



Student Senate Meeting

October 15, 2009

1) Attendance:

- a) **Present:** Afrah Mohammed, Alyssa Burdett, Anna Olson, Ariel Gittens, Austin Ertelt, Brad Bartz, Brennan Blomgren, Calvin Bella, David Edwards, Dylan Olson, Ellie Hemmingson, Emmalee Kuphal, Gretchen Hintze, Heather Knigge, Idmand, Katie Benke, Krista Hillyer, Kristi Heide, Kristi Kuhl, Kyle Sorkness, Kyle Tidemand, Mandy Kuhnau, Mark Langton, Sara Abdi, Shukri Bashir, Tim Walsworth.
- b) Excused: Meri Pearson, Justin Pinotti, and Kevin Salchert.
- c) Unexcused: Amanda Arnold

2) Call to order at 5:00pm

3) Devotion/Prayer

- a) Katie opened us in a prayer

4) Budget Report by Mandy Kuhnau

- a) Capital Budget \$7,500, Remaining \$7,500.00
- b) Internal \$7,830, Remaining \$7,281.69
- c) Office Supplies \$3,140, Remaining \$2,394.50
- d) Clubs and Orgs \$10,000, Remaining \$9,781.78
- e) CAB \$30,000, Remaining \$22,245.16
- f) Work Study \$25,000, Remaining \$20,741.56
- g) Total Budget \$83,670.00, Remaining \$69,403.87

5) CAB Updates

- a) October 28 is the blood drive here on campus from 11am-4pm
 - i) Please sign up for a time to volunteer.
 - (1) Greeters
 - (2) Unloading (10:30am)
 - (3) Loading (4:30pm)
 - (4) Refreshment table

- b) Halloween party in the Underground on October 31
 - i) We need someone to be “bartender”
 - ii) If you work an hour and a half you get a winter formal ticket free! ☺
 - iii) COME TO THE PARTY! Wear your costume
 - iv) On Saturday the 17th, at 10:45 a bus is heading to Marshall MN, to watch our football and volleyball. Only \$15 for food, tickets, and transportation. That’s a good deal!!
 - v) Winter Formal is in the works.
- 6) **Committee Reports by Austin**
 - a) Figure out who your chair is
 - b) Get a time to meet
- 7) **Old Business**
 - a) The total will be \$607.01
 - b) The speakers are business related
 - c) It will be applicable for all majors, not just business
 - d) The presenters will be able to meet with the students and also presenting
 - e) This has been talked about by students around campus – very positive talk!
 - f) Business club has been sponsoring other events and they have been positive
 - g) In other clubs that you are in encourage them to attend
 - h) This is not only benefitting by learning, but opening doors to the students
 - i) Katie Benke made a motion to amend the motion to \$407.01
 - j) Motion seconded by Austin Ertelt
 - k) Austin Ertelt called to question
 - l) Dylan Olson seconded
 - m) Motion passed to give \$407.01 to Business Club for their Networking event
- 8) **New Business**
 - a) Leadership Retreat Share Time – What we learned
 - i) Anna met a lot of new people and learned new ideas, a lot of students want to change things on campus and it looks like that will happen
 - ii) Gretchen loved the meals because building community happened and a lot of fun was had
 - iii) Katie learned about collaboration and getting out of your comfort zone. Planning time was beneficial. Find people to write a proposal with
 - iv) Dylan had a great time and gained a lot of leadership skills.
 - v) If the only tool in your toolbox is a hammer, you’ll treat everything like a nail.
 - vi) David liked the audience participation.
 - vii) Dylan took the “primary and secondary” concept home. After 7 seconds of talking to someone you make a judgment of someone.
 - viii) Tim – how you view things and your emotions affect how you lead and interact with others.
 - ix) Shukri agrees with Dylan. Breaking stereotypes!
 - x) As humans we see the world from where we are at rather than where it really is.
 - b) Student Savings Club
 - i) When you give your constituents a magnet, tell them about the program.
 - ii) Look at the website www.studentsavingsclub.com
 - c) Email your constituents, keep them up to date on things going on in senate, and send a copy to Alyssa (burdetta@csp.edu)

d) MAPCS

i) A co-president will be here tomorrow October 16, 2009 at 9am in the Senate office.

9) Announcements

a) There is a leadership retreat on October 23-24, 2009

**Support the Theater Department by attending The Tempest tonight,
Friday, and Saturday at 7:30pm and Sunday at 2pm. It's \$5 with your
student ID**

10) Conclusion and Adjournment at 5:51pm