

College of Southern Idaho

ASCI Student Senate Meeting

March 23, 2009

Presiding – President Yesica Flores

Conducting (Chair) – Vice President Monreal

~ Call to Order: **3:00pm**

~**Attendance:** Senator Rono, Senator Ramirez, Senator Dominguez were absent and excused

~ **Guests:** Beth Ruhter: The sixth graders are coming this week to tour CSI. Ambassadors are heading the event up, but are still shorthanded. If anyone is available to help, there will be a sign-up sheet in the office.

~ Approval of Senate Meeting Minutes of March 9, 2009 **approved with corrections**

Old Business

1 ~ Senate Elections – President Flores

Congratulations to everyone who made it. There were a few poster violations, the motion passed to charge \$10 per poster violation. For the 9th position between Leano Zephir and Tyler Barton there was a tie. Runoff elections will be Wednesday and Thursday.

2~ Relay for Life – Secretary Haggan

This week Senate will be selling the papers that are shaped as stars and moons in the matrix. If you are available to help, there's a sign-up sheet in the office. Monday morning a few senators went to the administration office to challenge them to a "spin off" to raise money. That went very well and Treasurer Watland impressed us all with his amazing dance moves. Friday will be the day of the competition. If you are free to spin, please join us downstairs!

3 ~ Coffee Shop – Advisor Stanley

The floor and walls have been painted and \$5,500 worth of furniture will be coming in this week! Things are moving right along. Chai Alpha will be getting a coffee table and taking care of things on that aspect. Coffee will be sold from 5pm-10 pm starting out.

4~ Change for Children – Treasurer Watland

Glanbia sponsored \$600. The talent is looking great and diverse. We have everything from break dancers and belly dancers, to a drum line and vocalists. Make sure you're advertising. The posters have been made and look great! You can check them out in Treasurer Watland's office. Let's make this as big as possible!

5~ SUU Dance Team – Advisor Stanley

Come support the dancers. Showtime is at 7:30pm. It's free for CSI Students. If you are hosting a few dancers, there is dinner from 5:30pm-6:30pm in the cafeteria. They will be coming Saturday and leaving Sunday morning at around 10am.

New Business

6 ~ Teaching Excellence Awards – Advisor Stanley

Start thinking and asking around for nominations for the Academic and Technical teachers of the year. Do your research so that we recognize all of the amazing teachers for their hard work and patience with us this year.

7~ End of the Year Banquet– Vice President Monreal

May 1st will be our potluck. Make sure you get it off from work. Sign-up sheets for food will be in the office. Talk to Vice President Monreal if you have any questions.

~ **Advertising**-“All of last week I tried to get through with the Toilet Paper, but I got caught up with campaigning and some school work that I had to finish. I apologize for having it so late. I was able to get a hold of Gabe Kleinkopf and he was nice enough to give some very helpful information, for this reason the Toilet Paper must be modified and will be printed Monday after the meeting. Please make sure to grab your copies no later than Tuesday and put it up in your assigned building.” ~Senator Baltazar
Advisor Stanley, don't forget to contact the Fine Arts custodians about keeping the Toilet Paper up in the bathrooms.

~ **Ambassadors** – Rosa and I met with the ambassadors this week, yesterday march 10th they gave many tours for the Multicultural day, there were many high school students around campus. They have the “I'm going to college” event coming up pretty soon and there will be many 6th graders coming to CSI. This month the ambassadors are doing their community event which will be walking dogs like we mentioned before. The date for that is March 28th and April 4th from 11:00 am- 1:00 pm. For their social event they are going roller blading on March 27th.

~ **Interclub**- “March 10th Interclub met at 1:00 pm. We discussed the Sustainability Contest and the Easter Egg Hunt. The Easter Egg Hunt is planned for April 10, 2009 and we are getting numbers for the clubs participating and we are also shopping for plastic Easter eggs as well. For Club announcements, PE Club has Challenge Day set up for April 18. It will be a series of 10-20 challenges for teams of 5. It's \$50 a team to enter (\$10 for each person) and all the team members on a the winning team will get iPod Nano's. US Club is hosting comedian Keith Juan April 6 at 7:00pm. It's \$15 for nonstudents and free for students. Program Board Sponsored a Spring Break Party this Friday from 11-2 and supplied scrumptious food. Program Board will also be taking another group of students to a Utah Jazz game April 11, and the tickets will go on sale Tuesday March 23, 2009. “ ~Senator Lawson

~ **Campus Recreation**- The equipment sale was a huge success! The Recreation Center made over \$15,000! They got rid of a lot of things they weren't using which created a lot more room and added more money to their account. Also, if you are using the facility, make sure to check in before. This helps keep track of how many students are using the recreation center.

~ **Outreach Centers**- “Tuesday- we went to the mall to hand out the information to the businesses for Change for Children. we got good promising results from the Dillard's, The Buckle, and the administrative office.
at 5:00pm we went to Program Board to ask for funding for the study break Pizza party for Hailey and the barbecue for next Thursday in Burley. Thursday- we took with us seven candidates who rode with us to campaign for sophomore senator positions. we interacted with over 60 students! So far we have received 2 applications for the Delegates of Outreach Center!” ~Senator Jam

~ **Program Board**-The movie night, featuring: Slum Dog Millionaire, was a huge success! Tuesday at 8am Jazz Tickets will be available to reserve. It's \$10 to reserve a spot. Your money will be refunded when you board the bus April 11th. April 3rd/4th is the 24 hours of fitness. Program Board will be helping with that as well as April 7th's Cold Butts and Root Beer.

~ **Public Relations**- “This week, we had senate elections. I helped out during the election times. And we talked to Doug about the Radio stations. He did not need us to come out this week. So he sent us a text telling us to enjoy our spring break and we would get in touch after we came back.” Senator Ramirez

~ **Diversity Council**- Rhythm of Life was a huge success! We packed the small theatre room. International Women's day was also a huge success. The women loved the flowers and appreciation! We will be helping Interclub with the Easter Egg Hunt April 10th.

~ **Treasurer**- the budget will be updated by Friday. \$1500 was taken out of the Club Savings account to replenish PTK's account for an unexpected flashlight fee from 6 years ago. This does not come out of senate funds, but the club's extra funds.

~ **Eagle Hall Council**- there is no new information

Vice President Report – Vice President Monreal

Make sure that you guys are showing up on time for the meetings. Also, make sure that you get May 1st off for the End of the Year Potluck.

President Report – President Flores

Congratulations to all of the returning Senators.

Thank you everyone who came this morning to present the challenge to administration.

Thank you Advisor Stanley for helping with flags.

Make sure that if you sign-up to help with an event, that you show up. We count on you to be there.

Congratulations Daniel for making Rad Tech. We are very proud of you.

Congratulations Diversity Council for a great turnout for Rhythm of Life. A round of applause to Secretary Haggan for all her hard work.

Advisor Report – Dean Graydon Stanley

Board meeting tonight from 5:30-6:30. Vice President Monreal, and President-elect Haggan will be attending.

Everyone looks great today for the meeting!

Congratulations on the voting turnout! It's the 2nd highest voting number in all the senate years.

Those who didn't make Senate, make sure to run for Secretary and Treasurer.

There will be a grade check soon. Make sure you're finishing strong.

Make sure to show up to the Ballroom Dance. Tickets are available in the Student Activities office.

The Challenge Course and Recreation Coordinator position is available.

Happy Birthday Jordan Stanley!

Adjournment: **4:18pm**