Student Government Association Senate Meeting
Tuesday August 26, 2014

In Attendance: Allie Repnyek, LaRonn Brown, Sammi Lipp, Amanda Jayasinghe, Meena Gella, Katie Byers, Josh Laughery, JR Lynch, Rob Pokora, Pat Dittmar

Dittmar motions to approve agenda, Laughery seconds. Motion passes.

Officer Reports:

SGA President Allison:
• n/a

Senate President LaRonn:
• No longer require wearing polo to meeting, but must wear them to the events

Speaker of the House Meena:
• First House meeting next Sunday at 12.
• Thinking about changing the time to another day during the week so that commuters can attend

Senate Vice-President Amanda:
• n/a

Senate Treasurer Josh:
• n/a

Senate Secretary Katie:
• n/a

SGA Advisor Al:
• n/a

Old Business:

- SGA Summer Retreat Review
  1. Discussing taking away funding for school trips
     • Continue discussion for a few weeks
     • Must eliminate the loophole before the first Budget Extravaganza
     • Dean Fogle coming next week to discuss the history of the topic and to give his input
  2. Funding Promotional Items
- Should we fund promotional items (i.e. pens), or should they?
- Talked about giving them a set dollar amount
- Think about what amount we should give them
  - $100 was suggested
  - Look online at websites to see how much the items actually cost

3. Funding of Intramurals
- No new information; they must come in and talk to us

4. Funding of Campus-Wide App “Ooh La La”
- App with schedules, campus tours, and more helpful information about the campus
- Probably not going to focus on it right now

Business:

- Senate Recruitment
  - Start thinking of new ideas because the flyers didn’t work too well last year
  - Some people are a little intimidated by the “strictness” of the club and all the rules
- Committee Chair Nominations (all nominations due Monday by 1:00)
  - PR Chair: mediator and communicating body between the University and community; creates flyers, surveys, and runs the newspaper
    - Patrick nominated
  - Commuter Relations: Run programs and events for commuters (commuter BBQ, Chick-Fil-A, mugs, etc.)
  - CFAD: focuses on improvements around campus, holds meetings with Chartwells to discuss improvement opportunities, brings student concerns to campus
    - Rob nominated
  - CSCI: plans campus spirit events, such as the Charity Basketball Game, and also creates spirit shirts and sells them at basketball games
    - Nominations open
  - Parliamentarian: JR and Sammi are nominated
- SGA Game Show
  - Sammi will be the assistant
  - Be there by 9pm in the Chapel
  - Don’t forget your polo!
  - Required event for Senators
  - Talk to Al, LaRonn, or Allie if you cannot make it
- JDRF Walk
  - SGA wants to participate as a team this year
- Goals for Semester
  - Think of ideas
  - Last year’s goal was to put in place the bench outside that’s next to Chambers
• Expectations
  o Will discuss during next meeting

Upcoming Events and Dates:
• SGA Game Show Thursday, August 28th
• Activities Fair Thursday, September 4th
• JRDF Walk Saturday, September 27th
• Homecoming Week Monday, September 29th to Sunday, October 5th

SAB Minutes
• Outside movie tonight: “Neighbors”
  o S’mores and hot dogs
  o Beside Chambers at 9:30 pm
• Comedy magician at 9:30 pm on Wednesday the 28th

Good of the Association
• SAB nominated SGA for the ALS ice bucket challenge
• We discussed doing it during the activities fair to get our name out and spread awareness

Adjournment
Laughery motions to adjourn meeting, Dittmar seconds. Meeting adjourned.
Student Government Association Senate Meeting
Tuesday, September 2, 2014

In Attendance:
JR Lynch, Patrick Dittmar, Katie Byers, LaRonn Brown, Sammi Lipp, Allie Repnyek, Josh Laughery, Amanda Jayasinghe, Rob Pokora, Meena Gella

Laughery motions to approve agenda, Ditmar seconds. Motion passes. Lipp motions to approve minutes, Pokora seconds. Motion passes.

Officer Reports:

SGA President Allison:
• We will be making a memorial for Dean Fogle (his brother passed away)
• Ice bucket challenge at 11:30

Senate President LaRonn:
• n/a

Speaker of the House Meena:
• First House meeting is 12 pm this Sunday (September 7th)

Senate Vice-President Amanda:
• n/a

Parliamentarian Sammi:
• There will be folders for each committee in the SGA office to make things more organized

Senate Treasurer Josh:
• n/a

Senate Secretary Katie:
• office hours start this week
• must complete two office hours by 4 pm on Friday

SGA Advisor Al:
• Pitt-Plus card template
• Activities fair reminder
  o Thursday 11 am – 2 pm
Business:

- **Expectations:**
  - LaRonn expects everyone to put in their insight with each topic so that everyone has a say in the decisions

- **Attendance Policy and Office Hours**
  - Everyone starts off with two points
    - Miss a Tuesday meeting = miss one point
    - 5 minutes late = miss half a point
  - Office hours
    - Each senator must sit in office for two hours
    - Must complete hours by 4 pm on Friday

- **Senator Petition**
  - Roman Nilov is accepted as Senator

- **Committee Chair Elections**
  - PR: Pat is elected as PR chair
  - CFAD: Rob is elected as CFAD chair

- **Activities Fair**
  - Wear polos!
  - Ice bucket challenge at 11:30

**11:00-11:30:** Allie and LaRonn
**11:30-12:00:** Amanda and Meena
**12:00-12:30:** Katie and Rob
**12:30-1:00:** Pat Dittmar
**1:00-1:30:** Allie and LaRonn
**1:30-2:00:** Allie and LaRonn

**Upcoming Events and Dates:**

- Activities Fair: **Thursday, September 4th** 11 am--2 pm
- JDRF Walk: **Saturday, September 27th**
- Homecoming Week: **Monday, September 29th—Sunday, October 5th**
- House Meeting: **Sunday, September 7th** at Noon in Village Hall 118

**SAB Minutes**

- We found a venue for the homecoming dance!
- The Fault in Our Stars
- First general meeting is Monday at 12
- Statler’s and T-shirts coming up next week
Good of the Association
  •  n/a

Adjournment
Laughery motions to adjourn meeting, Lipp seconds. Motion passes.
Student Government Association Senate Meeting
September 9, 2014

In Attendance:
JR Lynch, Patrick Dittmar, Katie Byers, LaRonn Brown, Sammi Lipp, Allie Repnyek, Josh Laughery, Amanda Jayasinghe, Rob Pokora, Meena Gella, Roman Nilov

Nilov motions to approve agenda, Lynch seconds. Motion passes. Nilov motions to approve minutes, Lynch econds. Motion passes.

Officer Reports:

SGA President Allison:
• n/a

Senate President LaRonn:
• Start thinking about the project for the year
• Last year’s project was the patio next to Chambers

Speaker of the House Meena:
• House meeting went pretty well and those who didn’t attend have contacted Meena
• SGA would like to support Meena for homecoming queen

Senate Vice-President Amanda:
• n/a

Parliamentarian Sammi:
• We need to fix the cross walks by the Courts because it’s too dangerous
• Follow up with Penn Dot

Senate Treasurer Josh:
• n/a

Senate Secretary Katie:
• Great job with office hours last week

Public Relations Patrick Dittmar:
• n/a

SGA Advisor Al:
• How did the Activities Fair go?
  • Very well
  • Maybe move it to 10 am
  •
Business:

- Dean Fogle:
  - Hopefully we’ll meet with her next week

- Senate Petition
  - Miscommunication
  - We’ll meet with her next week

- Budgets
  - Yoga Club short-term budget request is tabled until they meet with Meena
  - Habitat short-term budget request was approved for $2,340

- Committee Breakout
  - PR- advertising for JDRF Walk, use pictures from Activities Fair for recruiting, revitalize newspaper
  - CFAD- meet Tuesdays at 1 pm
  - CR- free drink voucher with surveys, Chick-fil-a day during mid-term week
  - CSCI- discussed float ideas, t-shirts, cookout to involve students and staff

- Scholarship Committee:
  - Start discussion next meeting

Upcoming Events and Dates:

- JDRF Walk Saturday, September 27th
- Homecoming Week Monday, September 29th – Sunday, October 5th

SAB Minutes

- Tonight- TFIOS in the Chapel
- Roller skating September 18th

Good of the Association

Adjournment
Lipp motions to adjourn meeting, Pokora seconds motion. Meeting adjourns.
Student Government Association Senate Meeting
September 16, 2014

In Attendance:
JR Lynch, Patrick Dittmar, Katie Byers, LaRonn Brown, Sammi Lipp, Allie Repnyek, Josh Laughery, Amanda Jayasinghe, Rob Pokora, Roman Nilov

Nilov motions to approve agenda, Dittmar seconds. Motion passes.
Laughery motions to approve minutes, Nilov seconds. Motion passes.

