



Student Senate Meeting

September 17, 2009

1) Attendance:

i) Present: Alyssa Burdett, Mandy Kuh nau, Emmalee Kuphal, Katie Benke, Meri Pearson, Tim Walsworth, Kristi Kuhl, Bradley Bartz, Amanda Arnold, Ellie Hemmingson, Austin Ertelt, Gretchen Hintze, Dylan Olson, Billy Schultz, Kyle Sorkness, Krista Hillyer, Kristi Heide, Kyle Tidemand, Shruki Bashir, Heather Knigge, David Edwards

ii) Excused: Mark Langton, Anna Olson, Ariel Gittens, Brennan Blomgren

2) Call to order at 5:00pm

3) Devotion/Prayer

a) Alyssa opened us in a prayer

4) Introductions

5) Officer Reports

6) Budget Report by Mandy Kuh nau

a) Capital Budget \$7,500, Remaining \$7,500.00

b) Internal \$7,830, Remaining \$7,830

c) Office Supplies \$3,140, Remaining \$3,080.00

d) Clubs and Orgs \$10,000, Remaining \$9,978.47

e) CAB \$30,000, Remaining \$25,422.62

f) Work Study \$25,000, Remaining \$23,464.50

g) Total Budget \$83,670.00, Remaining \$ **76,495.84**

7) Questions about the budget

a) CAB and Student Senate can work together to put on events

b) The Capital Budget is for Senator to use to better campus

8) CAB Updates

a) Homecoming is on the calendar – full week of events

b) CAB needs YOU! (senators) to sit at the Tunnel Table

c) There will be a calendar for homecoming events

d) To sign up for the tunnel table go to google.docs

i) 2 people should sit at the table per hour

- ii) Advertise in a positive manner
- e) Sand volleyball on the knoll, coffee house, dodgeball, and carnival are all during homecoming.
- f) If you have ideas of events you would like to see on campus, talk to a CAB member or email CAB at CAB@csp.edu
- g) TONIGHT IS MYSTERY GAME NIGHT – 8:30 at the BEC
- 9) **Committee Reports by Austin**
 - a) see Senate Manual for descriptions of committees.
- 10) Student Senate Manuals
 - a) They are yours!
 - b) Bring them to meetings (you can keep them in your room or the senate office in a box)
- 11) **What do you think Student Senate is?**
 - a) Voice for students
 - b) Student leaders
 - c) We can make decisions
 - d) Take action for what students want to see on campus
- 12) **Senate Representative Duties**
 - a) See the binder for details
 - b) You will be assigned constituents to keep them informed about what student senate is doing. (i.e. email them the minutes, keep them informed about CAB activities)
- 13) **Proposals**
 - a) You are expected to write a proposal for the year.
 - b) The proposals are due Mondays at 11:59pm (you can email them or turn in a hard copy)
 - c) The proposals come out of the capital budget
 - d) *get to know your parliamentary procedures to help make the meetings run smoother*
 - e) Talk to your constituents about the proposal to get their opinions on it and speak for them at the meetings.
- 14) Announcements
- 15) Follow **@CSP4fun** and **@CSPsenate** on twitter
- 16) Senate Meetings every Thursday at 5pm , all students are welcome to come to meetings.
- 17) If you have a design for our senate shirts email Emmalee (kuphale1@csp.edu) preferably by next Thursday.
- 18) **Conclusion and Adjournment at 5:59pm**