

- I. Call to Order
- II. Roll Call / Notification of Senator Status
- III. Approval of Minutes
- IV. Officer Reports
  - a. President- The survey for presidents/senators meeting was sent through email to senators and club representatives, please respond by this Friday to schedule the meeting. Ryan Oliver submitted his treasurer resignation due to time restrictions with an internship, part-time job, and classes. Ryan would like to thank everyone, faculty and students, for allowing him to serve as the SGA treasurer for the past three and a half years. He wishes SGA the best throughout the semester, and a great semester to everyone! I want to thank Ryan for all of his hard work. We need to have a special election to fill the spot. Ryan will still be handling the money until the position has been filled. The constitution does not specify any actions that should be taken in the situation.
  - b. Vice President- CRC meeting tomorrow 11-1 in the club room, no meeting on Friday.
  - c. Treasurer- NA
  - d. Secretary- NR
  - e. Upper PR- NR
  - f. Freshman PR- Toilet talk is up, and apologize for missing the meeting last week
  - g. Webmaster- NA
  - h. Sergeant at Arms- NA
  - i. Senators- NR
- V. Advisor Reports- NR
- VI. Committee Reports
  - a. Academic Affairs- NR
  - b. Café- NR
  - c. CRC- Meeting tomorrow 11-1
  - d. Housing- NR
  - e. International Relations- NR
  - f. Just Do It- NA
  - g. SAAB: Student Athletic Advisory Board- NR
  - h. THON- Zumba THON is this Saturday January 30<sup>th</sup>, registration is at 10 am. The classes are at 11, 12, and 1. Online registration is \$10, \$12 at the door. We are unsure of if we will still be holding it due to a very low amount of people that have registered already. Next Tuesday February 2<sup>nd</sup> is the Grotto Fundraiser at the Lake, and 20% of the bill will go to THON. February 4<sup>th</sup> is the pasta dinner on campus. Let anyone in THON know if you want a ticket, \$8 for students \$10 for everyone else.
  - i. Safety Ad Hoc- We spoke with Wanda this week and laid down things that we need to approach, which is an advisory board to discuss three main points: environmental safety, personal safety, and policy review/campus protocol. We will discuss next Friday at noon in the oriental tea room in Hayfield 108 to bring as many students as possible to discuss issues that they may have. Please attend if you can, we would really appreciate it. It also would make it linear if we had a larger turnout at the meeting. Discussing blue light's, call boxes, also meeting with Gary to discuss possible ideas we can come up with. First meeting- Maddie and I will pick up interest from attendee's if they are willing to be on the board, looking for a board to help us divide the work to get more done. Meg- important to not only get SGA members there, but bring friends, or even people you don't normally talk to. Dash- do you have a semester plan for the meetings and what will be accomplished? Donnie- our goal is to collect data right now to support future actions we are looking to make to benefit the safety on campus. Wanda- wonderful meeting between us the other day, Dash, their focus was already placed on an agenda at a SGA meeting- to discuss blue light's and safety boxes. I liked that they came up with a 3-board approach to tackle this obstacle. Please attend the meeting and bring friends to allow as many voices to be heard.
- VII. Club Reports
  - a. 4 Season's Club- Meeting next Thursday. We are holding a lottery ticket fundraiser please let us know if interested. Planning montage mountain trips for snow tubing in February, if interested meetings are Monday at noon in ARB 101.
  - b. Blue & White Society- NR
  - c. Business Club- Meeting every other Tuesday in AC 107 at 12:10
  - d. Engineering Club- NR
  - e. Fitness Club- We have submitted a proposal for SkyZone; looking at a Thursday in February. Also holding a clothing and lanyard fundraiser, go to ARB main office or anyone in the club for more details.