Officer Reports:

SGA President Allison:
• n/a

Senate President LaRonn:
• Committee Chairs should send LaRoon their meeting times by Friday this week
• Commuter Relations can talk to Al to decide when they would like to meet

Speaker of the House Meena:
• n/a

Senate Vice-President Amanda:
• na

Parliamentarian Sammi:
• n/a

Senate Treasurer Josh:
• n/a

Senate Secretary Katie:
• n/a

Public Relations Chair Patrick Dittmar:
• Hunger awareness banquet to raise awareness about hunger and malnourishment in other countries (Oxfam)
• SGA should consider hosting an event like this

SGA Advisor Al:
• n/a

Business:

• Dean Fogle
  o We are still waiting on a few changes from Chartwells
    ▪ Hoping to put in a cooler and closet in order to store more so that they don’t run out of supplies as quickly
- Opening up wall between music room and Coffee House
- Enclosing walls of the shop in Wagner to separate and secure it
- New salad bar will be where the deserts are and the desert bar/toaster will be where the salad bar is now
- Expand menu at 2Mato
- Build a Subway where the current sub/sandwich station is (by next summer)
  - Newly in place:
    - Meal exchange in Coffee House
    - Starbucks
    - Longer Coffee House hours

- **Senate Petitions**
  - Petition for Stephen Moore was approved as a senator

- **Budget**
  - Yoga Club short-term budget request was approved for $1,210

- **Academic Trip Funding**
  - Dean Fogle’s thoughts:
    - We need to make distinctions in our funding as to what types of trips we fund, how many students can attend, and how much we want to fund.
    - We need to consider if the club is bringing anything back to the campus as a whole or if they are just presenting something at a conference and not benefitting the campus

- **Scholarship Committee** (will be discussed next week)

### Upcoming Events and Dates:

- **JDRF Walk**
  - Saturday, September 2nd
- **Homecoming Week**
  - Monday, September 29th – Sunday, October 5th

### SAB Minutes

- Ceramics painting tonight
- Roller skating Thursday
- 22 Jump Street Friday
- Band showcase this weekend

### Good of the Association

We’ll miss you Allie!!!!

Meena will be taking over as SGA president and Brian will be taking over as House speaker
Adjournment
Dittmar motions to adjourn the meeting. Laughery seconds. Meeting adjourned.
Student Government Association Senate Meeting
September 2, 2014

In Attendance:
JR Lynch, Patrick Dittmar, Katie Byers, LaRonn Brown, Sammi Lipp, Stephen Moore, Josh Laughery, Amanda Jayasinghe, Rob Pokora, Meena Gella, Roman Nilov, Brian Donahue

Nilov motions to approve agenda, seconds. Moore passes. Moore motions to approve minutes, Lynch seconds. Motion passes.

Officer Reports:

SGA President Meena:
• n/a

Senate President LaRonn:
• n/a

Speaker of the House Brian:
• n/a

Senate Vice-President Amanda:
• n/a

Parliamentarian Sammi:
• n/a

Senate Treasurer Josh:
• n/a

Senate Secretary Katie:
• n/a

PR Chair Patrick:
• We have new recruitment flyers

SGA Advisor Al:
• The light has been fixed!
• Help SAB at homecoming carnival

Business:

• Insider Newspaper
  o It will contain things that are going on around campus
  o Presented their budget that we will further discuss at a later time
• **Short-term budget requests**
  o Performing Arts Society short-term budget for the reception for re-opening Ferguson was tabled until we see if President Smith agrees to make it a celebration for the whole campus
  o Delta Psi Omega budget for NanoWriMo was approved for $350

• **Scholarship Committee**
  o We need a few senators to be on the committee to approve scholarships
    ▪ One chairperson + 2 senators
    • Roman = chair

• **Idea proposition for CFAD**
  o Discuss gluten free options in the dining hall

• **Academic Trip Funding**
  o Discuss at next meeting

• **Promotional Item Funding**
  o Discuss next meeting

• **Voter Registration**
  o We are required to help out with voting registration

**Upcoming Events and Dates:**
JDRF Walk                      **Saturday, September 27th**
Homecoming Week              **Monday, September 29th—Sunday, October 5th**

**SAB Minutes**
JDRF Walk starts at 10

**Good of the Association**

**Adjournment**
Laughery motions to adjourn the meeting, Lynch seconds. Meeting is adjourned.
Student Government Association Senate Meeting
September 30, 2014

In Attendance:
JR Lynch, Katie Byers, LaRonn Brown, Sammi Lipp, Josh Laughery, Amanda Jayasinghe, Rob Pokora, Meena Gella, Roman Nilov, Stephen Moore, Patrick Dittmar, Brian Donahue

Moore motions to approve agenda, Nilov seconds. Motion passes.
Nilov motions to approve minutes, Moore seconds. Motion passes.

Officer Reports:

SGA President Meena:
• Technology committee with one of the tech lab guys

Senate President LaRonn:
• n/a

Speaker of the House Brian:
• Next House meeting Sunday, October 5th at noon

Senate Vice-President Amanda:
• n/a

Parliamentarian Sammi:
• n/a

Senate Treasurer Josh:
• The Criminal Justice trip to the Penitentiary is cancelled because of the low participation

Senate Secretary Katie:
• n/a

Public Relations Chair Patrick:
• n/a

SGA Advisor Al:
• n/a

Business:

• Newspaper Budget
  o The UPG Insider Newspaper budget request was passed for $2,468.80
• Academic Trip Funding
- Academic trips = for any trip that is based on conferences for academic groups or clubs
- Main campus’ policy: no more than $2,000 per year and only up to $200 per student
  - We will be replicating their exact guidelines for academic trip funding

Upcoming Events and Dates:

Homecoming Week  Monday, September 29th—Sunday, October 5th

SAB Minutes

Good of the Association
Humans vs. Zombies begins this month

Adjournment
Laughery motions to adjourn meeting, Nilov seconds. Meeting adjourns.
Student Government Association Senate Meeting  
October 7, 2014

In Attendance:  
JR Lynch, Patrick Dittmar, Katie Byers, LaRonn Brown, Sammi Lipp, Brian Donahue, Josh Laughery, Rob Pokora, Meena Gella, Stephen Moore, Roman Nilov

Laughery motions to approve agenda, Moore seconds. Motion passes.  
Laughery motions to approve minutes, Moore seconds. Motion passes.

Officer Reports:

SGA President Meena:  
• Meeting with Chancellor went very well  
• Dr. Smith would like to see us do an anti-bullying event

Senate President LaRonn:  
• n/a

Speaker of the House Brian:  
• House meeting went pretty well and we got a lot done  
• Steph is our new House secretary

Senate Vice-President Amanda:  
• n/a

Parliamentarian Sammi:  
• n/a

Senate Treasurer Josh:  
• n/a

Senate Secretary Katie:  
• n/a

Public Relations Pat:  
• n/a

SGA Advisor Al:  
• n/a

Committee Reports:  
• Campus Feedback and Development (CFAD):  
  ○ Hopefully they will have the refrigerator up in in the Coffee House by January
• New salad bar should be done by January for next semester
• Subway next August
• Trying to expand Coffee House hours
• Trying to get bigger equipment in Coffee House
• Need permission to sell frappuccinos from Starbucks, but they don’t give that permission until we sell Starbucks for at least a semester
• If the Coffee House opened full hours on Friday, they would have to close another area for that time, such as the Bobcat

• Public Relations (PR)
  o Flyers have been posted for recruitment

• Commuter Relations (CR)
  o Chick-fil-A day is tomorrow!!
  o We will be doing a car care day soon

• Campus Spirit and Community Involvement (CSCI)
  o Nothing new

Business:
• Budget
  o The Bowling Club short-term budget for an event that happened last Sunday
    ▪ It was in before the event, but we were unable to get to it during the exec meeting
    ▪ Budget was approved for $0

• Club Promotional Item Funding
  o $50/year was suggested
  o Remind them that SGA is a resource for them to go to for help advertising
  o SGA “stamping” on flyers
  o Allocations manual amended for promotional item funding for $50 per year

• Float
  o Greensburg Holiday Parade
  o Give out candy to children and promote the university
  o Ideas?
    ▪ Simple float with Bruiser and a tree
    ▪ School spirit (Blue and gold)

• Charity Basketball Game
  o Mario Lemieux Foundation this year?
    ▪ Patrick has been in contact with them
  o Any other charity ideas are welcome
    ▪ Black Burn center (another anti-bullying event)

• Recruitment
  o Sit outside and give people cider and donuts and have them fill out comment cards with suggestions for improvements
  o Raffle their names off to win a basket?
  o Wednesday, 22nd 12-1 in Powers
o Thursday, 30th 12-1 in Smith

Upcoming Events and Dates:

House Meeting
Leadership Conference

Sunday, November 2nd 12pm
Saturday, November 8th

SAB Minutes

- Ghost hunter next Wednesday
  o Raffle for students to go on the hunt

Good of the Association

Adjournment

Laughery motions to adjourn, Dittmar seconds. Meeting is adjourned.
Student Government Association Senate Meeting  
October 21, 2014

In Attendance:  
JR Lynch, Patrick Dittmar, Katie Byers, LaRon Brown, Sammi Lipp, Stephen Moore, Josh Laughery, Amanda Jayasinghe, Rob Pokora, Meena Gella, Roman Niolv

Pokora motions to approve agenda, Ditmar seconds. Motion passes.  
Moore motions to approve minutes, Nilov seconds. Motion passes.

