

**STUDENT GOVERNMENT  
EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEETING  
October 9, 2018**

**Called to Order 9:00 p.m.**

**Preliminary Items**

- a. Roll Call
- b. Approval of Minutes
- c. Gallery Introductions/Business
- d. Membership Appointment/Resignation

**Auxiliary Reports**

- a. Speaker of the Student Senate
  - i. Rules revision tomorrow at 7 p.m. in Ryle. Come with opinions or questions about the resolution we brought forth Sunday.
- b. Student Representative to the Board of Governors
- c. Faculty Advisor
- d. Staff Advisor
- e. Academic Affairs Chair
  - i. Does anyone have a hat?
  - ii. I got a fun email from the admissions office asking if any students would want to work with focus group management consultants coming to campus on the 15th.
    1. She also said that we could make a prototype of the video.
  - iii. We are also buying posters for the commencement speaker - I want the the tagline to be "Can you be-leaf" this opportunity?" I think we'll spend \$75 on the posters.
    1. The application is finished. Thoughts on our prompt?
  - iv. I have made the outline for our freshman guide.
- f. External Affairs Chair
  - i. We met an hour ago! So good I almost cried.
  - ii. Went over the liaison program, and I asked them to divvy it up, all doing 8. Will be sent by midterms.
  - iii. Tri-fold pamphlets are in their final stages. Probably not going through printing services because it is easier, so they will be black and white but cute. (Color copying, maybe?)
  - iv. Talked about tabling, so that's good.
  - v. Street clean-up - going well. We are working on it and I need Keaton (there is a forcefield to keep him from leaving campus, sorry) to go to the public works place to get waivers, plastic bags, and vests. Will need to get the waivers early for the high schoolers so their parents can sign.
    1. Instead of going to a local coffee shop, we are probably going to buy on campus because it makes it hard to get everyone their, would be hard to get reimbursed, etc.
  - vi. Voting registration - last day is tomorrow! Nov 6 is the day and we are probably going to make posters and signs with information on how to vote here.
  - vii. I emailed Glenn and he was so enthusiastic! He invited me to a meeting, but I couldn't, so I called him and he wants to meet tomorrow at the SUB. I am going to find out what he wants from us as a body, etc. (He is trying to open Kirksville's first homeless shelter. Caleb wants to meet Glenn).
  - viii. We went to the NEMO clinic and it was a BLAST!
- g. Environmental Affairs Chair
  - i. No report.
- h. Student Affairs Chair
  - i. Tomorrow I will start laying out Student Appreciation Week.
  - ii. Will talk to Rachel about Trunk or Treat.
- i. Diversity Chair
  - i. Today I set the dates for Diversity Week. March 21st-28th!
  - ii. Trying to see if we can show RGB again next semester. Maybe during the week.
  - iii. I assigned jobs to my committee.

