

College of Southern Idaho

ASCSI Student Senate Meeting

December 1, 2008

Presiding – President Yesica Flores

Conducting (Chair) – Vice President Monreal

~ Call to Order/Attendance

~ Guests: Pete Coulson

~ Approval of Senate Meeting Minutes of November 24th (Postponed to December 8, 2008)

Old Business

1~ Community Service Event – Senator Lawson

*Singing at the Sun ridge Retirement home. Senators will meet at 6:30 tonight to leave to the retirement home at 7. Afterwards dinner will be served at S. Lawson's house for the senators. There will be a gift exchange not to exceed \$5.

2~ Secretary Applications – Secretary Romero

*Applications are out for the Secretary position in the Student Activities office. Also, each senator must make one poster to advertise the position and hang it in your building.

New Business

3~ Chi Alpha – Advisor Stanley

*The Book drop at CSI will be set during book buy back week. The intentions will be for the Children's Literacy Program in Africa. However, books that do have a resale value will be sold and proceeds will go to the Chi Alpha. Books that do not have a resale value will be donated to the program. There will be a paper on the boxes informing the students of CSI exactly where the books are going. There was an issue with the program a while ago regarding the books. The program was actually reselling the books without our knowledge. The problem is now fixed and they will be monitored. There will be a potential grant from senate to Chi Alpha in the amount of 1500. The grant applies to the new Bill that Senate will match up any club with the amount raised not exceeding 1500. Chi Alpha has done much to fundraise and qualify for the grant. The reason for the grant is a conference in Cincinnati, Ohio that occurs every four years.

*Motion was made to award Chi Alpha with the grant as long as they followed the same procedure of applying for the grant like all the other clubs.

4~ Senator of the Month – Treasurer Watland

*ARNA!!!! She is well deserving of the award and has worked very hard this past month with the Cell Phones for Soldiers! She also was responsible and took control of things when her partner S. Haggan was absent.

5~ Committee Reports-

~ Advertising

~ **Ambassadors**

*We met with the Ambassadors, they are doing many tours and they have many more coming up. On December 2nd they have Eastern Idaho day, December 3rd is Northern Nevada day, and December 5th is Treasure Valley day, on these days students from those places come to CSI and spend all day here, they get a tour of CSI and they get information that they need about college. The Ambassadors are also helping at the kitchen soup on December 3rd. They are also doing the feel good Friday this Friday and they are serving pies. The Ambassadors are doing presentations about different programs that we have at CSI during their meetings and it's just to inform themselves better so that they can be giving the prospect students the right information about CSI. They are also having a Christmas party in December. Rosa and I already started our advertising project, we made a list of the CSI events for the week and put them on the napkin holders in the cafeteria, and downstairs in the sub. We will be doing that every week until the end of this semester. That's everything we have for now. Thanks :)

~ Interclub

~ **Campus Recreation**

*Quick corrections to the last campus recreation committee report for November 24th. The volleyball tournament is \$120 a team it's on the 13th. All of the proceeds go to win big, lose big challenge." Winning package prize is \$780

~ **Outreach Centers**

~ Program Board

~ Public Relations

~ **Diversity Council**

*Since we had Thanksgiving holiday last week we were not able to meet with the executive committee on Wednesday. In fact, we don't know what is coming up for this month of December.

~ Treasurer

~ Eagle Hall Council

Vice President Report – Vice President Monreal

*Senators need to put the calendars up. The Toilet paper needs to be out tomorrow. Thank you to all the senators that helped out and participated for Kitchen Soup. Thank you to S. Lopez and President Flores for the Christmas hats. Thank you to S. Lawson for welcoming us to his home for a Christmas party

President Report – President Flores

*There will be a community service meeting this Thursday at 4pm. The last three weeks are coming up STAY FOCUSED and FINISH STRONG!!!

Advisor Report – Dean Graydon Stanley / Jasmine Lopez

*Thank you to all the students and senators who were involved and helped out with the World AIDS Day. Thank you to S. Lawson for inviting us to his home and for the dinner. Also thank you for the pictures. Take care of your classes and grades a reminder to all of you is that in order to receive the scholarship you must maintain a GPA of 2.5 and have completed 12 or more credits.

Announcements

*Next Monday is our last meeting! Dec 9th is the Legislative Dinner from 5:30-8:30 and 6 helpers are signed up to help

Adjournment at 4:47pm