Officer Reports:

SGA President Meena:  
- Dr. Smith wants to do an anti-bullying event  
- November 13 = event in Village Hall  
- Events will be the week leading up to it  
  - Speakers for BlackBurn  
  - Jake Giffen’s sister is a speaker for this and may come out  
  - Black hearts with negative Yik Yak posts  
  - Blue and Gold hearts with positive posts

Senate President LaRonn:  
- Recruitment event  
  - Table set up outside of Powers and Smith to interact with students and get them interested in SGA  
  - Wear SGA polos

Speaker of the House Brian:  
- Sent out e-mail reminding clubs about the semester budget requests for the spring

Senate Vice-President Amanda:  
- n/a

Parliamentarian Sammi:  
- 2Mato now serves pasta

Senate Treasurer Josh:  
- n/a

Senate Secretary Katie:  
- n/a

SGA Advisor Al:
• Leadership Conference sign-ups will be sent out by the end of the day
• Speaker representation from other campuses

Committee Reports:
• CFAD: n/a
• PR: n/a
• CR: Chick-fil-a event went pretty well
• CSCI: n/a

Business
• Float: Campus spirit theme, cheerleaders, Bruiser
• PS Budget: Short-term budget passed for $400
• SGA Constitution: changes proposed a while back, but we should go over the constitution so that we can make changes to things that don't seem to fit in anymore
• Into the Streets: Sign-ups after the Leadership Conference
  o If clubs have at least different 5 people attend, SGA will give them $100
• Overnight Host Program: Potential incoming freshmen stay overnight with a host on Sunday and go to class on a Monday
  o November 16th
  o Do we want to be involved this year?
  o What should we have them do?
    ▪ Inside scavenger hunt?
    ▪ Mini HvZ game?
    ▪ Bead making with a girl from Children’s Hospital
• SGA Project:
  o Any ideas?
    ▪ Night in which we turn all the lights off for a few hours to preserve the environment and spread awareness
    ▪ Clean up weeds outside Robertshaw
      • Should we just reach out to maintenance to ensure they are doing their job
      • What can we do for maintenance to make it easier to cut the grass because it’s difficult with the steep hill
      • What types of trees or plants can we put in place?
      • Make it an Into the Streets event in the spring?

Upcoming Events and Dates:
House Meeting                                      Sunday, November 2nd 12 pm
Leadership Conference                             Saturday, November 8th
SAB Minutes
Comedian
Hypnotist
UPG’s Got Talent
The Purge: Anarchy – tonight
Hayride program this weekend

Good of the Association
Continue looking over the Constitution and thinking about this year’s project

Adjournment
Nilov motions to adjourn the meeting, Pokora seconds. Meeting adjourned.
In Attendance:
JR Lynch, Patrick Dittmar, Katie Byers, LaRonn Brown, Sammi Lipp, Stephen Moore, Josh Laughery, Amanda Jayasinghe, Rob Pokora, Meena Gella, Roman Niolv

Dittmar motions to approve agenda, Nilov seconds. Motion passes. Moore motions to approve minutes, Lynch seconds. Motion passes.

Officer Reports:

SGA President Meena:
• n/a

Senate President LaRonn:
• Recruitment event
  o Recruitment event this Thursday 12-1 in Smith
  o Cider and donuts again

Speaker of the House Brian:
• First House meeting this Sunday

Senate Vice-President Amanda:
• n/a

Parliamentarian Sammi:
• For agenda and minutes motions, say “I motion to approve _____”

Senate Treasurer Josh:
• n/a

Senate Secretary Katie:
• Positive Yak Revolution use the hashtag!

SGA Advisor Al:
• Overnight Host Program information will be out soon

Committee Reports:
  a) CFAD
    a. Cafeteria is packing things up early in the cafeteria
    b. Need to clearly label things with gluten content
    c. Tomato soup
    d. Ventilation problem in the Coffee House; too smokey
b) PR  
  a. n/a  

c) CR  
  a. Nov. 18th/19th = car care day!  

d) CSCI  
  a. Selling t-shirts at basketball game to get extra money for the charity basketball game  
  b. All senators require to sit and sell t-shirts at least one time  

Old Business:  
  • Last Week’s Recruitment  
    o 8 suggestions  
    o Got rid of all cider and donuts  

Business:  
  • Budgets  
    o Habitat budget request passed for $4,150  
    o Nerdfighters budget request passed for $50  
    o GSA budget request passed for $383.20  
  • Float  
    o Keep it simple  
    o Blue and gold skirt/tinsel to go around the float  
    o Blue and gold glitter pumpkins  
    o Hay bails  
    o Candy  
    o Blue and gold snow for the floor of the float  
    o Balloons  
    o Cheerleaders help lead the float  
    o Snowman  
      ▪ Presents with blue and gold wrapping paper, shaped into a snowman  
    o Putting it together on November 15th  
    o Parade=November 22nd  
  • Charity Basketball Game  
    o April 2nd  
    o Egg hunt during halftime!  
  • Budget Extravaganza  
    o Budgets due tomorrow  
    o Budget extravaganza is in about a month  
    o Allocations committee goes through all budgets to “clean up” the budgets and give suggestions for clubs; makes it easier for us to go through the budgets at the actual event  
      ▪ Need two house reps at the allocations meetings  
      ▪ Talk to Josh if you would like to be part of the committee  
  • Newsletter
o Last one was too short
o What do we want this one to look like?
  ▪ Spirit initiatives (i.e. spirit shirts)
  ▪ SGA accomplishments for 2014
    • Starbucks
    • 2Mato, etc.
  ▪ Recruitment
  ▪ Love is Louder Than story
o Cover page plus 3 pages of information

Upcoming Events and Dates:
SGA Recruitment Event
House Meeting
Leadership Conference

SGA Recruitment Event Thursday, October 30th @ 12-1pm
House Meeting Sunday, November 2nd @ 12pm
Leadership Conference Saturday, November 8th 12-6

SAB Minutes
  • Blackout tonight in Chambers at 9:30!
  • October 31st movie marathon with three movies plus a raffle and free bag of candy

Good of the Association

Adjournment
Pokora motions to adjourn meeting, Lipp seconds. Meeting adjourned.
Student Government Association Senate Meeting  
November 4, 2014

In Attendance:  
Rob Pokora, Brian Donehue, Amanda Jayasinghe, Katie Byers, LaRonn Brown, Meena Gella, Samantha Lipp, Josh Laughery, Patrick Dittmar, Roman Nilov, JR Lynch

Laughery motions to approve agenda, Pokora seconds. Motion passes.
Laughery motions to approve minutes, Pokora seconds. Motion passes.

Officer Reports:

SGA President Meena:
• Love is Louder Than campaign

Senate President LaRonn:
• N/a

Speaker of the House Brian:
• House meeting went well  
  • Emily Stark and Mavra would like to help out with the event

Senate Vice-President Amanda:
• We have a new senator petition!

Parliamentarian Sammi:
• n/a

Senate Treasurer Josh:
• n/a

Senate Secretary Katie:
• n/a

Public Relations Chair Patrick:
• We have a newsletter!  
  • Pat has a sample of it

SGA Advisor Al:
• Make sure you sign up for the Leadership Conference  
  • It is required for Senators  
  • If you cannot attend, make sure you inform Al or LaRonn
• Make sure you sign in when you do office hours
Committee Reports

- CFAD: n/a
- PR: newsletter
- CR: n/a
- CSCI: n/a

Business

- Petition
  - Leigha Bucks was approved as a senator!
- Recruitment
  - Personal connections and personally reaching out to people we feel would do well in the group
  - Flyers just aren’t cutting it anymore
  - Make one of our meetings Village Credit worthy (next semester)
  - Bring in names of potential candidates and send a personal e-mail to them, inviting them to see what SGA is all about
- Budget Extravaganza
  - JR, Leigha, and Brian will serve as the representatives from the Senate for the allocations meeting
  - Actual extravaganza is on November 23rd

Upcoming Events and Dates

Leadership Conference            Saturday, November 8th

SAB Minutes

- Movie tonight in Chapel
- Bowling this Saturday
- Chili bar- November 10th
- Dancing with the Staff- November 11th

Good of the Association

- Start working on the holiday float on November 15th

Adjournment

Nilov motions to adjourn meeting, Lynch seconds. Meeting adjourned.
Student Government Association Senate Meeting  
September 2, 2014  

In Attendance:  
JR Lynch, Katie Byers, LaRonn Brown, Sammi Lipp, Josh Laughery, Rob Pokora, Meena Gella, Roman Niolv, Leigha Bucks  

Nilov motions to approve agenda, Lynch seconds. Motion passes.  
Nilov motions to approve minutes, Lynch seconds. Motion passes.  