- iv. Laura approached me about finding and recording the locations of the gender neutral bathrooms on campus, so I will be working on that.
- v. I am going to approach our new institutional compliance officer about speaking at one of our meetings.
- vi. International Education Week - get your clothes ready!
- j.** Appropriations Committee Chair
  - i. We met 2 hours ago. Very successful meeting.
  - ii. We have a meeting with Megan Schneider tomorrow to work on her application.
  - iii. Dogspy's - I asked them to revise, and prioritize.
  - iv. Working on outreach - pamphlets, etc. Talking about monthly email. Trying to spend this money.
  - v. Still looking for a student at large.
- k.** Athletic Fee Accountability Chair
- l.** Environmental Sustainability Fee Accountability Chair
- m.** Health, Wellness and Safety Chair
  - i. Met with Chad and Sgt Holzmeier:
    - 1. Walk around proposal - if I get students, we can do it. We will do a resolution.
    - 2. Emergency poles - they are really not doing much to make campus actually safer. (Warrensburg's app with a button you hold and let go when you reach your destination and enter a four digit code, reporting went up) instead of running to a pole, you run to a building. It is costing about \$14,000 to upkeep these when they are not used, and is being taken away from areas where they could be making campus safer. May be helpful to keep some poles that are far away from buildings; those have been marked. They are willing to keep those, but in general they keep an illusion of safety, but the other schools who have made this change have seen reporting skyrocket.
      - a. Leppanen - Could it be that there are no poles, so the number of instances increase, so reporting increases? Is that possible? How much does the app cost?
- n.** Sexual Assault Prevention Committee Chair
- o.** SAB Representative
- p.** FAC Representative
- q.** Public Relations Director
- r.** Legislative Director
- s.** Parking Appeals Committee Chair
- t.** Purple Friday Subcommittee Chair
  - i. We had a meeting today!
  - ii. Our budget is due next week.
  - iii. Sending out org liaison emails this week.
  - iv. I have thoughts about certain issues with an event we are putting on - Goof Off Day - yard games, coloring pages, etc. We found a giant "yard pong" - is that too promotional of drinking games? A: Ask Laura.
- u.** TEDx Conference Ad Hoc Committee Chair
  - i. I am scheduling my committee members to be in the office during times that people are not normally serving office hours.
  - ii. We are going to be distributing tickets the last week of October every day from 10 a.m. - 2 p.m. and 5-8 p.m. Thursday evening. I will explain what needs to be done with that.
  - iii. Ordered skinny posters today. Can I use the greeting cards in the office? (invitations to deans, administration, etc.)
  - iv. Looking at getting student art on stage and around the venue.
  - v. The wood is being workshopped.
- v.** Parking Ad Hoc Committee Chair
  - i. I combed through a lot of stats. It is missing faculty stats. I put a map together and it is a mess. The goal is to reevaluate the usage of the gold lots and in general what the lots look like color wise. Because I am working on data from last year and enrollment is down this year I am a little hesitant.
  - ii. Found some interesting percentages on usage of lots.

## **Executive Reports**

### **a. Treasurer**

- i. I will be spending money, probably next week on more of the tricolor funding request forms. Will put finishing touches on my handbook, make name plates and order name tags.

### **b. Secretary**

- i. No report.

### **c. President and Vice President of the Student Association**

- i. A room lottery - any event that you will be putting on in the spring, we get dibs, but we must have them planned by Monday, October 22nd. (Mental Wellness Week, Diversity Week, Academic Accolades, Earth Week, Student Appreciation Week, etc.) If it is a smaller thing, you can work on it once you get to it. I have a google doc that I will be sending out - write out date, time, event, and potential space.
- ii. Survey - we have decided to make it a Student Government survey asking them about certain things. Laura and Dr. Edwards mentioned requiring every committee to have at least one question in the survey - will be sent out Friday, October 26 with the monthly email. I need the questions NO LATER than THIS SUNDAY. If you don't need to ask a specific question, ask awareness questions.
- iii. Blurbs are due in a few weeks for the email at the end of October.
- iv. Presidential Round Table - it is not going to be this October; we will be moving it to next semester because of the amount of things that need to be done to make it happen. Hoping to put it in January or February when there is not much happening with Stu Gov. We want to use it as a benchmark of the org liaison program
- v. SAs - sent our survey to Laina and gave them two weeks to fill it out
- vi. Met with FAC and SAB presidents - talked about OAF reviews - it is next year. Last time there were things that happened. Because of many things we have come to the conclusion that it is best to sever it from student government, so that we do not have power over the audit. We are putting it under the Office of Student Affairs to keep it neutral. That was all that was decided, though. We will be having working sessions throughout this year to clean up the process.
- vii. Appropriations - the future of the committee. It is a vital committee because it plugs the holes of FAC with rolling deadlines, funding for individuals. This is invaluable to the student body. Wouldn't it be great if FAC could cover these things? Appropriations is a large part of our budget and essentially, this is not the purpose of our body as a whole. FAC is looking at creating a new process that basically covers the committee. This is not a change for this year, but just laying the groundwork for the future
- viii. Vision Doc - we are doing it this year! We will be the chairs, because we are tired of looking for chairs and it benefits from having institutional memory that we can contribute. This needs to get started ASAP to do this well. We are reaching within as well as without the body for members.
- ix. We have a meeting the Sunday after break, October 21st at 7 p.m. in the regular location, the Board of Governors room in the SUB.
- x. The picture- the ball is rolling to get the new one up! The former one will be hung in the office. (Write the year of the body and the members)
- xi. Old t-shirts - if any new members want them, you are free to wear them until we get new apparel. We will be ordering more of the same type as well to supplement.

## **Discussion**

**Look out for the Step Show this weekend and Diversity Retreat coming up!**

Adjourned 10:11 p.m.