

**October 25, 2010**

Presiding Chair: President Sheree Haggan

Conducting Chair: Vice President Jim Butler

- Call To Order: 3:14 PM
- Attendance: Senator Aidar Absent and Excused, Senator Taylor Absent and Excused, Senator Choate Absent and Excused, Senator Coakley Absent and Excused
- Guests:
  - Dr. Ken Campbell: There is a change in the student technology fees policy and funding.
  - Shawn Willsey and Sarah Harris: We submitted a proposal for special events funding for the new BIOL 275/GEOL 275 class this Spring Semester to explore the Geology and Ecology of the Dinosaur National Monument. This trip helps expand students personal travel experiences.
  - Tom Koerner: Senate thanked Tom for all of his help during the September Leadership Retreat.
- Correspondence
  - Senate received a card from the Former President Haggan.
- Agenda Approval: Passed
- Minutes Approval: Passed

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**Committee Reports**

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- Advertising
  - We worked on the calendar and the Toilet Paper; we want to be done with the Toilet Paper by next Tuesday.
- Ambassadors
  - No Report
- Athletic Connection
  - Last week we set up a booth on Thursday and Saturday to sell tickets for the basketball game. The game will be this week at Jerome high school at 7:00 PM. The cost is \$3. We also did a video shoot for the basketball boys. There was a Scream Team meeting on Friday at 4:00 PM.
- Campus Recreation
  - This week's admittance was 952 people which will almost get us caught up with last year's attendance for the month. We currently have 1,629 members.

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- The Rec-Center will be getting some new equipment by next Friday. We will be getting 2 new treadmills, an octane pro elliptical (which is the 3<sup>rd</sup> most used piece of equipment in the gym,) a functional trainer, and from the biggest looser campus we will be getting a trident swimmer, and a Jacobs ladder. This is pretty exciting because no other facility in Twin Falls has either of these pieces of equipment.
- Also the Game Bikes and DVR are going to be recycled because they are no longer really being utilized, and the flat screen televisions that are downstairs are going to be mounted upstairs.
- In January the Rec-Center is going “greener” and going to eliminate the cloth workout towels. They are doing about eight loads of laundry a day now, and without having to do laundry and roll the towels the employees will have more time to clean and sanitize the building and equipment. Also the towels disappear at a rapid rate, as people take them home and throw them away. Scott bought 700 new towels in August and there were 200 left over from previously, and now we are down to 150. So we will start using disposable paper towels instead.
- Scott met with Program Board about the monthly movie date nights in the gym and Program Board was enthusiastic about doing that. The plan is to have the movie night in the gym instead of the theater and have it free for students and five dollars for non students. The Triathlon Club would sell concessions as a fundraiser for the club. We still do not have dates but are planning on doing about four of them.
- The upcoming event this month is the Great Pumpkin Race by the Physical Education Club that will be at the CSI softball field parking lot, with registration starting at 9:00 AM.
- A one mile youth challenge will be at 11:15 AM, after that a free chili feed hosted by the culinary arts department for all of the race participants. After that will be a costume contest and the Halloween Carnival.
- Community Service
  - Dave Pelzer was a great investment! We're glad we sponsored it. We'll be reviewing and selecting applications on Wednesday, they were due on Friday, the 22<sup>nd</sup>. Our next big project is going to be World AIDS Day, held December 1<sup>st</sup>. Community Service Council would really like a place on the CSI website. They'd like a place to have their applications, current events, community service ideas,

to the public.

- Diversity Council
  - No Report
- Eagle Hall
  - No Report
- Interclub
  - No Report
- Off Campus Centers
  - We will be taking donuts to the Gooding campus on Monday, November 1st after our meeting.
- Program Board
  - Upcoming Weekly Events: Wednesday 10/27 Movie Night; Friday 10/29 Feel Good Friday. Friday 10/29 is the CSI Halloween Dance from 9:00 PM-1:00 AM in the S.U.B. All students must have their students ID cards to get in the dance. Program Board will also be doing a booth at the Halloween Carnival on Saturday 10/30. Comedian Heath Harmison will be coming to CSI Wednesday 11/3; the event is free to CSI students with their ID card.
- Public Relations
  - This week we visited the radio stations and announced the Optimist club haunted house, the Sean Carey Memorial College Prep Cheerleading Clinic, John Stowell, the jazz guitarist, and the Michael Jackson "Thriller" dance. Mary was able to update the homepage and I was able to send out mass emails. Next week we plan on having the same schedule and doing the same work. (I will also announce upcoming events)
- Sustainability
  - This last week we had our meeting on Friday. I also got a call from Judy Thom, and we are going to discuss our conference that is taking place in California. We are still planning the HSHS Ceremony.
- Treasurer's Report
  - I will be updating the budget every two weeks, so we can see what is happening.

### Old Business

- Optimist Club & Senate Community Service:

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- Those of you who are available on Wednesday at 3:00 PM, we need help finishing the haunted house. This is our last day to do any finishing touches.
- Also, those of you who are available at 2:00 PM, please assist Vice President Butler with raking leaves at CSI to bring over to the haunted house.
- Toilet Paper Drive:
  - All of the Senators will be announcing the Toilet Paper Drive to different clubs on campus.
- TLC:
  - The transfer leadership conference is something that CSI participates in every year. It is a good experience to learn leadership skills and to gain knowledge about Utah State University. The conference is on November 6, 2010.

### **New Business**

- Dr. Ken Campbell (Tech Budget):
  - Senator Carlisle made a motion to approve the new Tech Budget, and the motion was approved.
- Dinosaur National Monument Grant:
  - Senator A. Ramirez made a motion to approve the Dinosaur National Monument Grant.
- Horticulture:
  - We had a young man express a concern to us about the administration of the Corn Maze and the dates Program Board chose to reserve the Corn Maze for the students. He expressed his concerns in a letter. We will resolve this through the Executive Council and advisors.
- Halloween Carnival:
  - Senator Anderberg and Senator Ochoa came up with some ideas for the Halloween Carnival Senate Booth.
- PTK:
  - There will be a 'meet the candidates' event on Tuesday, and we will be having six candidates come in to introduce themselves. PTK asked for funds, and a motion was made to table the funds until next week.

### **Executive Reports**

- Vice President's Report:
  - Thank you for all of your help with the haunted house. I would also like to thank you for being so professional in our meeting today.
- President's Report:

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- Make sure to be a student first at all times, especially around this time when the semester is getting harder. If you need help you can always come to and of us on Executive Council at. Don't wait until it is too late to catch up in your classes if you have fallen behind.
- Advisor's Report:
  - I want to recognize Senator Hernandez, Senator Tapia, and Senator Anderberg for meeting with me to develop a policy for the Ropes Course.
  - The Harlem Basketball game is this weekend.
  - Thank you for being so focused when we had guests in here, and for asking such valid questions.
  - Grade Reports are due as soon as possible.
  - Thank you to President Haggan and Angie for your hard work on the lamp-post banners.
  - Program Board will be providing guest passes for the dance this Friday. Those who are interested need to come to the Student Activities Office.
  - The Alert Board will be presenting a report to you next week.
  - Bob Hall will be here on Tuesday. The topic for the lecture is nonviolent sexuality. There is a private meeting tomorrow at 3:00 PM.
  - We will be sponsoring a bus for Amanda Young's Service in Boise at 11:00 AM.

**Adjourned** on motion by **Senator Gonzalez** at **5:38 PM**