Officer Reports:  

SGA President Meena:  
• n/a  

Senate President LaRonn:  
• Steven resigned from his senator position  

Speaker of the House Brian:  
• n/a  

Senate Vice-President Amanda:  
• n/a  

Parliamentarian Sammi:  
• n/a  

Senate Treasurer Josh:  
• n/a  

Senate Secretary Katie:  
• n/a  

Public Relations Chair Patrick:  
• n/a  

SGA Advisor Al:  
• Feedback from the Leadership Conference?  
  o Keynote speaker was awesome  
  o Information in sessions seemed to be redundant, especially for returners  
  o Some sessions were aggressive and the presenters weren’t very professional  
  o Good idea for grad students to present at conference  
  o Make a separate breakout session for those who have been to the conference 3 or 4 times so that the information isn’t too repetitive for returners  

Committee Reports  
• CFAD- Meeting today at 1  
  o Not closing early at night  
  o Careful about specifying allergies  
• CR:  
  o Next Tuesday is Car Care day  
  o Sign up on Al’s door
11:30-2
- Excused from meeting if you help out

Business:

- **Computer Lab Concern**
  - Keep lounge in Cassel open during weekend to give people a place to work and have WiFi on campus
  - Have a printer that is accessible for everyone (not in a lab)
    - In a lounge where people can wirelessly print
  - Fix security cameras and maybe that will open up the possibility of keeping to lab open without a student worker present
  - Bring concern up to the technology committee

- **Float**
  - Work days:
    - Saturday, November 15th at 12
      - Meet in SGA office
    - Monday November 17th at 7pm
      - Meet in SGA office
  - Cheerleaders will be helping us that day, too

- **Love is Louder Than**
  - This Thursday at 7pm
  - Wear polo to event
  - Sign up for tabling time this week
  - Deanna Ferry is coming to speak and pass out flyers

- **Health Fee**
  - Need to revote on the change in the health fee
  - Slightly increasing fee by $5 in order to cover all expenses throughout the year
  - Increase is still lower than that of all other Pitt campuses
  - Active in Fall 2015
  - Rationale and Resolution accepted

Upcoming Events and Dates:
Budget Extravaganza
- **Sunday, November 23rd 12pm**

SAB Minutes
- Dancing with the Staff was postponed to next fall due to low participation
- Guardians of Galaxy is Friday night
- Overnight Host Program is this Sunday
Good of the Association

Adjournment
Pokora motions to adjourn the meeting, Lynch seconds. Meeting adjourned.
Student Government Association Senate Meeting
November 18, 2014

In Attendance:
JR Lynch, Patrick Dittmar, Katie Byers, LaRonn Brown, Josh Laughery, Amanda Jayasinghe, Rob Pokora, Meena Gella, Roman Niolv, Sammi Lipp, Leigha Bucks, Stephanie Russick

Pokora motions to approve agenda, Lynch seconds. Motion passes. Pokora motions to approve minutes, Lynch seconds. Motion passes.

Officer Reports:

SGA President Meena:
• N/a

Senate President LaRonn:
• n/a

Speaker of the House Brian:
• n/a

Senate Vice-President Amanda:
• Senator petition

Parliamentarian Sammi:
• n/a

Senate Treasurer Josh:
• n/a

Senate Secretary Katie:
• n/a

Public Relations Chair Patrick:
• n/a

SGA Advisor Al:
• Study abroad fair today until 2!

Committee Reports:

• CFAD:
  o Dining Hall scheduled to be remodeled December 13th
- Rearranging salad bar and desserts
  - Starbucks in cafeteria (part of the shop)
  - Concrete was laid in the Coffee House, so they can start bringing in the cooler now to store supplies
  - Going to start keeping a close eye out for cafeteria workers ending early
  - Can’t ensure that the food they have can be 100% gluten or allergen free, but they are keeping a careful eye out for that too and will carefully label them as well as they can
  - Working on problems with the Chartwells app on campus
- PR:
  - Newsletter is going well and should be done fairly soon
- CR:
  - Commuter Car Care day was cancelled today because it was way too cold to stay outside for long
- CSCI:
  - n/a

Business
- Ryan Brooks to discuss problems with Cassel Hall
  - It’s very difficult to set up the printer stations around campus, but they are trying to do it
  - If they can find a way to secure the lab, they can think about extending the computer lab hours on campus
  - It is possible to connect gaming devices to wireless as long as you speak to the tech department and put in a ticket
- Love is Louder Than Recap
  - Went pretty well
  - The speaker did a good job and had a good message
- Petition
  - JD was approved as a senator
- Budgets
  - Exec board will look at the Environmental Club’s budget request on Thursday
  - RSC Budget was approved for $50
- Budget Extravaganza
  - Be there at noon on Sunday
  - Plan to be there until 6, although we should probably be done by 4
  - Dress comfortably (polo is not required)
  - Make sure you all ask questions and go over the budget before the extravaganza
- Float
  - Be there around 11:30 am
  - We will be carpooling!
  - Working on it today at 4:30 pm
  - Staple down snow and put tinsel on tonight
Upcoming Events and Dates:
Budget Extravaganza

SAB Minutes
Guardians of the Galaxy tonight

Good of the Association
Give a Thread Campaign—clothing drive coming up

Adjournment
Pokora motions to adjourn the meeting, Bucks seconds. Meeting adjourns.
Budget Extravaganza for Spring 2015
November 23, 2014

In attendance: LaRonn Brown, Katie Byers, Leigha Bucks, Rob Pokora, Meena Gella, Stephanie Russick, Roman Nilov, Patrick Dittmar, Amanda Jayasinghe, Josh Laughery

Laughery motions to move into closed session, Nilov seconds. Motion passes.

Budgets:

- **UPG Insider Newspaper**
  -Requested $6,690.19
  -Allocated $3,209.51

- **Criminal Justice Club**
  -Requested $430
  -Allocated $180

- **Village Senate**
  -Requested $2,675
  -Allocated $2,675

- **PAS**
  -Requested $2,220
  -Allocated $2,130

- **Accounting Club**
  -Requested $273.36
  -Allocated $273.36

- **Spanish Club**
  -Requested $975
  -Allocated $850

- **Phi Eta Sigma**
  -Requested $880
  -Allocated $880

- **Nerdfighters**
  -Requested $2225
  -Allocated $2225

- **OACS**
  -Requested $1000
  -Allocated $800
- Delta Si Omega
  - Requested $750
  - Allocated $650
- Sigma Tau Delta
  - Requested $4,714
  - Allocated $2,100
- Ski Club
  - Requested $6,975
  - Allocated $4,975
- Red Cross
  - Requested $315
  - Allocated $200
- Science Club
  - Requested $5,471
  - Allocated $3,971
- Tri Beta/Environmental/Gamma Sigma
  - Requested $530
  - Allocated $530
- GSE
  - Requested $1,910
  - Allocated $500
- VAS
  - Requested $1,677.45
  - Allocated $1,677.45
- Christian Fellowship
  - Requested $104.55
  - Allocated $0
- Health & Rehab Science Club
  - Requested $200
  - Allocated $200
- Tri Beta
  - Requested $526
  - Allocated $390
- Ice Hockey
  - Requested $7,450
  - Allocated $7,450
- CAS
  - Requested $659
  - Allocated $550
• SPSEA
  o Requested $4,750
  o Allocated $3,350
• DSC
  o Requested $2,275
  o Allocated $1,995
• RSC
  o Requested $3,700
  o Allocating $3,400
• GSA
  o Requested $3,097
  o Allocated $2,467
• Lambda Pi Eta
  o Requested $565.55
  o Allocated $515.55
• Bowling Club
  o Requested $1,157
  o Allocated $1,091
• Yoga Club
  o Requested $1,680
  o Allocated $1,580
• Pendulum
  o Requested $500
  o Allocated $500
• Psi Chi
  o Requested $3,350
  o Allocated $3,200
• Active Minds
  o Requested $500
  o Allocated $400
• Environmental Club
  o Requested $605
  o Allocated $555
• Habitat for Humanity
  o Requested $3,250
  o Allocated $3,250

Total Amount Allocated: $58,719.87

Pokora motions to approve budgets for $58,719.87, Lynch seconds. Motion passes.
Student Government Association Senate Meeting
November 18, 2014

In Attendance:
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Little motions to approve agenda, Pokora seconds. Motion passes.
Pokora motions to approve minutes, Lynch seconds. Motion passes.