- f. Global Citizens Society- NR
- g. ISTSA- Inactive
- h. Lambda Sigma- Inactive
- i. Lazy Artist- Amplifiers are now all dead in the booth, but they will be getting fixed after spring break.
- j. Nit-Li Arts- Inactive
- k. PSWB Nerd Herd- Lollipop Games will be the week after Valentine's Day now.
- l. Surveying Society- NR
- m. The Revolt- NR
- n. The Students for Justice- NR
- o. PASS- NR
- p. SOAR- Flower sale for V-Day for \$5, can leave a note and we can deliver it for you. April 2<sup>nd</sup> 12-1 on Saturday, we are volunteering at St. Vincent De Paul's soup kitchen. Meetings are Monday's at 12:10 in the downstairs auditorium in the TC.

VIII. Old Business-

Two positions: Sergeant in Arms has been appointed to Marc Makosky

Vote- 15-0-0

Second: Meg Meritt joining senators

Vote- 12-0-3

CCSG is this weekend, the 29<sup>th</sup> and 30<sup>th</sup>. AS of now, it is just Dash and Mike. Please let us know if you're interested.

IX. New Business-

Drew Cohen spoke about an idea the Business Club has for a fair to get people more involved. Ever club should have a table in the commons at least once a week to get more freshman involved. It would be right for the clubs to sign up for the day and time. Jackie- if a meeting is on a Monday, they wouldn't have a table there, but maybe Tuesday or Wednesday. It wouldn't be a club fair, but would just be a way to get more word out about the clubs. It doesn't always have to be the president of the club, it can be any representative. Tables can be set up in any building/room. Drew- Is this something people are interested in? We have a problem with students coming here for classes and leaving, but what we want to do is break that barrier and enlarge the participation number on campus. It seems like there is a lot of talking about getting people involved, but not enough action. Tabling the discussion due to time.

X. Open Forum-

Donnie- Asking senators to inform as many people and be enthusiastic to bring people here. I know it's hard to get people, but just try to spread a message through the student body.

Meg- Thank you to SGA for letting me in. Second- I am noticing a lack of smoking in front of doorways, and it's a big change. Keep up the good work.

Drew- Meeting this morning with Jason from Fitness Club and Vince from Four Seasons Club, looking to hold a joint meeting Monday February 8<sup>th</sup> in ARB 102 at noon. The goal is to bring collaboration and new members into the involvement community. We are looking to recruit members to fill spots for next school year.

Jackie and Sarah are asking to go first next week for the ten minutes. Also, we are asking if everyone can please bring one friend to the meeting next week.

Meg- Some clubs are similar in goals, but Nerd Herd can't have a joint meeting because of individuality.

Drew- I am just encouraging collaboration between clubs on events and meeting times, this will help clubs split times that are somewhat related.

Eric- I can see the difference, but we have such a small population. It may be challenging to get some people to be willing to attend meetings since clubs are so specific to individual desires to be involved in particular clubs.

Kevin- Ice conditions on Monday caused me to crash on my own on campus. Wondering if there's anything we can do to get people out to ice the campus earlier, I saw someone coming to fix it after I got into my accident.

Dr. Lozano- We were told the freezing rain came too fast for anyone to take action earlier. It's challenging for them to predict the weather, therefore sometimes the parking lot may not be salted in advanced. I agree that it should be done earlier.

Kevin- I understand, it's just frustrating that it doesn't seem to be a main concern.

Mike- The safety committee can also address this issue

Dash- Can get emails forwarded to your phone, but I understand one email wouldn't have prevented that.

Alex- 1- I think this was a combination of a lot of wrong factors. 2- In the future, let's have something set to get the text's sent before 8 am. 3- The fact that we have a text system is something that should be set in stone. IT should be used, but it isn't.

Kevin- I agree about the emails and texts, it just seemed like the system wasn't organized. It was a mess, and I'm just asking for cones possibly, just something to help prevent future accidents.

Meg- The text system also has an option for them to call you.

Jackie- Just providing clarity on the treasurer, special election. Michelle and I will work very closely with the President/ Vice President. Most of the financial situations will fall on the president and vice president.

Wanda- There's a committee to focus on these issues, use them for these concerns.

Jeff- I'm not blaming anyone, but we definitely also need to use extra precaution when the roads are bad. Maintenance can't do better than Penn Dot, and they couldn't even control the roads. In that case, school should've been postponed.

XI. Adjournment-

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