Student Senate  
March 19, 2013  
J.W. Jones Student Union  
Boardroom, 7:00 p.m.

I. Opening  
   a. Call to Order  
   b. Pledge of Allegiance  
   c. Roll Call  

II. Hearing of Agenda Related Items

III. President’s Report  
   a. Election Update  
      i. Link should go live on Friday for what you can run for due April 8th  
   b. President Ziemer and Senator Raffety met with Monica and Clearance from University Police and talked about adjustments that could be made to the current Safe Ride Program. Some things that were discussed were a possible shuttle service. Some days that were suggested were Wed., Fri., and Sat. until 2am. The shuttle would pick up at the bar and drop off at certain designated areas around campus. This shuttle would be in addition to the current Safe Ride Program.  
   c. The Advocacy hour question for this week is: What streets would be best for pick up and drop if the shuttle service was implemented?

IV. Vice President’s Report  
   a. No Report.

V. Secretary’s Report  
   a. Additions, corrections, deletions to the minutes of the last meeting? There were none.  
   b. Correspondence: Congrats to Student Media on their National Honors.

VI. Treasurer’s Report  
   a. Balance: $20,580.30

VII. Committee Reports  
   a. Events Planning  
      i. Info Tables for Senate will be Wednesday, March 20 on the bottom floor at info table one and Wednesday, April 3 in the Map Area. There will be computers at the tables for people to sign up to be associate members and to run for election for next fall.  
      ii. Northwest Week is also coming up April 8-12. Monday we will be handing out free t-shirts, Tuesday and Wednesday we will be having a cash cab, and Thursday a photo booth in the union.  
   b. Public Relations
i. Wednesday, March 20 from 5-8pm in the union ballroom Delta Chi, the Wellness Center, To Write Love on Her Arms, and GAMMA will be putting on their 4th Annual Suicide Prevention Program.

c. Student Affairs

i. Senators Peitzmeier (Mel) and Kunkel will begin working on next/last constituency report after spring break. If you have any ideas for the constituency report please let them know.

ii. Tower Service Awards Winners have been chosen and the Awards Ceremony will be April 8th in the Ballroom. The reception will be at 3:30-4pm and the actual award ceremony will be 4-5pm.

iii. The City Liaison position needs filled and if you are interested please contact Senators Peitzmeier (Mel) or Kunkel! Applications will be sent out this week and are due April 9th.

d. Governmental Affairs

i. Funding Policy Amendments were proposed that would allow organizations have opportunity to get funding for consecutive years for the same event.

ii. We will also possibly looking at changes in election policy. Changes may include not having to have organization sponsorship to get posters approved.

e. Organizational Affairs

i. Recognition

1. Kappa Sigma
   
   1. Recently got approval from national group to install a colony on campus, currently have 32 members, plan on doing more recruiting, misunderstanding with national advisors in the past, more support from nationals and more organized this go-round
   
   2. Scholarship, leadership, fellowship, and service: study hours, requirements to be involved is 2.0, national philanthropy is the fisher house: disabled veterans and their families, anti-hazing, two organizations on campus so gets more people involved on campus
   
   3. Not recognized nationally by IFC
   
   4. Kunkel said that if they are taking initiative and already have 32 members we should recognize them
   
   5. A show of hands

ii. Appropriations
1. Clay Club came to senate to ask for $1,200 for 4 students to attend a ceramic arts conference in Houston, Texas. It will be $3,000 total for the student to go, but with fundraising they did on their own they now only need $1,200. A roll call vote was taken and the motion passed unanimously.

iii. Resolution

1. Writing it in favor of keeping the bar age what it is now, wanting to know our reasons behind it. Some reasons that were suggested were safety and less drinking and driving.

f. Civic Service

i. Committee Meeting tomorrow at 6 p.m. in the IIC

ii. Gearing up for next blood drive after spring break.

VIII. University Committees

IX. Student Liaison

a. No Report.

X. Student Regent

a. In a recap on Thursday’s Board Meeting Senator Raffety talked about:

i. Alcohol Policy Changes: These changes will only be for tailgating in certain parking lots, press box, gaunt house, and on special occasions with the approval of Dr. Jasinski.

ii. Tuition Changes (Instate=3.47%, Out-State=2.97%)

iii. Aladine Prices: Increase .6%

iv. Regent Wyckoff resigned so now the board is down to 5 board members.

XI. RHA

XII. SAC

XIII. Chief of Staff

a. No Report.

XIV. Parliamentarian

XV. Organizational Information

a. Lambda pi eta is putting on a philanthropy event called Cupcake Creations. It will be Thursday April 11th, registration will be at 4:30 and cupcake wars start at 5pm. Contact senators McCoy or Kunkel for more information.

b. April 3rd will be the SigEp Diamonds pageant including 5 contestants and 3 littles from Big Brothers Big Sisters, 7-9pm in CJT.

c. Thank everyone who showed up for TO’s balloon send off.
d. Phi Delt is putting on an Easter egg hunt to benefit ASL. It will be at Beal Park at 1pm, March 31st.

XVI. Unfinished Business
   a. City Liaison Amendment
      i. The purpose of the amendment is just to clean some things up that have needed it for a while. After a hand vote, the motion passed unanimously.

XVII. New Business
   a. Swearing in of new associate member, Colin Porter.

XVIII. Hearing of Non-Agenda Related Items

XIX. Closing
   a. Announcements
      i. April 5th Education Expo from 8:30-1:30.
      ii. IFC walk a mile in her shoes to raise awareness for domestic abuse
      iii. Inspiration: Associate Member Klassen
         1. "You think the dead we love ever truly leave us? You think that we don't recall them more clearly than ever in times of great trouble?" –Harry Potter in Prisoner of Azkaban
         2. We've all got both light and dark inside us. What matters is the part we choose to act on. That's who we really are.- Siriu Black in Order of the Phoenix
         3. What lies behind us and what lies before us are tiny matters compared to what lies within us- Ralph Emerson
      iv. Inspiration for next week: Treasurer Spinner

b. Senator Corbett moved to adjourn the meeting. His motion was seconded by Senator Peitzmeier (Abby) and after a speaking vote the motion passed unanimously.