Officer Reports:

SGA President Meena:
• Cassell Hall lounge is now open!
• Need to be sure no one damages property or these rights will be revoked

Senate President LaRonn:
• n/a

Speaker of the House Brian:
• n/a

Senate Vice-President Amanda:
• n/a

Parliamentarian Sammi:
• n/a

Senate Treasurer Josh:
• n/a

Senate Secretary Katie:
• I will be resigning from my position on Senate
• This means that a secretary position will be open for next semester

Public Relations Chair Patrick:
• Newsletter is done and should be out by Thursday

SGA Advisor Al:
• Don’t forget about Give-A-Thread
• Please consider volunteering to sit at the table
• Bring in your items!
• On Thursday, if you bring in 5 clothing items, you can stuff a bear
Business

- **Budgets**
  - Lambda Pi Eta budget was approved for $0

- **Parade Recap**
  - Butterfinger Corruption!
    - LaRonn is upset that ALL the butterfingers were gone by the end of the parade
  - Too many children getting hit by flying candy
  - Group consensus: good time!
  - Simple float turned out a lot better
  - Maybe next year we can bring a banner to put our name out there

- **Scholarship Committee**
  - Moving along very nicely
  - Dr. Hitt, Dr. Giavanelli, Dean Fogle, Al, and Brian Root are part of the committee
  - Meeting in conference room in Student Services on Friday at 11am
  - Open to anyone in SGA who would like to take part in deciding who gets the scholarships (as long as you did not submit a scholarship)

- **Charity Basketball Game**
  - We will be reaching out to Blackburn Center to represent us
  - Talk to any businesses you think would like to be a sponsor
  - All money raised will go to the Blackburn Center

SAB Minutes

- Gingerbread House making tonight 9:30 pm
  - Al is super excited, so come out and support him!
- Up All Night is this Friday night at 9:30 pm
  - There will be laser tag in the gym, a black light dance party, and much more

Good of the Association

n/a

Adjournment

Bucks motions to adjourn the meeting, Nilov seconds. Meeting adjourns.
Student Government Association Senate Meeting
January 6, 2015

In Attendance:
Meena Gella, Laronn Brown, Josh Laughery, JR Lynch, Rob Pokora, Roman Nilov, Leigha Bucks, James Little, Brian Donehue

Pokora motions to approve agenda, Lynch seconds. Motion passes.
Pokora motions to approve minutes, Lynch seconds. Motion passes.

Officer Reports:

SGA President Meena:
• Exec board meets on Thursday

Senate President LaRonn:
• Senate VP Amanda cannot make Tuesday meetings due to required class.
  o Must still meet with Laronn and attend exec meetings.

Speaker of the House Brian:
• House meeting Sunday

Senate Vice-President Amanda:
• n/a

Parliamentarian Sammi:
• n/a

Senate Treasurer Josh:
• n/a

Senate Secretary
• n/a

Public Relations Chair Patrick:
• n/a

SGA Advisor Al:
• Welcome back!
• Any feedback on dining hall renovation?

Business
• Secretary Nominations
  o Meena nominates Leigha
  o Roman nominates himself
  o Elections will be held next week

  Recruitment
  o Senate overall must focus more on recruiting students who will help senate to move forward.
  o Will be following up with those who previously expressed interest.
  o Open senate meeting will be held on Jan. 20
• Office hours
  o Office hours will start next week
  o Send dates/times you are available to do office hours to Laronn

• Committee Meetings
  o Planning Committee meeting times next week
  o CFAD must meet with chartwells next week

• Basketball Game T-Shirt Sales
  o Please sign up for at least one shift when you can work the T-shirt sales table

• Cassell Hall Lounge Feedback
  o Was very convenient to have it open
  o Was temporary for finals week; speaking with Pres. Smith about keeping it open

• Pitt Day in Harrisburg
  o Wed. after spring break, no cost, transportation provided.
  o All are encouraged to go, especially if going into politics

• Charity Basketball Game
  o Money will go to Blackburn center
  o Will be held on April 3
  o Rep. from Blackburn to accept check?

SAB Minutes
• Music Bingo tonight
• Hypnotist on Thursday
• Dave and Busters next weekend
• Free skate after hockey game is Jan 24th
• SAB changed meeting times to Thursday at 6:00pm

Good of the Association
n/a

Adjournment
Pokora motions to adjourn the meeting, Little seconds. Meeting adjourns.
Student Government Association Senate Meeting
January 6, 2015

In Attendance:

Nilov motions to approve agenda, Bucks seconds. Motion passes.
Nilov motions to approve minutes, Bucks seconds. Motion passes.

Officer Reports:

SGA President Meena:
- Meeting with Pres. Smith tomorrow

Senate President LaRonn:
- Please review newsletter

Speaker of the House Brian:
- 3-4 New candidates for vice speaker
- Asking those who are not elected to join as senators

Senate Vice-President Amanda:
- Senate Petition – Mike Rodriguez

Parliamentarian:
- n/a

Senate Treasurer Josh:
- n/a

Senate Secretary
- Office hours start this week

Public Relations Chair Patrick:
- n/a

SGA Advisor Al:
- Help take give a thread clothing to vehicle

Business
- CFAD
  - Meeting with Chartwells Thursday at 9:00am
- Public Relations
  - Working on getting newsletter out before Charity basketball game
- CSCI
  - Good job selling spirit shirts at basketball game
- Senate Petition
  - Mike Rodriguez approved as senator
- Secretary Vote
  - Leigha Bucks approved as secretary
- Parliamentarian Nominations
Nilov nominates himself
Dittmar nominates Lynch

- **Charity Basketball Game**
  - Logistics – Laronn, Leigha, JD, Mike
  - Halftime – Meena, Rob, JR
  - Prizes – Josh, Roman
  - Public Relations – Pat
  - Donations – Courtney (SAB)
  - Please get in touch with which committee you wish to assist if you haven’t already

- **Public SGA Meeting Topics**
  - Charity Basketball game
  - Recruitment
  - General campus involvement
  - Seating/room layout
  - Advertise on each building’s reslife facebook page?

**SAB Minutes**
- Saturday Jan. 17th is Dave and Busters
- Ping Pong tonight (Tuesday Jan 13th)
- Pinterest party next Tuesday Jan. 24th
- Fury in VH next Friday Jan. 23rd

**Good of the Association**
n/a

**Adjournment**
Lynch motions to adjourn the meeting, Dittmar seconds. Meeting adjourns.
Student Government Association Senate Meeting: January 20, 2015

In Attendance: Meena, LaRonn, Amanda, Josh, Rob, Patrick, JR, Roman, JD, Leigha, Mike, Brian

Mike motions to approve the agenda and minutes, Rob seconds. Motion passes.

Officer Reports:

SGA President Meena:
- Meeting with Dr. Smith
- 24/7 library hours

Senate President LaRonn:
- N/a

Speaker of the House Brian:
- N/a

Senate Vice-President Amanda:
- Two senate petitions

Parliamentarian Roman:
- N/a

Senate Treasurer Josh:
- N/a

Senate Secretary Leigha:
- N/a

Public Relations Chair Patrick:
- N/a

SGA Advisor Al:
- N/a

Committee Reports:
1. CFAD
   a. Maybe shop open later
   b. Heated salad bar for warm foods also
   c. Sterilized ice cream scooper
   d. New manager in Coffee House
   e. Possibly changing Tomato to Papa Johns
   f. Redo the bobcat
   g. Subway
   h. Possibly Burrito maker in the dining hall
2. PR
   a. N/a
3. CR
   a.
4. CSCI
   a. N/a
Business
1. Senate Petitions
   a. Jake
   b. Disha
2. Charity Basketball game
   a. n/a
3. Commuter Relations Nominations
   a. Josh nominates Mike. Mike accepts nomination.
4. Open Forum
   a. Where did water fountain go?
   b. Community garden: people pick veggies whenever they want; volunteers will maintain.
   c. If garden doesn’t work, possibly outside farmer?
   d. Breakfast sandwiches in the shop.
   e. Earlier/later hours for Chartwells on the weekends.
   f. Possibly meal exchanges in the shop.
5. Closed session:
   a. Jake
      i. Motion to approve Jake from rob Jr seconds
      ii. 9 approved: 0 abstentions: 0 opposed
      iii. Approved as senator
   b. Disha
      i. Commuter useful for commuter relations.
      ii. Interest in treasurer
         1. She has time to learn the position
      iii. Mike motions to approve Disha’s petition, JD seconds
      iv. 9 approve: 0 opposed: 0 abstentions
      v. Approved as senator
   c. Patrick
      i. Resigning his PR positions in two weeks.

