



**MONROE COMMUNITY COLLEGE
STUDENT ASSOCIATION SENATE MEETING
MINUTES FOR
Monday, August 26, 2013 2:30 PM, SGA Meeting Room 3-127**

Student Senators:

Academic Clubs Senator Jopson
At-Large Senator Poloznik
Liberal Arts Senator Ho -**absent**

Science, Health & Business Senator Wyble
Service Club Senator Schollnick
Social Clubs Senator Williams
Technical Education Senator Sweet-**absent**

President:

Nelson Clark

Vice-President:

Mark White

Speaker of the Senate:

Adrian Hale

SL&LD Advisor:

Elizabeth Stewart

SL&LD Advisor:

Rebecca Herzog

SA Secretary

Lisa Truman

Visitors: John Wadach-Engineering Leadership Council (ELC), Sean Reid-Engineering Leadership Council (ELC), Felisa Sze-ELC, Kaiwen Zhong-ELC

I. CALL TO ORDER (2:45 pm)

A. Roll Call

(See attendance above)

II. SPEAK TO THE SENATE

Sean Reid-Engineering Leadership Council (ELC) completed justification with Shirley Provost to vote to change ELC from club to organization status. Speaker Hale asked Mr. Reid to provide a justification form so it could be listed as an item on the 9/10 agenda for a vote. Advisor Stewart clarified process. The justification will be put on the 9/6/13 pre-agenda for a 9/10/13 vote. Advisor Stewart stated the ELC has been in existence over 24 years and if it does not have members, Mr. Wadach will ensure members by actively recruiting. The ELC is a hands-on activities based club that also participates nationally in engineering based activities. There is a club attendance of approximately 25 students, but attendance can go to 100 attendees at various functions.

III. REPORTS

Senator Jopson

Senator Jopson has been working with Senator Poloznik on the Constituion Day Project. He has decided on two activities during the event, a Jeopardy session and a debate session. There is a new time for the event which will now be 10am to 2pm. The time change is due to the SGA meetings at 2:15pm on Tuesdays. Senator Jopson was also thinking of having a speaker or speakers come in at night. If we run short of speakers, we can show a movie at night to cover the rest of the time. Senator Jopson is looking for two, possibly three volunteers per table if that works for the event.

Advisor Stewart voiced concern on holding two simultaneous events with splitting attendance and having enough staffing. Advisor Stewart suggests splitting event into two (2) one-hour events. Advisor Stewart reminds all that any evening events require an advisor to be present.

Speaker Hale suggests just one, strong, executable idea with no evening event. President Clark suggests a mobile display to advertise event. Senator Schollnick suggests using WMCC for promotions and having an SGA informational booth to sign-up to receive further information.

Advisor Stewart

Reminds all of upcoming dates to keep in mind. September 18, 2013 is the Student Leader picnic in Monroe A& B sponsored by acting VP of Student Services, Christopher Belle-Isle. This is not mandatory attendance, but Advisor Stewart would appreciate if all SGA members attended. The student leadership retreat is 9/27/13, 9/28/13, and 9/29/13. This is an all-weekend event held at Camp Stella-Maris. Information to follow shortly on OrgSync. You must attend the informational meeting to go on the retreat.

Shirley Provost is holding a Forms Training Session this Wed. 9/28/13. If anyone is interested, contact Shirley for details. If you missed the SGA Training, there will be a follow-up training Wed. 10/9/13 from 3pm to 8pm.

Advisor Herzog

Discusses details of Homecoming September 21, 2013. There will be food, rides, games and entertainment that will take place from 2:30pm until 7pm in the parking lot by building #4. After, students can use their wrist bands to see the University of Rochester Yellowjackets free of charge in the theater. Additional pricing for other attendees are posted. It will be a "Grease" themed homecoming celebration. Advisor Herzog suggested the homecoming would be a perfect venue to have the SGA informational table and sign-up sheet available. There would be a large crowd and a lot of interested students passing by. Advisor Herzog offered to assist with securing a table and arranging a location.

IV. OLD BUSINESS

There was no old business.

V. NEW BUSINESS

There was no new business.

VI. QUESTIONS & COMMENTS

There were no questions or comments.

VII. ADJOURNMENT

Speaker Hale called for a motion for adjournment. Senator Schollnick so moved, with a second from Vice-President White. A vote was taken.

The meeting was adjourned at 3:35pm.

VIII. EXECUTIVE SESSION

Respectfully submitted,

Lisa Truman
SA Secretary