

Committee of the Whole

February 14, 2023

Land Recognition

Maddy Marchand -Menstrual Equity

Vincent Michaud -Organising

Vincent Michaud- Board Hand Over Policy

Emily Watts - Repair Cafe

Whose lands are you joining from today?

<https://www.whose.land/en/>



Maddy Marchand

Batchelor Of Nursing Student

- Third year student is doing her community placement with NISU.
- Focusing on the menstrual equity NISU does and is moving this work forward.
- Take it away!

Vincent Michaud

Internal Relations Director

- Organising
- Hand Over policy. What was helpful for you? Where can hand off be improved?

Emily Watts

Union Representative

- Repair Cafe.



2022/2023 Union Representatives

Digital Meeting guidelines

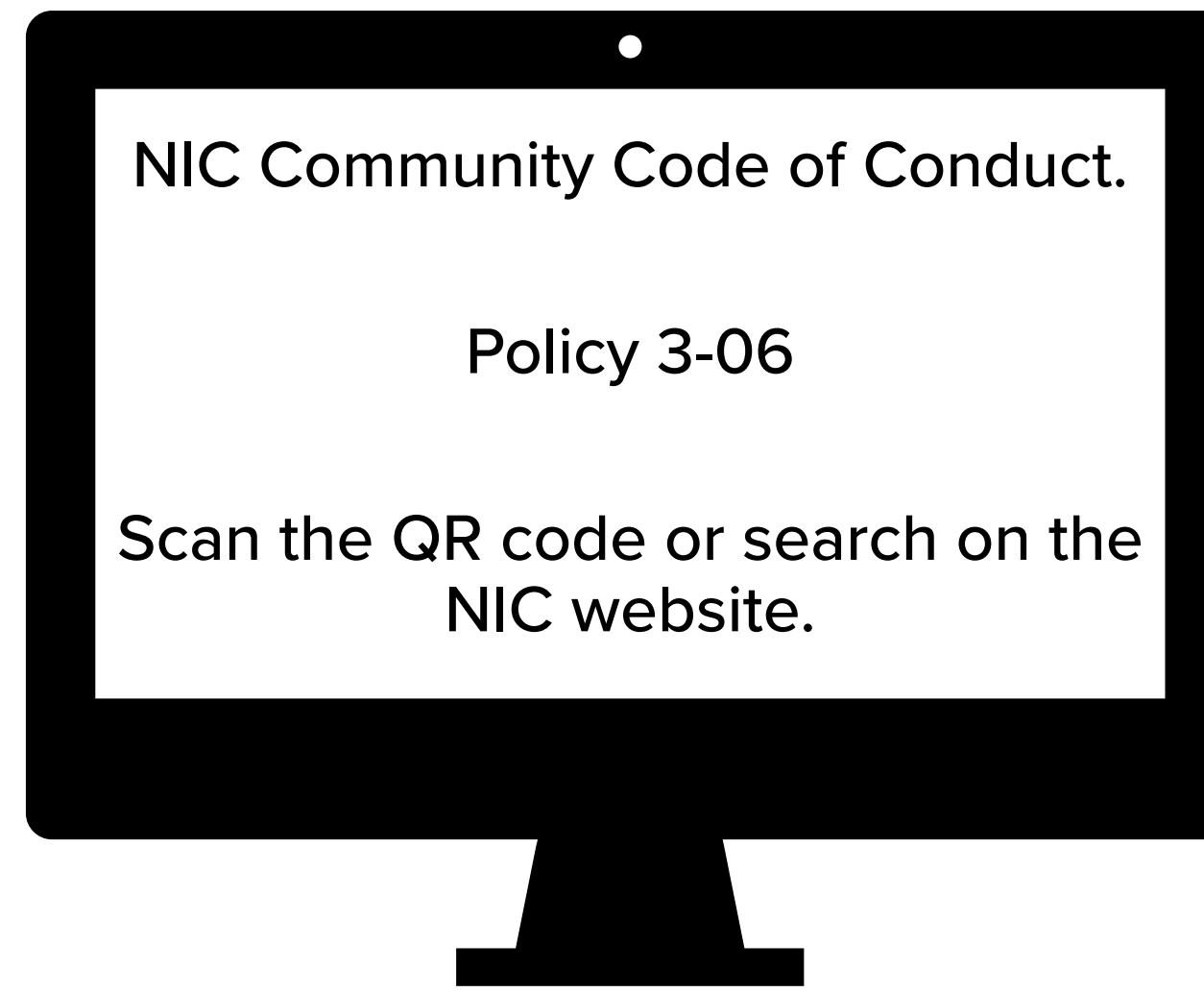
Mute your microphone, unless you're speaking

Don't feel like you need to apologize for being muted while speaking, nor the time it takes to unmute.

