**Student Government Association

February 24, 2016

Meeting Minutes

1. Prayer by Michael Angiolelli
2. Roll Call and Announcements

All senators are here and accounted for except Paul Carswell, Jarod Forsythe, and Hallie Williams

1. Approval of Minutes
2. Motion to approve last week’s minutes by Jessica Garcia-Ramirez, seconded by Kelsey Smith
3. Executive Officers Report

President – Cory Hughes

* Distribution of New Senator Folders
* Strategic Plan
  + Not changing old bylaws, instead revising current goals of slate
  + Creating “revised” platforms
  + Open to suggestions of student body
* Presentation by Anthony Easley on Robert’s Rules and senator conduct

Vice President – Channing Pifer

* Chose members for VolleyRock committee
  + Only received 8 applications, so they all are members
    - Michael McClain
    - Nolan Randall
    - Caity Kourakos
    - John Arcuri
    - Allison Meighen
    - Emily Lantzy
    - Mackenzie Balsalla

Secretary – Regino Flores

* There are 37 senators in attendance

Treasurer – David Jamieson

* Moo Account Expenses
  + $50.00 for coffee (Academics)
  + $15.00 for Spring Carnival (Special Events)
  + $439.47 General Office Expenses (Moo)

Open Forum

-Junior senator candidates spoke on their behalf for election

Committee Meetings

Finance – Carl Carpenter

* American Strings Teacher Association
  + Asked for $375 for trip to Florida

Academics – Anna Daniels

* Need another member for student publications board

Diversity – Jordan Sherman

* Instead of categorize, individualize
  + Post secret
    - A way to express secrets in an anonymous way instead of bottling up your secrets, showing that the issues we face and overcome define who we are
    - These post-it notes will be displayed as a mural somewhere on campus
* Tub Talks
  + Trying to get more PR
  + Potential book discussion

Special Events – Heaven Brown

* Budget money – trying to find ways to spend
  + E-mail Heaven Brown with any valuable ideas
    - Possibly something special for SGA Day?

Service- Chloe Knappenberger

* Greek Week Service Drive Donation List sent out
* Applied for $500 grant
* E-mail Chloe for SGA Philanthropy ideas
* Will be voting for Organization of the Month

Student Concerns – Chris Israel

* New junior senator seats
* Still need FAC members

Public Relations – Amelia Hartzell

* Snapchat Geofilter for SGA day and Volleyrock

1. Old Business
2. New Business
   1. Motion by Jessica Garcia Ramirez to vote for junior senator seats
      1. **Congratulations to Macaya Yao and Denver Baker as the two new junior senators!**
   2. Motion by Michael Angiolelli to allocate $250 to ASTA
      1. **Motion passed by majority of the senate**
   3. Motion by Caity Kourakos to vote for Student Orgaization of the Month
      1. **Sigma Kappa is the winner of Organization of the Month!**
   4. Motion by Michael Angiolelli to vote on new member of Student Publications Board
      1. Candidates: Marissa Miller and Kelsey Smith
      2. **Kelsey Smith is a new member on the Student Publications Board**
3. Open Floor
   1. Have a fun and safe spring break!
   2. Questions about renovation of buildings on campus
   3. If you have applied for Fresh Start but have not scheduled an interview, please do so!
   4. Varsity golf team is building a new golf facility under Eichenaur Hall due to a generous donation
   5. If you are interested in running the student takeover account on Twitter, apply on my.westminster under the community tab
4. Adjournment
5. Motion to adjourn by Shane Wilson, seconded by Nolan Randall