

College of Southern Idaho

ASCI Student Senate Meeting

April 20, 2009

Presiding – President Yesica Flores

Conducting (Chair) – Vice President Monreal

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

~ **Attendance:** Senator Rono, Senator Ramirez, and Senator Felix are absent and excused

~ **Guests:** Alejandra Espinoza

May 2nd Latinos Unidos is having a Cinco De Mayo Party. They are inviting the Outreach Centers. It is for the Community and the Students. Advertising has started with the radio and TV. in English and Spanish. Tickets and posters are being sent to the printer today at 5pm. Dinner is being catered by La Fiesta, Axtlan Mexican Restaurant, and El Casador. They are charging students \$4 and there is a family pass for \$20. Program Board has sponsored \$2,000 for the event and \$500 for student tickets. Diversity Council has sponsored \$1,500. They are asking for \$1,500. The total needed for the event is \$5,530.

~ Approval of Senate Meeting Minutes of April 13, 2009

Moved to approve by Senator Lawson, seconded by Senator Munguia- **unanimously passed**

Old Business

1~ Special Events Funding –Treasurer Watland

Motion passed by Senator Haggan to deny funds to Latinos Unidos and was seconded by Senator Jam. It was passed by majority vote.

2~ Change for Children – President Flores

Excellent job during Change for Children. Everyone sacrificed a lot. It's really cool having it as an annual event. It will show the Community how much we are involved and how much we care. It's not about numbers but our motive. Special thanks to Senator Conrad and Treasurer Watland for helping Vice President Monreal backstage. An extra special thanks to Treasurer Watland for being the driving force behind Change for Children.

3 ~ Social Event – Secretary Haggan

The Social Event has been changed. Last week didn't work out for the majority of the Senators. Friday is the Neon Party here on Campus. That will be our social event. We will all go out to ice cream at Cold Stone at 8:30pm before and then go to the Neon/Blacklight Party afterwards.

4~ End of the Year Banquet – Vice President Monreal

Our End of Year Banquet will be May 1st from 4pm-8pm at the Blue lakes Country Club. It will still be a pot luck. If you signed up to bring something, make sure that you bring it! If you need a ride, there is a sign-up sheet for rides. Dress appropriately. There's swimming and different things like that.

5~ Student Planner – Advisor Stanley

Advisor Stanley suggested that we move to an electronic formatted schedule. There is an ability to color code events. Edit Szanto suggested that if we don't pay for the student planner, if we could fund the first year advisor handbooks. Many students use theirs and are willing to pay for them. The cost is around \$3.50 apiece. Having a survey would be beneficial before getting rid of the idea all together. After the survey we will go further.

New Business

6~ Committee Reports-

~ **Advertising:** The toilet paper is finished except we're waiting on Senator Ramirez's section. It will be finished tomorrow. This week we will be working on the Calendar.

~ **Ambassadors:** The last 2 meetings were cancelled. They took pictures last week.

~ **Interclub:** There was a meeting last week. Senator Lawson talked about the Easter Egg Hunt. The Barbeque Next Tuesday from 12-2. The Toilet Paper is still being ripped down in the Fine Arts. There are a lot of new events going on such as

PE Club- April 16 there will be an Outdoor Challenge. It will start at 10 am and go until 2pm. Everyone is welcome to participate, it is open for teams of 3 with a registration fee of \$30, there will be 9 events and it will be a competition. Flyers are available. No one has signed up! So sign up!!!!

Chi Alpha will be doing the 30 hour Famine on May 1, 2 for WorldVision and they will have Bingo in the SUB on May 2nd around noon.

Alliance Club is doing a raffle Fundraiser

The Coffee Shop is now open downstairs. One of the ideas behind the Coffee Shop is to let individual clubs work the Shop to raise money for their club. It is also a perfect place for clubs to go and meet as well!

ISNA is helping with the March of Dimes on May 2nd.

Program Board is putting on a sweet Neon party April 24, 2009 from 9pm-1am. There are also tickets available for the Soccer Game in Utah

·Latinos Unidos is putting on a rock'n "Cinco De Mayo" party on May 2nd. First 150 students are free! Fun and Games!!!

~ **Campus Recreation:** The blood drive was on the 15th. There were 3 indoor ropes courses. Chamber of Commerce a local church and students. Smash out Cancer (tennis tournament) is still going on. Contact Senator Munguia for more information. There is a professional soccer game going on, so get your tickets in the Student Activities office.

~ **Outreach Centers:** this week was good. Lacey and i finished collecting our donations from the Buckle, Macys, and the bowling place. On Tuesday, we asked Program Board for \$250.00 for the Mexican party that we wanted to host for the students at Burley. I'm still not sure about the results from Program board. we also are getting ready for our Barbeque next Thursday in Burley. We are hoping everything goes well. Lacey and i were also looking on making a bowling night for the out-of-campus students, but as for now, we are still planning on that. That's it for now

~ **Program Board:** The movie Taken was a huge hit! They are working on banning purses and bags to lower the drinking. Friday is the Neon Party from 9pm-1pm.

~ **Public Relations:** We did not have the opportunity to promote "Change for Children" on our Thursday visit because they were booked. But we did go on Friday to KEZJ and locally owned at noon to talk about that was that weekend, as well as Children's day which was today from 11-1pm, and the lecture series "Deep Survival" with Lorenzo Gonzalez. We also met with Doug at the beginning of the week and we were assigned with a project. (Looking for possible models for CSI advertising and such)

~ **Diversity Council:** We are watching a move for our end of the year party on Thursday at 7pm.

~ **Treasurer:** There is no financial update. We have \$3, 250 in Special Events Funding.

~ **Eagle Hall Council:** There is nothing new at Eagle Hall.

Vice President Report – Vice President Monreal

Thanks again for everyone who helped with change for Children. Another special thanks to Treasurer Watland and Senator Conrad for all of your help.

President Report – President Flores

Plaques are coming in. Make sure that the picture shown is the one you want. Talk to President Flores if it is not the most current one.

Happy Birthday Senator Haggan and Senator Rono.

Make sure to finish strong during the school year.

Great debate during special events funding.

Advisor Report – Dean Graydon Stanley

The weather is beautiful and Advisor Stanley was able to take his motorcycle out!

Make sure that your calendars are updated.

Congratulations on everyone look. Everyone looks very professional.

Tomorrow from 9am-10am we are having about 75 Jerome High school seniors out to CSI. If you are available to help show them around, please meet Advisor Stanley in room 277 tomorrow morning.

Thank you Senator Baltazar for doing such an excellent job on the Toilet Paper.

Thank you Senator Munguia for doing such a great job with the Recreation Center.

We are still not through the semester and the weather is getting warm, make sure to keep your academics first! It's important to stay focused.

Announcements: Senator Conrad, Senator Ramirez, Senator Zephir, Senator Lopez, and Senator Baltazar will not be able to attend the social event.

Adjournment: **4:17**