Letter from the editor

Hey CAC Family! This newsletter is something new we are starting so we can communicate with all of the executive committees about what is going on in the world of CAC. First off, I just wanted to thank you all for being involved and for all of the hard work you do to help CAC reach out to so many students here at OU. Community is an important value of ours and it really is awesome we have wonderful people like you who are helping to develop and grow the CAC community. Whether you have worked on one event with CAC or multiple events, you are part of a bigger CAC family! What we hope to accomplish through this newsletter is to keep everyone updated on upcoming events while also highlighting past events and the people who help make them happen. So welcome to the first issue of Torch Times and I will CA-see you later!

Sam Kiehl
CAC Executive Secretary

Chair Spotlight: Taylor Staab, HSLC Chair
Birthday: July 5
Hometown: Colleyville, TX
Year: Senior, Class of 2013
Major: Online Journalism
Favorite Quotes: “Let whatever you do today be enough”. “You have to be brave with your life so that others can be brave with theirs”.
CAC Journey: Taylor has been a part of the HSLC programming team since her freshman year.

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IMPORTANT DATES

March 1
CAC Mom’s Day Mother of the Year Application Due

March 6
CAC Dad’s Day Exec Application Due

March 8
CAC Mom’s Day Talent Show Application Due
CAC Film Series Sooner Film Festival Application Due

March 9
CAC Soonerthon
CAC Concert Series: Aesop Rock

March 28
CAC Film Series: Sooner Film Festival

April 4-6
CAC Sooner Scandals

April 5
CAC Speaker’s Bureau Funding Applications Due

April 5-7
CAC Mom’s Day
Shine a Light:
Hayley St. John

Major: Public Relations
Minor: Nonprofit
Year: Sophomore, Class of 2015

Tell us about your experience on PR Team:

Being on the PR team has been a great experience. I get to work with an
awesome group of people and come up with ideas to better CAC and the
university that I love. One of the best things about OU is its diversity, so I
have really enjoyed being able to use that to come up with new CAC
activities. It's a fun challenge to try to come up with new creative ways to
incorporate all types of students into CAC. It's really changed the way I
think about campus events.

How has being on PR Team most benefited your personal development?

Being on the PR team has benefited me because I've been able to gain
experience. As a PR major, it's really neat to be able to take what I'm
learning in my classes and apply it to real life situations, especially in such
a fun and flexible environment.

What is your favorite memory from being on PR Team?

It's hard to choose just one memory. Our weekly meetings in general are
really fun. We come up with some of the most crazy ideas, some which
are probably not even plausible without millions of dollars, so it's fun to
just dream and throw ideas out there. We always have a few great new
ideas by the end of the meeting. It's just so much fun to work with such
creative people.

What is Film Series?

CAC Film Series does more than just show free movie in the Union
on Fridays. We do many things, including a screening of Rocky
Horror Picture with audience participation and a Film Festival
in the spring. This year as an exec we are working to make our film
festival, now called the Sooner Film Festival, more than just an
OU student event. We are branching out beyond campus
and into the community and the state. We are also working on
making the night more than just a two-hour screening, but an
interactive experience. Our hope for this festival is that it will
become a two-day event and a statewide festival and then a
nationally recognized festival. Having these long-term goals will
create a sense of motivation and

SIGN UPS

Register for
CAC Soonerthon
http://www.ou.edu/uosa/CAC/events/dance_marathon.html

CAC Mom’s Day
Mother of the Year
Application
http://oucac.wufoo.com/forms/mother-of-the-year/

CAC Mom’s Day
Talent Show
Application
http://oucac.wufoo.com/forms/moms-day-talent-show/