SAB Minutes
1. Pinterest night tonight.
2. Skate night Saturday.

Good of the Association
1. Lack of recycling bins
   a. Speak to maintenance
   b. Recycling initiative? (pizza party reward)

Adjournment
Rob motions to adjourn the meeting, Mike seconds. Meeting adjourns.
Student Government Association Senate Meeting: January 27, 2015

In Attendance: Meena, LaRonn, Josh, Rob, Patrick, JR, Roman, Leigha, JD, Mike, Disha

1. Rob motions to approve minutes mike seconds. Motion passes.
2. EAT THE CUP NOODLES!!!

Officer Report:

SGA President Meena:
• n/a

Senate President LaRonn:
• Keep office clean!

Speaker of the House Brian:
• House meeting Sunday

Senate VP Amanda:
• N/a

Parliamentarian Roman:
• n/a

Senate Treasurer Josh:
• two new budgets
• Sunday March 29th for Budget Extravaganza
  o Scheduled time for people to appear for their budgets

Senate Secretary Leigha:
• n/a

PR Chair Patrick:
• n/a

SGA Advisor Al:
• Carmike movie tickets
  o Maybe to pamphlets informing on our pit plus
• Ordering 100-150 tickets

Committee Reports:

1. CFAD
   a. n/a

2. PR
a. n/a

3. CR
   a. n/a

4. CSCI
   a. n/a

Business:

1. Budgets
   a. Jr motions to move into closed session Josh seconds. Motion passes.
   b. Pendulum: show reception
      i. Laci Green (on The YouTube)
      ii. Positive sex speaker
      iii. What they don’t spend comes back to us
      iv. Rob motions to approve budget for 500$ Josh seconds
      v. 10 approve 0 abstentions or objections. Motion passes.
   c. SPSEA:
      i. t-shirts
         1. Requesting less than they need
      ii. WQED
         1. Go to schools and speak and promote children’s literacy
      iii. Rob motions to approve the SPSEA for 1,400 JD seconds
      iv. 10 approve 0 abstentions or objections. Motion passes.

2. New York Times
   a. Program SGA pays for around 5,000 a year
      i. Is it effective? Should we continue?
      ii. 20-30 issues we pay for what we use (only pay for what we use)
      iii. Newspapers don’t get out, we need to hold people more accountable for the distribution
   b. Talk to Amanda about distribution
   c. Talk about it next week

3. Free pizza?
   a. If the men’s basketball team breaks 100 points
      b. 200-300$
      c. Decide next week

4. Committee Chair Nominations
   a. Rob nominates Jake for CSCI; Jake accepts
   b. Josh nominates Mike for PR; Mike accepts
   c. Rob nominates Disha or CR; Disha accepts

5. Charity Basketball Game Breakouts
   a. **Next week

6. Jr motions to move out of closed session JD seconds. Motion passes.

SAB Minutes

- Murder mystery Friday 1/30
• Tuesday 2/3 Lego building competition

Good of the Association

• Amanda wanted to bring up lack of quality on security cameras
  o Very expensive
  o Get cameras a few at a time to cut costs?
    o Or add more lighting?
• Ask new chief to come to a meeting

Adjournment

• Mike motions to adjourn Pat seconds. Motion passes.
Student Government Association Senate Meeting

In Attendance: Meena, LaRonn, Leigha, Rob, Josh, Roman, JR, Amanda, Jake, Disha, JD
Rob motions to approve agenda and minutes JD seconds. Motion passes.

Officer Reports:

SGA President Meena:
  • n/a

Senate President LaRonn:
  • n/a

Speaker of the House Brian:
  • went over budgets and baskets at house meetings

Senate Vice-President Amanda:
  • n/a

Parliamentarian Roman:
  • n/a

Senate Treasurer Josh:
  • police chief will come to next meeting to talk about cameras

Senate Secretary Leigha:
  • n/a

SGA Advisor Al:
  • n/a

Committee Reports:
  1. CFAD
     a. Next meeting February 11 at 10:30
  2. PR
  3. CR
  4. CSCI

Business
  1. Senate Petition
     a. Sara McConnell
        i. Held may leadership positions before
        ii. Interested in PR or CSCI
b. **Rob motions to move into closed session Josh seconds. Motion passes.**
c. **Rob motions to move out of closed session JR seconds. Motion passes.**

2. New York Times
   a. Delivery times are different so they are put out at different times
   b. Give some time to see if the problem gets fixed
   c. When the renewal runs out we will decide whether to keep the paper or not

3. Free Pizza
   a. Good school spirit
   b. All in favor 0 opposed

4. Big three elections
   a. Two weeks prior to voting begin campaigning
   b. Before basketball game have applications out
   c. Around second week in March for the application deadline

5. Charity Basketball Game Breakouts
   a. Half time
      i. Beat the clock (make three shots in 30 seconds)
      ii. T-shirt prizes
      iii. Give tickets one to faculty and one to students and call tickets for half time games and have them challenge each other
   
   b. PR
      i. Big colorful poster
      ii. Different shape and color posters
   c. Logistics
      i. Decorations: pink and black themed
      ii. Balloons, streamers, and a big poster with Blackburn center logo

**SAB Minutes**
- n/a

**Good of the Association**
- n/a

**Adjournment**
- Roman motions to adjourn meeting Jr seconds. Motion passes
Student Government Association Senate Meeting

In Attendance: Meena, LaRonn, Josh, Rob JR, Roman, Leigha, JD, Mike, Disha, Sarah, Jake

Officer Reports:

SGA President Meena:
  1. Buffalo Wild Wings is supplying the blazing buffalo wing challenge for the charity basketball game.
  2. Also they are bringing trays of wings

Senate President LaRonn:
  - n/a

Speaker of the House Brian:
  - n/a

Senate Vice-President Amanda:
  - n/a

Parliamentarian Roman:
  - n/a

Senate Treasurer Josh:
  - n/a

Senate Secretary Leigha:
  - n/a

SGA Advisor Al:
  1. Casino night at 8 this Sunday (9/15)
  2. Training for card dealing Sunday at 7 (9/15)

Committee Reports:
  1. CFAD
     a. Meeting tomorrow (2/11) 10:30 am
     b. Wireless speakers for listening to TVs (possible and app or radio frequency)
  2. PR
  3. CR
  4. CSCI
     a. New possible member

Business
  1. Chief Gililan
     a. 97 cameras actively recording
     b. Looking into purchasing cameras for entrances
        i. Tag recognition; captures license plate
     c. Distortion when zoomed; hard to see faces
     d. Wants more communication between students and campus PD
     e. Build relationships with the students
     f. Increased presence in residents halls and other buildings on the campus
g. New and improved safety week (more engaging)
i. Looking into getting clubs involved

2. Senate petition
   a. Paola Alvarado
   b. Mike motions to move into closed session JR seconds. Motion passes.
   c. JD motions to approve Paola mike seconds. Motion passes
   d. JR motions to move out of closed session, JD seconds. Motion passes.

3. Committee Chair Election
   a. Mike Rodriguez for PR chair
   b. Motion to approve Mike for PR chair, Jake seconds. Motion passes.

4. Scholarships
   a. Get them out very soon
   b. Applications out by the end of next week (9/20)
   c. Same award amounts as last year

SAB Minutes
1. Watch dear white people
2. UPGs got talent (2/17)

Good of the Association
1. Look into over 21 housing

Adjournment
1. Josh motions to adjourn, Roman seconds. Meeting adjourned.
Student Government Association Senate Meeting

In Attendance: Meena, LaRonn, Brian, Josh, Roman, Leigha, Mike, Jake, Rob, JR, JD, Disha, Sara, Paola
Mike motions to approve agenda and minutes Sara seconds. Motion passes.

