Student Union Board
Presents:

MinerFest
 Miner Homecoming Fall Festival

MinerFest Packet
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Introduction
Any recognized student organization present on campus may enter to participate in the MinerFest activities and events. To sign up to participate or if there are any questions please contact the Campus Traditions Director.

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Judging Panel
All of the judging will be done by S&T staff/faculty/professors. There will be NO S&T students acting as judges for any part of the MinerFest events. Also, all judging will be done rubric style. More information will be provided about point breakdowns in the events sections. All decisions made by the judges are final unless cheating has occurred. Judging will take place at Court Interviews, Chalkzone, and Parade.
Dates and Deadlines

All Forms Due
Date: Monday, September 19th
Time: 4:30 PM
Location: SUB Office (222 Havener Center)

Court Interviews
Date: Thursday, September 26th
Time: 6:00 PM to 9:00 PM
Location: Missouri- Ozark Room
Dress is business casual.

Kickoff
Date: Monday, September 30th
Time: 11:00 AM to 2:00 PM
Location: ComSci Mall (Rainback Up: Havener Center)
Court will be announced at noon

Fall Festival
Date: Wednesday, October 2nd
Time: 11:00 AM to 2:00 PM
Location: Havener Lawn (Rainback Up: St.Pat’s Ballroom A & B)

Pep Rally
Date: Friday, October 4th
Time: 3:00 PM to 5:00 PM
Location: Hasselmann

Silver & Gold Dinner
Date: Friday, October 4th
Time: 5:00 PM to 7:00 PM
Location: Hasselmann Alumni House
Dress is business casual. Attendance is required by MinerFest Court only.

MinerFest Parade
Date: Saturday, October 5th
Time: 11:00 AM
Location: Downtown Rolla

MinerFest Football Game
Date: Saturday, October 5th
Time: 1:00 PM
Location: Allgood-Bailey Stadium
Dress is business casual.
# Point Breakdown

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MinerFest
Events and Competitions

MinerFest will be for points. All recognized student organizations (RSO) are invited to participate. There will be several events during the week that will entail participation points and small competitions. Details about points and competitions can be found within the packet.

There will be two distinct winners of MinerFest this year. The Greek houses will compete separately from campus organizations. Residential halls will also be under the ‘campus organizations’ category (i.e. RC, TJ, UC, Miner Village). For participation points, only members who have paid dues will be considered part of the 60% for points. If dues have not been paid by any members then the number of normal members at meetings will also work. All forms are due by the date listed above.

Kick-Off

Organization participation in the Kickoff is worth points. RSOs must attend and sign the check in sheet to receive the points for 60% participation. To count as attending you need to be wearing organization or Missouri S&T gear. Chalkzone will also be taking place during the Kickoff event.

Point Breakdown

60% of RSO Participation - 100pts.

Chalkzone

Organizations will have a square to decorate on the ComSci Mall (between the Computer Science building and the Humanity and Social Sciences building). Each organization will have three hours to decorate their square with the chalk provided by the Student Union Board. The drawing must also contain the organization’s name, the year, and MinerFest. There is no limit or requirement to the size of the artwork but only up to five individuals may work on the artwork at the same time.

All designs must be appropriate to all viewers and cannot attend references to drug, alcohol, or other illegal substances. Failure to follow these guidelines many result in disqualification from MinerFest.
The judges will review all designs without the organizations being present at the end of the time period.

**Point Breakdown**
1st - 500 pts.
2nd - 400 pts.
3rd - 300 pts.
Participation - 100 pts.

**Fall Festival**
Fun activities will be available to all students to participate in such as; caramel apples, pumpkin decorating, and carnival games. Competition games will also be held on this day. RSOs must attend and sign the check in sheet to receive the points for 60% participation.

**Point Breakdown**
60% of RSO Participation - 100pts.

**Competitions:**

**3-Legged Race**
Organization must decide on two team members to complete this challenge. The members will then tie their inside leg to one another (three-legged race). The team members will be given instructions on how to complete the three-legged race course. When the timer and the team members are ready time will start. Times of the teams will be recorded and places will be awarded to the top four fastest teams. The layout of the course will not be announced until the day of the event.

