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Student Trustee Report  
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## Trustee Report - October

**Hello everyone,**

I hope that everything has been going well since we've last seen each other. We have had an exciting couple of weeks since the start of the school year, and I'm happy to share with you some quick highlights.

We had Rock the Block on September 10th and we had a great turnout. I heard from many people that the Class of 2028 is ready to be involved on our campus.

The Student Government Association was able to have their first meeting on September 10th as well, and we had a full gallery. We met many new people that are ready to advocate for the student body this year and we elected new members into our senate.

One of the first tasks that the Student Government Association has been ready to look into is a rideshare program. We had a request from a student asking that we think about the idea of implementing scooters or bikes on our campus that could be rented for a certain amount of time. Student Government has only just begun looking into this, but I still just wanted to let you know about this exciting opportunity.

Another task that SGA is ready to take on is an 'Election Party' that is going to be put on by the Office of Student Development. We have created a committee, which I am co-chairing, in which we are helping create an event that fosters appropriate conversation about the election process and the election results, and what that may look like in the future.

The Student Government Association is going to be heavily involved in helping our students on campus understand how to register to vote and where they can seek additional help. We want to promote the idea of voting in our democratic society and we are encouraging everyone to get out and vote!

If you have any suggestions about ways in which we can get our students more involved in the understanding of why it is important to vote, please let me know!

Thank you,  
Matthew Gill