

Resolution 031
A Resolution to Extend Kane Fitness Center Hours and Resources
Sponsored by: Senator Downing
Co-Sponsored by: Senator Curioso, Senator Suarez

Whereas,

The Kane Fitness Center is the only location on campus where all students have full access to the exercise equipment and resources.

Whereas,

The current Kane Fitness Center hours are Monday-Thursday from 7:30 a.m to 10:30 p.m Monday through Thursday, 7:30 a.m to 7:30 p.m on Friday, and 9:00 AM to 6:00 PM on Saturday and Sunday.¹

Whereas,

In February 2020, a successful pilot program extending the hours to 9:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m. on Saturday and Sunday took place; however, it was never fully implemented due to the outbreak of the COVID-19 pandemic.

Whereas,

20% of the undergraduate student body identifies as a student-athlete taking a full course load.²

Whereas,

The current Kane Fitness Center hours can be viewed as inconvenient to many as they often conflict with class schedules, extracurricular activities, internships, jobs, or practices.

Whereas,

Many members of the student body have voiced a need for gender-specific hours to be added to the Kane Fitness Center due to the size, layout, and environment.

Whereas,

The Kane Fitness Center is currently unable to increase the hours, update certain equipment, or offer certain programs due to budgetary constraints.

Be it enacted that,

The Student Government Association Senate, acting in its official capacity as the representative of the undergraduate student body of The Catholic University of America, hereby requests that:

1. The Kane Fitness Center budget be reevaluated to fit the needs of the student body.
2. The Kane Fitness Center hours be extended to:

¹<https://fitness.catholic.edu/>

²<https://www.catholic.edu/about-us/distinctions/index.html>

Monday-Thursday: 6:30 a.m - 10:30 p.m

Friday: 6:30 a.m - 8:00 p.m

Saturday-Sunday: 9:00 a.m - 7:00 p.m

3. The Kane Fitness Center will look into the possibility of adding gender-specific times to their hours of operation once the hours are extended.

Agreed to by a vote of _____ yeas to _____ nays on this date: _____ with _____ abstaining and _____ not present.

Anthony Crnkovich
President of the Student Government Association

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Vice President of the Student Government Association