We are all in this together.

Feel free to turn off your camera, while the team is presenting, please have it on during discussion of the meeting, where possible.

Use the Raise Your Hand function in BlueJeans to help the meeting move smoothly.



All members of NICs College Community are bound by our Community Code of Conduct

North Island College is a vibrant community involved in teaching, learning, applied research, and other educational activities. The college is committed to fostering a culture of integrity, mutual respect, and responsible behaviours to provide a welcoming, safe, and inclusive environment for all.

Please act with diligence and the safety of your fellow member in mind. Your responsibility as a member of the campus community is to treat everyone with the safety and respect you deserve.

Territorial Acknowledgements

North Island Students' Union acknowledges the traditional keepers of unceded territories of 35 distinct Indigenous Nations; Nuuchahnulth, Kwakwaka'wakw and Coast Salish peoples and we raise our hands in thanks to elders, chiefs & peoples as guests.

With campuses in

- Mixalakwa (Port Hardy)
- Campbell River
- K'ómoks Valley
- Port Alberni
- Ucluelet

NISU represents over 5000 full time students.



Committee of the Whole Meeting

March 14, 2023

- Welcome!
- What is a Committee of the Whole Meeting?
- Election Update
- Handbook Cover 2023 consultation
- Nicholas contributions
- Kahoot!



Committee of the Whole

We call them CoWs

- Monthly
- Less formal, doesn't use strict Robert's Rules, though we will respect speaking lists & someone who hasn't spoken will speak before someone speaks twice
- We share information about upcoming events, strategic planning, provide information about upcoming motions to the Board of Directors
- Spark ideas, tackle trainings, invite guests, learn about the BC Federation of Students' and how we work together to change students' lives.

NISU

Services, Community, Advocacy

Services, 30%

Health & Dental,
Handbook, Our
App, The Deals
App, swag

Community, 25%

Digital Presence,
Events, Student
Spaces

Advocacy, 25%

College Relations,
Government
Relations
Campaigns,
Advocate Services,
Appeal Group

Organising & Operations, 20%

Building & space
management, office
supply, insurance &
invoicing, financial
management, staffing

2023 General Election

Nominations were open February 27 - March 10

- We had 20 students interested, 16 were successful in completing both forms required of the Nomination process
- Term starts April 1, we will work together to pass knowledge to our incoming students.
- All students, current and upcoming terms, must attend the April 11 Annual General Meeting.

2023 Handbook Production

A key service, in thanks to our membership with the BC Federation of Students

- Last year, we ordered 1800 handbooks. We are running out currently, less than 50 available.
 - We have some Federation produced books for when/if we run out. Spring/Summer students like them as well
- This year, we ordered 2000 handbooks.
- We can afford this service, because of our work with the BCFS. We use the templates the BCFS produces, to contribute to this cost savings.
- Help us decide on a cover lay out!

Handbook Cover options Last years cover

2022 - 2023

Member Handbook & Dayplanner



**North Island
Students' Union**

Local 15 BC Federation of Students

STAY IN TOUCH


North Island College students are spread across beautiful and vast regions on Northern Vancouver Island, British Columbia's mainland, and other parts of Canada and the world! We have multiple ways for you to get in touch or find out more information about your Students' Union.

 www.nisu.ca


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As we are in a multi campus setting we are available to chat virtually over BlueJeans. Check out our calendar online and book a time to chat, at calendly.com/nisuoffice. On or off-campus your Union is here for you!

Learn more about us at nisu.ca.



Handbook Cover options Pick a theme!

