

College of Southern Idaho

ASCSI Student Senate Meeting

August 24, 2009

Presiding – President Lacey Haggan

Conducting (Chair) – Vice President Blake Lawson

~ Call to Order: **3:02pm**

~**Attendance:** Absent and Excused- Senator Lopez, Senator Kutambula, Senator Nakaha

~ Guests: Student interested in becoming a part of Senate

~ Approval of Senate Meeting Minutes August 7, 2009

Passed on motion by Senator Barton

Old Business

~ Contact Info

A sheet was passed around to update your contact information. Secretary Haggan needs your eaglemail address as well as a valid contact number. This is needed ASAP!

~ Week of Welcome (Sign ups)

Please sign up for as many activities as you can to help out with WOW Week. President Haggan or Senator Felix can assist you with that.

~ Calendar

It is very important that your calendars are finished! If they are not finished, get on it.

~ Senate Retreat September 18-20

You have notice of the dates of our retreat. Please schedule these dates off of work. It will be a lot of fun! Diversity Council, Ambassadors, and Program Board will be attending with us, so it will be a blast! We will have group sessions as well as meeting just as Senators.

~ September Community Service Project Paint A House September 12

The date has been set for this project, so schedule the Saturday of the 12th off.

New Business

~ Arts on Tour Budget

This is a great opportunity to experience diversity. For the past while Arts on Tour has offered students discounted tickets. However, this has dropped their revenue drastically losing \$6,000. It is their request that we somehow cover the lost cost. A recommendation is that they only allot a certain number of tickets available at discount to students and to have Program Board fund the remaining balance. This will be proposed to Program Board and reported back to Senate at a later date.

Moved into Executive Session on motion by Senator Umarova: **3:15pm**

Called back to order: **3:25pm**

~ Senator Appeal

Senator Kutambula, due to not maintaining the Senate qualifications was suspended from his position as a Sophomore Senator unanimously on motion by Senator Felix.

~ Freshmen Elections

Every Senator must make a minimum of 2 posters for their building advertising Freshman Elections. Advertise huge and have them finished and hung up by Wednesday! Secretary Haggan will have an example posted on the whiteboard.

~Committee Assignments/Committee Reports & Requirements

~ Advertising

It's going to be a busy week so let's keep up the good work! The calendar in the aspen building is updated. Let's continue working hard.

~ Interclub

This week we are working on our board to advertise to clubs about our meetings and upcoming events.

~ Outreach Centers

Hailey-Mini Cassia Center

*The pizza party scheduled for the 24th was cancelled. Our delegate Rigby and I decided upon buying treats for the students instead. This will be prior to the BBQ for Blaine County.

*Our delegate Kali and the Advisor Jenny want to hand out candy for the students due to a lack of time in their hectic schedules and lack of student help.

*In the near future Kali and I are working on offering the students an activity card which would give these students the opportunity to participate in discounts and activities taking place in their counties.

Gooding Campus

*Elaine and I purchased sharpies as a Welcome gift from ASCSI Student Senate.

~ Program Board

We are focusing on Welcome Week. If you have signed up for an activity please be there! We are the ones that are in charge. Hand out fliers and attend events if you have no prior engagement. It is vital that senators take action in making this week successful!

~ Public Relations

I've talked with Doug and he is sending me radio information through email and we will be getting together this week on our own time to go.

~ Diversity Council

Last week we had our orientation for international students. We also had a welcome dinner Saturday for international students. This week we plan on setting up a booth during the business and club fair. We met with our advisor and talked about diversity meeting hours.

~ Eagle Hall Council

Saturday August 21st we had a movie and popcorn party at 10pm in the activity center, watching Fifth Element, and Sunday August 22nd from 4pm-6pm we had a monster boxing and giant slide available for the residents to play on and followed the activity with a free dinner.

~Sustainability

Last week the professors section of the sustainability met and discussed what they wanted to do this year, and also how they want to progress from last year.

This week I plan on getting the ground work for the sustainability council constitution and the bylaws. I also plan on getting everything figured out for bike week which will probably be the last week of September.

~ Treasurer

	Revenue	Used
Ambassadors		\$300
Community Service		\$200
Interclub		\$630
Outdoor Program	\$1,765	\$9,816
Program Board	\$605	\$245
Senate	\$300	\$9,693
Recreation Center	\$6,055	\$9,693

Vice President Report – Vice President Lawson

Make sure you get a lot of sleep and eat breakfast. It's a busy and fun week! Make sure to show up for all of the activities that you can! It's an opportunity not a hassle. We appreciate all of your hard work and we'll see you tonight at Bowladrome!

President Report – President Haggan

- Thank you for helping with WOW Week videos. We would like to do it for every even now! Make sure to announce everything! We have to! Go early to class and make announcements! There are directions to bowladrome are printed, be sure to hand those out. Make sure that people know that it's free and fun. Make sure that you guys are excited. Show up and invite your friends.
- Outreach Centers is my baby so please schedule the date for the BBQ off to help.
- Tonight, dress fun and make sure to wear your name tags so people know who you are!

Advisor Report – Dean Graydon Stanley

- Drink coffee to stay awake and welcome back! It's a renewing time of the year.
- The t-shirts are fabulous! Congratulations Senator Felix for coming up with the idea.
- Your scholarships are now available. Your first check will be 50% of the total and then you will receive 25% at midterm and the final 25% after that. Accept it through mycsi and then money matters. If it's not there or you have any questions, contact me or Jasmine.
- Make sure you are attending your class. You are a student first so do well.
- Thank you for your efforts this week. The videos are great! We are working on getting them on CSI's home page.
- The retreat is September 18th-20th at Camp Sawtooth. Diversity Council, Program Board, and Ambassadors will be there. There will be around 100-120 students!
- Have your office hour's ready by our next meeting. Try to have them scattered throughout the week. You need a total of 4.
- If you do not have a Senate key, you may pick them up with Jasmine.
- Make announcements in your class to get your teachers used to letting you speaking and giving students the opportunity to recognize you as a go to leader on campus.
- Anyone who can attend the BBQ, please do. We will be leaving at 3pm.
- Pay attention during the Treasurer report to make sure the students money is being spent wisely.

Announcements

- Read the minutes as a reminder of your to do list for the week
- There are a few really nice WOW Week posters. Senator Linda Jam please take one to hang up in the dorms.

Adjournment

Passed unanimously on motion by Senator Barton- **3:57pm**