/beverages you are planning to offer.: We are hosting a film screening of 5 Broken Cameras, a Palestinian film that will be co-sponsored by a number of other organizations on Thursday night. We are advertising through digital signage, posters, the all-campus email, NNB, as well as through a number of other organizations including the IRC, CCCE, MELA, POSC, SOAN, the MSA, CORAL, and Carl Dems. After the film, we will host a student-led discussion for participants. It will be late and the film is an hour and a half, so we would like to offer light refreshments of chips and soda for the discussion.

Total Amount of Request:
$30

CANOE/Farm House Request
Event Date (Month/Day/Year):
15/05/15

Event Location:
Farm House

Sponsoring Organization (if applicable):
CANOE House and Farm House

How many people do you expect to attend this event?
80-150

Describe your request. Include a description of the event, the advertising for the event and what food/beverages you are planning to offer.: EVENT DESCRIPTION:
CANOE House is providing the pig roast for Farmstock, Farm House's annual spring farming and music festival.

ADVERTISING:
We are advertising the event with 11x17 color posters (a bold and beautiful design by someone much better at photoshop than I), through the Farm listserv, through the CANOE listserv (912 subscribers), and in the Campus Announcements.

FOOD TO OFFER:
We are exhausting our house event funds in paying for half of a pig, a roaster rental, and some of the charcoal. We are requesting $57 to provide the rest of the charcoal necessary to cook the pig (a seven hour process). Farm Club and Firebellies are providing other dishes to supplement the pork.

**Total Amount of Request:**
$57.00

DevX/Lovelace Request
**Event Date (Month/Day/Year):**
06/03/2015

**Event Location:**
Cassat Game Room

**Sponsoring Organization (if applicable):**
DevX and Lovelace

**How many people do you expect to attend this event?**
20

Describe your request. Include a description of the event, the advertising for the event and what food/beverages you are planning to offer. :
We're holding a get together hosted by DevX and Lovelace targeted towards the whole campus to play smash brothers. Though the event is generally focused towards people interested in computers, we invite anyone on campus.

We're planning on serving some pop and chips and salsa with some carrot and celery sticks.

**Total Amount of Request:**
30

Mai Fete Request
**Event Date (Month/Day/Year):**
May 27th, 2015
Event Location:
Mai Fete

How many people do you expect to attend this event?
30-40

Describe your request. Include a description of the event, the advertising for the event and what food/beverages you are planning to offer.
We are hosting Mai Fete this Wednesday and are requesting money for things such as soda/iced tea/lemonade etc. The event has been advertised through email groups.

Total Amount of Request:
$30

SOPE/CJC/CORAL Request

Event Date (Month/Day/Year):
Saturday, June 6th

Event Location:
St. Paul!

Sponsoring Organization (if applicable):
No single one but members of SOPE, CJC, CORAL, and other activist and environmental organizations will all be attending

How many people do you expect to attend this event?
Approximately 10, maybe up to 15 depending on car availability and interest/cancellations this week

Describe your request. Include a description of the event, the advertising for the event and what food/beverages you are planning to offer.
We will be traveling to the tar sands resistance rally in St. Paul, MN to participate in our political system by doing some grassroots activism! Thousands of people will be there. Speakers will include Bill McKibben, Winona LaDuke, and Keith Ellison. Past rallies like this that students from Carleton have attended have proven to be powerful experiences for all involved, and we have worked to bring our experiences back to campus in a multitude of ways. Travel to this rally is free and open to anyone on campus who wants to come (we may or may not be joined by an Ole or two but I will pay for their food out of pocket, not from alt bev funds). We have been advertising aggressively by sending out tons of emails, and social media advertising is also planned. We will be at the rally from approximately 11 am to 5 pm, and because we will not have our exact attendance nailed down until after the Bon Appetit deadline, a packout for lunch is not an option. Therefore, I will be cooking up some snacks for the trip—probably some rice and lentils! The cost will be greatly reduced because I am not buying a catered meal;
rather, I am buying ingredients to make food. Ingredients should not cost much more than the $30 of the alt bev fund, and I am willing to pay for any costs beyond that. Exact cost will depend on ingredient costs at Econo.

**Total Amount of Request:**
$30