



Student Government Association

Senate Minutes October 14, 2009

- I. **Call to Order**- 3:15pm
- II. **Roll Call**
- III. **Approval of Proxies**
- IV. **Approval of Minutes**
 - A. Seconded, Approved
- V. **Special Orders of Business**
 - A. Appointment of Executive Cabinet
 1. Jess Oxley appointed as Chief of Staff
 2. Rachel White appointed as Secretary of Justice
 - B. Appointment of Parliamentarian
 1. Devin Hillsdon-Smith appointed as Parliamentarian
 - C. Appointment of New Senators
 1. Kelsey Cook approved as an Off-Campus Senator
 2. Michael Ely approved as an Off-Campus Senator
 - D. Ice Breaker- 10 minutes
- VI. **Caucus Meetings**- 10 minutes
- VII. **Caucus Reports**- None
 - A. At-Large
 1. Emailing Bursar regarding seeing Cardinal Cash balance online
 - B. Off-Campus
 1. Met with Dr. Fried about off-campus event and sounds positive
 - a. Might visit Off-Campus caucus session next week
 2. Still discussing shuttle buses and new routes for year long possibility
 - C. On-Campus
 1. Update on shuttle bus issues
 2. Student safety issues with stop signs in stadium parking and crossing on Jackson Street from McKinley Avenue
 3. Working with Community and Environmental Affairs about trash bins in Noyer and recycling in the Talley
 4. Focusing on smoking areas and their perimeters
 - D. Organizational
 1. Talking to international students about issues concerning them and campus
 2. Latino AIDS Day tomorrow sponsored by Gamma Phi Omega International Sorority, Inc. and Phi Beta Sigma Fraternity, Inc. from 10am-3pm at Student Center room 301
 3. Today's Black Woman "Ladies Night" on Monday, October 19th from 7-10pm in Art Museum room 217
- VIII. **Committee Meetings**- 10 minutes
- IX. **Committee Reports**
 - A. Academic Affairs
 1. Researching other campuses about online textbook rental
 - B. Community/Environmental Affairs
 1. Option for printing dining receipts issue
 2. Overflow issues with trash cans around campus
 3. Looking into getting mass quantities of coupons for blue bag distribution
 - C. Diversity & Multicultural Affairs
 1. Looking into holding Cultural Jam in March in the Student Center Ballroom

- 2. Multicultural Mixer will be on Monday, November 2nd
 - 3. "Latino in America" Showing at Multicultural Center
 - D. Governmental Affairs & Student Awareness
 - 1. Researching city ordinances pertaining to yard signs with SGA advertisement
 - 2. Presenting idea about matching SGA polos for casual days
 - E. Student Safety
 - 1. Emailing Director of Public Safety Gene Burton about UPD experience
 - 2. Looked over minutes from past two Public Safety Committee meetings
 - F. Student Services
 - 1. How-To manual will be typed up, organized, and categorized by different committee members
 - 2. LDWL meeting after Senate
 - a. Rough draft of legislation has been drafted
 - b. Coming up with new name
 - G. Credentials Board
 - 1. 50 current Senators with 5 spots left
 - a. 3 Off-Campus seats and 2 Graduate seats
 - 2. Find proxies if sick or unavailable to prevent receiving an absence
 - 3. Remember to schedule around Senate time for classes next semester
 - H. Parliamentarian
 - 1. Cheat sheet will be distributed soon to all Senators
 - 2. Parliamentary Procedure Report
 - a. History behind Parliamentary Procedure
 - I. President Pro Tempore
 - 1. Parliamentary Procedure Lesson
 - 2. Reminder: if division is called, a hand vote will occur
 - 3. Trip to Purdue University on November 4th is in the works
 - 4. Meeting with Jon Lewis
 - a. New management update for cash registers will not print receipts unless asked but needs to hear back from Board of Accounts
 - b. Out of Bounds will be opened earlier to 7:30am
 - c. Courtside will be closed later to 8:30pm
 - d. Legislation supporting the renovation of Noyer dining hall
- X. Executive Reports**
- A. Treasurer- Nick Turner
 - 1. Attend the SGA Co-Sponsored Indian Student Association Diwali Festival this Sunday at Yuhas Hall in the International Student Office from 6:30-9:30!
 - 2. Co-Sponsorship Committee needs to meet after Senate
 - B. Secretary- Carson Lance
 - 1. "Get to Know Your SGA Senator": Joey Torres
 - a. Kendra Kimbel guessed correctly
 - 2. Blue Bag Distribution Day was a success!
 - 3. Information Technology meeting with Vice President of IT Phil Repp and UCS Director Brian Means on October 29th at 3pm
 - 4. Encourage your caucuses and committees to brainstorm ideas before Senate to make meetings more effective
 - C. Vice President- Mandy Mills
 - 1. Expect meetings to last longer due to larger Senate
 - 2. After the past week's campus safety issues, be careful, be aware of your surroundings, and let people know where you are going
 - 3. Casual dress next week!
 - D. President- Beth Cahill
 - 1. Thank you Nicole Akey for great presentations today!
 - 2. Thank you Senators for everything thus far!
 - 3. Live Chat is a great success!

4. Slate members will be attending hall councils and organizations here shortly
5. If interested in Information Technology survey group, please contact me
6. Get ready for a big Halloween event during Senate and at Beth's house!

XI. Announcements

1. LDWL Meeting after Senate
2. Student Foundation Family Weekend Cornhole Tourney on October 17th at Alumni Center
3. Spectrum "Over the Rainbow" Drag Show in Ball Gym on Saturday at 8pm
4. AXΩ & ΔTΔ Watermelon Bust on Sunday at LaFollette Field at 11am
5. Course Request opens on Monday, October 19th
6. Chase Charlie 3K Race on October 17th
7. SGA:LIVE gained 28 viewers this meeting
8. Phi Beta Sigma Fraternity, Inc. Week of Events
9. Indiana AIDS Fund
10. Dance Marathon Dinner at Chili's with 10% donated to Dance Marathon
11. LSU Meeting after Senate today

XII. Roll Call

XIII. Adjournment- 4:47pm