**Point Breakdown**
1st - 500 pts.
2nd - 400 pts.
3rd - 300 pts.
Participation - 100 pts.

**Egg Toss**
Organizations must decide on two team members to compete in this challenge. The team will start at 5 feet apart and attempt to pass the egg back and forth twice for a total of four passes. If the egg stays intact, the team will move 2 feet further apart and repeat
tossing it back and forth twice. The team will keep moving back 2 feet every time the pass is completed. The team with the most passes will be awarded first place.

**Point Breakdown**
1st - 500 pts.
2nd - 400 pts.
3rd - 300 pts.
Participation - 100 pts.

**Pumpkin Basketball**
Organizations must decide on one member to compete in this challenge. The member will be tossing mini pumpkins into a basket that is ten feet away. Once the member has missed three times their turn is over. The organization with the most baskets will be awarded first place.

**Point Breakdown**
1st - 500 pts.
2nd - 400 pts.
3rd - 300 pts.
Participation - 100 pts.

**Pep Rally**
The Pep Rally will take place in front of the Hasselmann Alumni House on Pine Street between 11th and 12th but will start at the St. Pats Sweatshirt Reveal at Sunnywall. More information on the reveal can be found below. RSOs will need to have at least 60% of their membership attend to achieve points.

**Point break down**
60% of RSO Participation - 100pts.

**St. Pats Sweatshirt Reveal**
Join in celebrating the unveiling of this year's St. Pat's sweatshirt presented by the St. Pat's Board. The reveal will take place starting at 3:00 PM on the corner of 12th and Pine Street at the Sunnywall. Sweatshirt Reveal marks the beginning of the St. Pat's season as the Theme for this upcoming celebration will be released at the event as well. This will be the first opportunity to pick up the new St. Pat's sweatshirt.
Parade

The Parade Participant competition will be a competition for the most creative unit in the MinerFest Parade judged by Alumni and faculty members. The winners will be announced at the MinerFest halftime show. To sign up to be in the parade please go to https://orgsync.com/66247/forms/149783 and click on the ‘MinerFest Parade Participant Form’ form.

Point Breakdown
1st - 500 pts.
2nd - 400 pts.
3rd - 300 pts.
Participation – 100 pts.
MinerFest Court

Introduction
Each organization may nominate one person for MinerFest King and one person for MinerFest Queen. At least one of the candidates must be members of the organization being represented. Nominations for King and Queen candidates are due by the All Forms Deadline listed above at the beginning of the packet.

MinerFest King and Queen Candidates are encouraged to check their emails regularly for updates on events.

King and Queen Candidates have the following requirements:
- Must be recognized as a full-time student by the registrar.
- Must be in good academic standing with the University.
- Have paid the Candidate fee.
- Have not previously competed in the MinerFest King or Queen competition beforehand.

Candidates are expected to behave in the most upright manner. Any irresponsible behavior during the week of may result in disqualification.

The MinerFest King and Queen will be announced and crowned during half time of the Homecoming Football game, which takes place the Saturday of MinerFest week.

Points Breakdown
Each King and Queen candidate competes for their respective title based off their own merit. This means that the MinerFest King could be from a different organization than the Queen or just because an organization wins their respective competition, does not mean that they their candidate will also win. The points breakdown are as follows:
- 10% Court Interviews
- 30% Campus Voting
- 60% Attendance at Events (10% is Silver & Gold Dinner attendance)

Court Interviews
Each King and Queen candidate will participate in an interview together. They will be asked questions about their organization, their goals, and their experiences at Missouri S&T. Dress is business casual.

**Attendance**

King and Queen Candidates are required to attend all events of MinerFest which can be found listed above under Dates and Deadlines. King and Queens will also be expected to attend the Silver & Gold Dinner and Court Interviews.

If a candidate has a conflict of work or class, they must inform the Campus Traditions Director at least 48 hours before the respective event to be excused.

**Voting**

Voting will take place the week of MinerFest through an online survey. Students of Missouri S&T are the only ones who may vote. The link to the survey will be sent out to the student body once voting is open.