2023
**HANDBOOK &
DAYPLANNER**
2024



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LOCAL 13 BC FEDERATION OF STUDENTS



2023-24

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2023-24

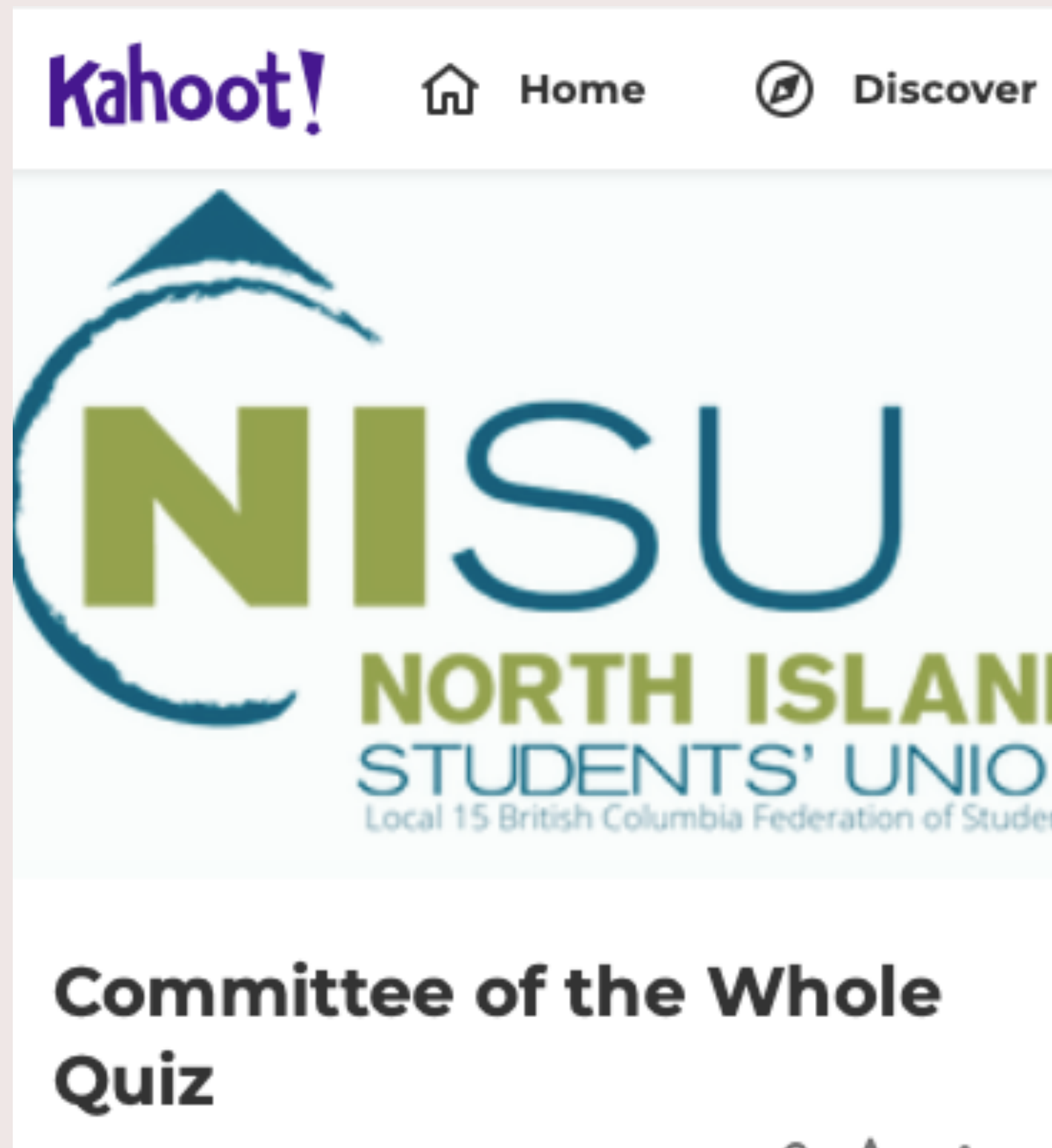
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Nicholas Contributes

Ten minutes

Kahoot!

Test your NISU/NIC knowledge, win some stuff!



What is next?

Lots on the horizon

- Board of Directors meeting, 2022 Term, **March 28, 5 pm** via BlueJeans
- Information session for all new Union Representatives, **April 4, 5 pm** via BlueJeans. If you are interested in a position with the Board of Directors, attend this info session.
- Annual General Meeting, all elected students must attend, **April 11, 5 pm** In person, or via BlueJeans. Pizza included.
- Board of Directors meeting, 2022 Term, **April 25, 5 pm** via BlueJeans
- New Board of Directors training, **April 26 or 27**, full day
- Camp Stronger Together, **May 26, 27, 28**, Loon Lake.