Officer Reports:

SGA President Meena:
  1. Extended library hours
  2. Thoughts on the incident

Senate President LaRonn:
  1. n/a

Speaker of the House Brian:
  1. Ideas for baskets coming in

Senate Vice-President Amanda:
  1. n/a

Parliamentarian Roman:
  1. n/a

Senate Treasurer Josh:
  1. n/a

Senate Secretary Leigha:
  1. n/a

Public Relations Chair Mike:
  1. In contact with Seton Hill president

SGA Advisor Al:

Committee Reports
  1. CFAD
     a. Had meeting with chartwells
     b. Subway come to look at space
     c. Should there be breakfast in the coffee house?
     d. Whole Panini’s were an accidents
     e. Coffee house is approved for Frappuccino
     f. Open the shop earlier
2. PR
   a. Drew up ideas for flyers for charity basketball game
   b. More active on social media
      i. Give away on social media to get people more active on it.
3. CR
   a. Another commuter appreciation day (the week before spring break)
4. CSCI
   a. T-shirts are gone!
   b. New t-shirt designs

Business
1. Senate Petitions
   a. Brianna McCarthy
   b. Maria Yates
   c. Carly Cardello
2. Josh motions to move into closed session, JR seconds. Motion passes.
   a. Roman motions to approve Brianna’s petition, Mike seconds. Motion passes.
   b. Rob motions to approve Maria’s petition, JD seconds. Motion passes.
   c. Mike motions to approve Carly’s petition, Rob seconds. Motions passes.
3. Budget
   a. Rob motions to approve the budget, JR seconds. Motion passes.
4. Mike motions to move out of closed session, JR seconds. Motion passes.
5. Elections
   a. Positions available.
   b. Petitions due next Friday (2/27).
6. Casino Night Recap
   a. Next Week
7. CTAC Recap
   a. Next Week

SAB Minutes
1. UPG’s got talent tonight (2/17)
2. Soul food Thursday (2/19)

Good of the Association

Adjournment
Sara motion to adjourn, JR seconds. Motion passes.
Student Government Association Senate Meeting

In Attendance: LaRonn, Meena, Roman, Josh, Leigha, Mike, Jake, Rob, JR, JD, Disha, Maria, Carly, Sara, Paola, Brianna
Paola motions to approve agenda and minutes, JR seconds. Motion passes.

Officer Reports:

SGA President Meena:
- Jackets are being purchased
- Pitt day in Harrisburg next Wednesday (3/4)

Senate President LaRonn:

Speaker of the House Brian:
- Eight clubs sent in ideas for basket
- House meeting Sunday (3/1)

Senate Vice-President Amanda:

Parliamentarian Roman:
- Drum circle for earth hour

Senator Treasurer Josh:

Senator Secretary Leigha:

Public Relations Chair Mike:

SGA Advisor Al:
- Playoff basketball game with FREE PIZZA!!

Committee Reports:
1. CFAD
2. PR
3. CR
   a. Sign-up sheet for commuter breakfast
   b. Commuter appreciation day set up in power and smith
4. CSCI
   a. Talk more about the bon fire and drum circle

Business
1. Casino Night Recap
   a. Went very well
   b. Overnight host program was good
2. CTAC Recap
   a. Talked about keyless entry in Westmorland hall
   b. Better Wi-Fi connection everywhere
c. Sensitive data handling (Having a training session)
d. In computer lab there won’t be computers over three years old
e. Next meeting (3/16)

3. Massage Chair
   a. In the hempfield room
   b. Time 12-4 pm, April 21st
   c. Rob motions to approve the massages chair, JR seconds. Motion passes.

4. Charity Basketball Game
   a. Got a few more donations

5. Free Pizza
   a. Free pizza at tonight’s game

SAB Minutes
   - UPG cook in (like a cook out) Thursday (3/26)

Good of the Association
   - Meeting with Troy Ross about over 21 housing (3/3) 10am.

Adjournment
Roman motions to adjourn meeting, JD seconds. Meeting adjourned.
Student Government Association Senate Meeting

In Attendance: Meena, LaRonn, Brian, Amanda, Leigha, Roman, Josh, Paola, Sara, Maria, Mike, Rob, Jake, JD, JR, Carly, Brianna
- Carly motions to approve minutes and agenda Jake seconds. Motion passes.

Officer Reports:

SGA President Meena:
- Pitt day in Harrisburg tomorrow (3/4)

Senate President LaRonn:

Speaker of the House Brian:
- More baskets
- House meeting went well

Senate Vice-President Amanda:
- Three candidates (LaRonn, Brian, Rob)
- Elections meeting after spring break

Parliamentarian Roman:
- Meeting for over 21 housing
  o Not necessarily a dry campus no alcohol in dorms, must have permission for a program
  o May take time possibly a year to a year and a half

Senate Treasurer Josh:
- Budget committee (three meetings before the extravaganza)
- Time TBA

Senate Secretary Leigha:

Public Relations Chair Mike:
- Logo
- Roman motions to approve logo, Rob seconds. Motion passes.

SGA Advisor Al:

Committee Reports:
1. CFAD
   a. No email from Bob
2. PR
   a. Flyers going out this week
b. T-shirt deadline Friday (3/6)
c. Ideas for spirit shirts (sold at basketball games) are welcome
d. Seaton hill meeting at Panera (3/20)

3. CR
   a. Commuter breakfast tomorrow (3/4)

4. CSCI
   a. Earth hour March 28th
   b. Fire, food, fun, drum circle?

Business
1. Mike motions to move into closed session. Motion passes
2. Budgets
   a. Criminal justice budget
      i. Sara motions to approve budget, Roman second. Budget approved.
   b. Ethnological Adventure society
      i. Roman motions to approve budget, Rob seconds. Budget approved.
3. Mike motions to move out of closed session, Rob seconds. Motion passes.
4. Senate applications
   a. Applications due March 31st
   b. No signatures on application just fill out bio
5. Greensburg Community Days
6. Supplemental Questions
   a. Questions for student feedback about campus
      i. Questions about dining services
      ii. Over 21 housing
   b. Think over spring break. **Come back with thoughts for questions.**
7. Into the Streets
   a. Incentive for club participation
8. Charity Basketball Game
   a. Committee breakouts
   b. PR
      i. A bunch of different flyers (basketball shape, bookmarks)
   c. Halftime
      i. Only buffalo wild wings challenge
      ii. Mascots fight with noodles
   d. Prizes
      i. Able to buy all the prizes

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Good of the Association
- Matching donations up to 5,000

Adjournment
- Mike motions to adjourn meeting, JR seconds. Motion passes.
Student Government Association Senate Meeting

In Attendance: Meena, LaRonn, Amanda, Josh, Rob, JR, Leigha, JD, Mike, Disha, Jake, Sara, Paola, Carly, Maria, Brianna
- Mike motions to approve agenda and minutes, Rob seconds. Motion passes.

Officer Reports:

SGA President Meena:

Senate President LaRonn:

Speaker of the House Brian:

Senate Vice-President Amanda:
- New petitions
- Begin campaigns for the big three
- Ballots out in two weeks (3/30)

Parliamentarian Roman:

Senate Treasurer Josh:
- Budget extravaganza meetings
- Meeting Thursday (1/19)

Senate Secretary Leigha:

Public Relations Chair Mike:
- Meeting with other colleges Sunday (3/22) at 6 at Panera

SGA Advisor Al:
- Into the streets is coming up
- Sending the leadership award

Committee Reports:
1. CFAD
   a. Trying to schedule another meeting
2. PR
   a. Flyer for basketball game are out
   b. Voting on t-shirts
3. CR
4. CSCI

Business
1. Petitions
   a. Sim Waseer
b. Collin Meenihan  
c. Gabrielle Revenis

**Mike motions to move into closed session, Jake seconds. Motion passes.**  
- Mike motions to approve Sim as a senator, Rob seconds. Motion passes.  
- Jr motions to approve Collin as a senator, Jake seconds. Motion passes.  
- JD motions to approve Gabrielle as a senator, Paola seconds. Motion passes.

2. **Budgets**  
   a. **Pi Sigma Alpha**  
      i. Rob motions to approve budget, Sara seconds. Motion passes.  
   b. **Circle K**  
      i. Mike motions to approve budget, JD seconds. Motion passes.  

**Jr motions to move out of closed session, Jake seconds. Motion passes.**

3. **Charity Basketball game**  
   a. Should we match how much is raised at the game with a cap?  
      i. Mike motions to match the money raised up to 5,000, Sara seconds.  
         Motion passes.  
   b. Making sure we get participants for the game.  
      i. Begin reaching out to teachers to play  
   c. 15 student players  
   d. 10$ per person to play (same as last year)

4. **Supplemental Questions (keep thinking about them)**  
   a. Ask students about closing bobcat for breakfast?  
   b. Students like to see a burrito maker?  
   c. Ask about thoughts on events?  
   d. What would make you more likely to join SGA?  
   e. Thoughts on community garden?  
   f. Maybe a list of what students want to see changed the most?  
   g. Ask about the library hours, would students use it? Do they use the library now?

5. **Tabling the election to inform students (also to advertise charity basketball game)**  
   a. Do we want pizza?  
   b. Basketball cookies?

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**Good of the Association**  
- Think about how many senator spots we have left

**Adjournment**  
- Mike motions to adjourn the meeting, Maria seconds. Motion passes.
Student Government Association Senate Meeting

In Attendance: Meena, LaRonn, Amanda, Josh, Roman, Leigha, JD, Mike, Jake, Sara, Paola, Carly, Maria, Sim, Collin, Gabby

Motion to approve agenda and minutes, Jake seconds. Motion passes.

Officer Reports:

SGA President Meena:
- Meeting with Dr. Smith next Thursday
- Ordering Sweat shirts

Senate President LaRonn:
- BJ from the bobcat is out and unable to work due to breast cancer. We want to do something to show that we care.
  - Card?

