SGA Senate

February 8th, 2024

I. CALL TO ORDER
II. ROLL CALL
III. MOMENT OF SILENCE
IV. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE
V. PASSING OF AGENDA
- The agenda passed.

VI. PASSING OF MINUTES
- The minutes passed.

VII. SPECIAL BUSINESS
VIII. STUDENT FORUM
- Treasure wished everyone a good Friday.

IX. OFFICER REPORTS
- Madame President

- She had a Light the Fountain meeting.
- They settled on a time for a shared governance meeting.
- She handed off the grocery run bus information to Student Welfare.
- She has been talking to Pro-Tempore Britton about voter registration.

- Madame Vice President

- She's been working with the chairs to get more people to run.
- She said a thank you to Chair McGinnis for the table.

- Madame Treasurer

- 25 orders and 46 items ordered.
- One more week of fundraising.
- Taco Mama Spirit Night for April 15th (tentatively).
- She updated the SGA calendar with the new election timeline.
- She booked Student Welfare's outreach table.
- She helped Freshman Forum Advisor Kusz with the p-card for the party.
- She is working with Chairwoman Ledlow on moving a survey to Campus Groups for feedback.
- She is working on ordering general SGA stickers.

- Madame Secretary

- She received the name tags for the new senators.
- She developed a spreadsheet for awards for Inaugaration.

- Freshman Forum Advisor Kusz

- Student Welfare passed a bill for a therapy dog event.
- Outreach and Philanthropy has a candy-grams event.
- Public Relations did a group picture and make-up headshots.

- Pro-Tempore Britton

- They finalized the Resolution to Dining Services.
- She and Freshman Forum Advisor Kusz are working on the party.
- She worked at the table this morning for outreach.
- She spoke about being pro-tempore at the interest meeting.

• Chief Of Staff Wilder

- He reached out to Cindy Conlon about dates for visiting the building, but it had to be pushed back due to circumstances.
- He has not received a reply for the housing situation.
- He has a meeting tomorrow about the 5k in the fall.

• Historian Gilliland

- An interview fell through yesterday.

• DIA Ballenger

- She's been helping Chairwoman Ledlow with the donation bins.
- She asked for ideas for book submissions with OneBook.

• Communications Director Elliott

- She ordered "I voted" stickers.
- She is working on graphics.

X. CHAIR REPORTS

• Chairwoman McGinnis

- She said thank you to those who worked at the table.
- They had 6 rejections, 3 modifications, and 5 approvals.
- They are working on a new system for their meetings.
- They are finalizing the manual.
- She gave a shout out to Senator Cantrell.

• Chairwoman Crawford

- There are 50 submissions for the declaration of candidacy. It closes tomorrow.
- The interest meeting went well.
- Campaigning begins Monday.
- There is no campaigning in the chambers.
- Officers cannot endorse people running.
- The mandatory candidate meeting is tomorrow at 5.
- An appeal went through to the Judicial Branch. A student that was in Freshman Forum and in senate but dropped wanted to run for an officer position, and he disagreed with the Constitution changes.
- Dr. Tammy furthered explained. Senate had been using an outdated version of the Constitution. Judicial is figuring out what needs to go into play for the students.

• Chairwoman Ledlow

- GUC table is booked.
- She is still in contact with Jimmy Waddell on previous donation events.
- She is working with DIA Ballenger on the donation event.
- Treasurer Batchelor is helping her with the survey.

• Chairwoman Rhoades

- She had a meeting with Dr. Tammy regarding Pride Points.
- She met with her committee to discuss the table and the poster.
- They have their table booked.
- They are working on advertising Pride Points more.

• Chairwoman Mardis

- They finished a presentation to explain Higher Ed Day.
- They went to Sam's Jacobra stood on the buggy.

- She said to let her know if you can't go.
- She said to let her know if you can or can't go to CLEG.
- If you have recommendations for legislators to visit, she said to let her know.
- They had their outreach table.

XI. SHARED GOVERNANCE

- The international shared governance discussed the submissions for the scholarship award application.
- The AI Taskforce is having two separate meetings.

XII. OLD BUSINESS

- Suggested Adjustment for New Senate Size
  -Chairwoman Mardis said that they will keep the committees as is without adding the Philanthropy committee.
  -Treasurer Batchelor said it can be evaluated as needed.
- Freshman Forum Reconstruction
  -The number of advisors, the number of delegates, and the committees and how they run are what needed to be discussed in the ad hoc committee.
  -The meeting will be in the chambers.

XIII. NEW BUSINESS

- Student Activity Fee Redistribution
  -Dr. Tammy explained how the student activity fee allocations are being redistributed. 1.5% is being proposed to be shifted from Leadership and Volunteerism to the Pride Pantry.
  -Chairwoman McGinnis said the software for the Pantry would help them a lot because they use forms on Campus Groups right now. The software would help them make it more like a store inventory rather than just Campus Groups.
  -It was tabled.
- Resolution 24-01
  -Pro-Tempore Britton explained the format changes.
  -The resolution is to thank the dining service workers for working during the snowstorm.
  -The Resolution was passed.
- Letter to Senate

XIV. OPEN DISCUSSION

XV. ADVISOR'S REPORT

- She said anyone can apply. Eligibility can be looked at later.

XVI. ANNOUNCEMENTS

- Miss UNA is Friday.
- There will be a Mardi Gras Carnival in the GUC atrium on February 13

XVII. SENATOR OF THE WEEK

- Shout-outs for recruitment efforts: Olivia, Mandy, Anjalee, Nick, Kaylee, and Bryson. Congratulations, legends.

XVIII. PEP

- Pep to Anjalee.
- Pep to committee chairs.
- Pep to everyone who talked during the interest meeting.
- Pep to Dr. Tammy.
- Pep to Nicole.
- Pep to senate.
- Pep to Kerigan.
- Pep to new senators.
- Pep to Bryson.

XIX. ADJOURNMENT

If you are unable to attend a meeting, let Averie know by 8 A.M. on the Thursday the meeting is scheduled by emailing ayeager2@una.edu