NEW CLUB TIER ALLOCATIONS

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<th>Tier Allocations</th>
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<td>Performance Tier 1 (High Need)</td>
<td>$10,000</td>
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<td>Tier 2 (Moderate Need)</td>
<td>$5,000</td>
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<td>Tier 3 (Have shown events - dance groups i.e.)</td>
<td>$3,000</td>
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<td>Tier 4 (Low Need)</td>
<td>$1000</td>
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<td>Tier 5 (New Groups and No Need/Low)</td>
<td>$500</td>
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<td>Exempt</td>
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6 new tiers total

Evaluation of Need:

Not every club will need to receive a budget. For example if a club shows no need for monies or has no previous history of requesting space/budgetary means they will not be considered for a tier allocation or budget unless they submit a request. This could involve groups of a social nature that are low-risk and just come together for purpose of enjoyment, and not holding activity or recruitment. The other case would be clubs that are so large their current budget adequately supports them and therefore they have no need for additional funding or request. Clubs that have abused budget information or allocation, or violated RIT policy, will be subject to review for future funding as well.

CLUB CATEGORIZATION

Starting Fall 2015 any club that is newly recognized or re-activated after a two year period of inactivity will be subject to the new categorization system for SG clubs. Any club standing in active status prior to this time will be grandfathered to the old system.

Clubs looking to gain or regain club recognition will be evaluated on:

- Financial tier
- Need for faculty/staff advisor
- Ability to hold events
- Ability to travel

Definition of Tiers:

1. **Performance Tier 1 (Highest Tier):** Performance clubs would be those clubs with a large operating budget (not inclusive list)
   a. Competitive sports clubs
   b. High risk clubs
c. Travel
d. Coaches/advisor required
e. Large oversight

2. **Tier 2 (Moderate-High Need):** Groups of high need that don’t necessarily meet performance tier requirements (not inclusive list)
   
   a. Recreational club sports (no travel)
   b. Performance Groups
   c. Large events/some travel
   d. Advisor required
   e. Most high risk

3. **Tier 3:** Any club that has medium-moderate activity, and travel. Must complete certain amount of events per year to maintain club tier. (not inclusive list)
   
   a. Dance Clubs
   b. Service organizations
   c. Events/conferences/speakers
   d. Advisor required
   e. Low Risk

4. **Tier 4:** Any group that has low level need/functioning. Minimal events, no travel. Mainly operating costs and recruitment for meetings (not inclusive list)
   
   a. Low need
   b. Minimal events
   c. No travel
   d. Operating costs/recruitment for meetings

5. **Tier 5: New Groups/No Need:** Any group that has been approved for the first time through Student Government within a given year, or any group that has been inactive for a period of two fiscal years with no monetary or administrative activity. Also groups that are not in need of a budget. (not inclusive list)
   
   a. Low level risk
   b. No events
   c. No travel
   d. No advisor needed
   e. **NEW GROUPS:**
i. Automatically entered into this category.

6. **Exempt Groups**: Groups that are unable to request a budget if their club is excluding of members or funds would not be appropriated correctly