Speaker of the House Brian:
- UPG press wants to talk about budget

Senate Vice-President Amanda:
- Getting on top of over 21 housing

Parliamentarian Roman:
- Sign-ups for student in the SGA office
  a. More flyers

Senate Treasurer Josh:

Senate Secretary Leigha:

Public Relations Chair Mike:

SGA Advisor Al:
- Working on new websites. More information TBA
- Sign up for transition seminar (4/3, 4-6pm) will be coming out

Committee Reports:
1. CFAD
2. PR
   a. Sign-ups for student in the SGA office
   b. More flyers
3. CR
4. CSCI

Business
1. Supplemental questions
   a. Take a look at questions. Any additional feedback is welcomed.
2. Charity Basketball Game (get people excited)
   a. Waiting on conformation for mascot fight.
   b. Cheerleaders can be there if they want.
   c. Shirts are ordered.
d. One side of half time is a shoot-out competition. Other half is buffalo wild wings.
e. Black Burn speaking at the end.

   a. Starting at 12pm
   b. Plan to be there until six

**SAB Minutes**
- Coffee house performer (3/5)
- Cheesy joke day (4/1)
- Lacy Green (3/30)
- Volley ball 9:30 pm (3/31)

**Good of the Association**
- Thursday (3/26) chemo demo. Free pizza!
- Wednesday (3/25) drunk driving talk.
- **Turn in petitions!**

**Adjournment**
- Mike motions to adjourn, Roman seconds. Motion passes.
Student Government Association Senate Meeting

- JR motions to approve agenda, Maria seconds. Motion passes.
- Josh motions to approve minutes, JD seconds. Motion passes

In Attendance: Meena, LaRonn, Josh, Rob, JR, Roman, Leigha, JD, Mike, Disha, Jake, Sara, Paola, Maria, Colling, Gabby, Brian

Officer Reports:

SGA President Meena:

Senate President LaRonn:

Speaker of the House Brian:
- checking baskets

Senate Vice-President Amanda:

Parliamentarian Roman:

Senate Treasurer Josh:

Senate Secretary Leigha:

Public Relations Chair Mike:
- Around ten players for students and faculty

SGA Advisor Al:
- Do the survey AAU
- Voting has begun
- Rob don’t lose to a grilled cheese sandwich

Committee Reports:

1. CFAD
2. PR
3. CR
4. CSCI

1. Business

Rob motions to move into closed session, JR seconds. Motion passes.

2. Senator Applications
   a. Sara motions to approve Carly as a senator, Josh seconds. Senator approved.
   b. Sara motions to approve Jr as a senator, Paola seconds. Senator approved.
   c. Josh motions to approve Paola as a senator, Mike seconds. Senator approved.
   d. Maria motions to approve Sara as a senator, Josh seconds. Senator approved.
e. Paola motions to approve Disha as a senator, JD seconds. Senator approved.
f. Mike motions to approve JD as a senator, Mike seconds. Senator approved.
g. Mike motions to approve Leigha as a senator, Collin seconds. Senator approved.
h. Rob motions to approve Jake as a senator, Gabby seconds. Senator approved.
i. Mike motions to approve Amanda as a senator, JD seconds. Senator approved.
j. Sara motions to approve Mike as a senator, Josh seconds. Senator approved.

Rob motions to move out of closed session, Mike seconds. Motion passes.

3. Executive nominations
   a. Mike nominates Jake as vice president. Jake accepts.
   b. Meena nominates Leigha as Treasurer. Leigha accepts.
   c. Brian nominates Sara as Secretary. Sara accepts.
   d. Mike nominates himself for PR chair. Mike accepts.
   e. Sara nominates herself for vice president. Sara accepts.
   f. Mike nominates Disha for PR chair. Disha accepts.
   g. Josh nominates Gabby for secretary. Gabby accepts.

4. AAU Sexual Assault and Climate Survey
   a. Do the survey!! Prizes!

5. Charity Basketball Game
   a. Everyone will be emailed with a time to be there and instructions.
   b. Everyone in logistics is meeting at 4:30 pm
   c. Everyone needs to sign up for shifts for the ticket table and prize monitor. Half hour shifts
   d. Promote the game!

6. Budget Extravaganza Recap
   a. Everything ran on schedule.
   b. Make sure the word gets out how the new system works.

SAB Minutes
   - Cheesy joke day is tomorrow (4/1), cheesy foods in the bobcat!!
   - Volleyball tournament tonight 9:30 (3/31)
   - Buy spring fling tickets

Good of the Association
   - Mike motions to impeach LaRonn, Jake seconds. Motions is under review.

Adjournment
   - Mike motions to adjourn meeting, Josh seconds.
Student Government Association Senate Meeting

In Attendance: Meena, LaRonn, Josh, Rob, JR, Roman, Leigha, JD, Mike, Disha, Jake, Sara, Paola, Carly, Maria, Brianna, Sim, Gabby

- JR motions to approve agenda, Robs seconds. Motion passes.
- JD motions to approve minutes, JR seconds. Motion passes.

Officer Reports:

SGA President Meena:
- Meeting with dr. Smith Thursday

Senate President LaRonn:

Speaker of the House Brian:

Senate Vice-President Amanda:

Parliamentarian Roman:

Senate Treasurer Josh:

Senate Secretary Leigha:

Public Relations Chair Mike:

SGA Advisor Al:
- Election announces at game
- Supplemental questions
  - Good feedback
  - People want to fix the bridge
  - Fix parking and bike racks
  - Copies of questions and election results sitting in the office
- Simplicity program
  - New layout is easy to use
  - Very useful
  - App associated with it “Corq”
- Meeting in the hempfield room next week

Committee Reports:
1. CFAD
2. PR
3. CR
   a. Commuter cookout coming soon
4. CSCI
Business

Roman motions to move into closes session, Sara seconds. Motion passes.

1. Budgets
   a. Pi Gama Mu
      i. Sara motions to approve budget, Maria seconds. Budget approved.
   b. DPO
      i. Motion to approve the budget for zero dollars with the stipulation for resubmission, JR seconds. Motion passes.

2. Senator Applications
   a. Rob motions to approve Maria’s petition, Jake seconds. Maria is approved as a senator.

Rob motions to move out of closed session, Mike seconds. Motion passes.

3. Elections
   Mike motions to move into closed session, Carly seconds. Motion passes.
   a. Vice President
      i. Sara elected Vice President.
   b. Treasurer
      i. Leigha is elected Treasurer.
   c. Secretary
      i. Gabby is elected Secretary.
   d. PR chair
      i. Mike is elected PR chair.

Rob motions to move out of closed session, Gabby seconds. Motion passes.

   e. Nominations for parliamentarian
      i. Josh nominates JR, JR accepts.
      ii. Rob nominates Disha, Disha accepts.
      iii. Mike nominates JD, JD accepts.

4. Charity Basketball Game Recap
   a. Everything went really well
   b. Half time was good
      i. Move the half time closer
   c. Say the basket names more times to make it clear.
   d. Try improve attendance for next year.
   e. Set up went smoothly

5. Next Thursday leadership ceremony (9/16)

SAB Minutes
   - Eric O’shea in the chapel (4/7)
   - Thursday Mario cart for hall Olympics

Good of the Association
Adjournment

- Mike motions to adjourn, JD seconds. Motion passes.
Student Government Association Senate Meeting

In Attendance: Meena, LaRonn, Josh, Rob, JR, Roman, Leigha, JD, Mike, Disha, Jake, Sara, Paola, Maria, Brianna, Sim, Collin, Gabby, Carly

Sara motioned to approve agenda and minutes, JD seconds. Motion passes.

Officer Reports:

SGA President Meena:

Senate President LaRonn:

Speaker of the House Brian:
- House meeting went well

Senate Vice-President Amanda:

Parliamentarian Roman:

Senate Treasurer Josh:

Senate Secretary Leigha:

Public Relations Chair Mike:

SGA Advisor Al:

Committee Reports:
1. CFAD
   a. Meeting tomorrow
2. PR
3. CR
4. CSCI

Business
Josh motions to move into closed session, Mike seconds. Motion passes.
1. DPO Budget: Crown of Gamma
   a. Mike motions to approve budget, Rob seconds. Motion passes.
Rob motions to move out of closed session, Jake seconds. Motion passes.
2. CollegiateLink
   a. Sara motions to approve CollegiateLink budget for up to $5,500, Roman seconds. Motion passes.
3. Summer retreat
   a. July 17th
4. Leadership Ceremony
   a. Thursday 4/16 11:45 pm

SAB Minutes
   - Yoga workshop 4/14

Good of the Association

Adjournment
   - Jake motions to adjourn meeting, JD seconds. Meeting adjourned.