Legislative Branch: Senate Meeting  
September 29, 2014, Ballroom A  
Meeting called to order at 12:15 p.m. by Senate Chairman, VP Matthias Downs  
Roll Call: Vice President Matthias

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**Approval of Minutes**
- Motion to approve minutes from September 22 by Senator Goolsby
  - Seconded by Senator Ballard
  - Motion carries unanimously

**Executive Reports**

**Secretary Estrada**
- We have a group created for Light the Night October 17th; if you register to walk, you can register to walk with SGA.
- We are up to 385 students that have opted in for push notifications; thanks to those who have been helping with the table outside of the union and the galley. We plan on tabling in Windward soon so keep an eye out for volunteer sign up.
Treasurer Sellers

- 3 Colleges 1 Cause
  - Committee thought that it would be best to move the event to the Spring semester
    - want to have high traffic and warmer weather
  - April 2 is the possible date, checking Forsyth Park Availability
    - week before Spring Fling

- Armstrong Heros
  - $3000 has been allocated for display

- Breathe Strong:
  - Need senate to come up with a number to allocate to initiative

- RSO Budget Hearing:
  - Next one will be towards the end of October. Date TBA

- VP of Business and Finance Search Committee
  - Skype Interviews conclude today
  - Campus interviews will be coming up soon
    - Want senators to comprise 1-2 questions to ask for the Q&A forum for candidates chosen. Date TBA. Will provide additional information as time passes.

- Budget:
  - Senate Budget
    - Allocated: $38,000
    - Expended: $22,121.91
    - Remaining: $15,941.89

Vice President Downs

- Meeting with Interim Provost Dr. Ward today at 2:00PM
  - Further discussion about Student Activity Hours
  - Further discussion about funds for the band

- Promoting the SGA app and upcoming events at the Liberty Center
  - Promotion days for this week will be Sept. 30 (9:00 am) and Oct 1 (9:00 am)
    - Anyone who is interested in participating come to VP Downs during open discussion.

- Meeting with Robert Howard Oct 3 at 8:30 am
  - Discussing the 24 hour computer lab.
  - Update of the copier in the SGA office.
  - App on the “Student Happening” page is still in production.

- Meeting with Cheryl Anderson at 2:00 pm
  - We will look over a list of notable Armstrong Alumni we potentially want to honor at Armstrong Heros night in the spring.

- Meeting with Dr. Lewis Oct 3 at 3:30 pm
• Discuss potential locations for the Armstrong Heros Wall in the Student Union.
  • Awards Committee
    • Any senators interested in serving on this committee come to VP Downs during open
discussion.
  • Special Presentation by Dr. Becky Da Cruz and the Armstrong Moot Court Team.
    • Motion to approve 1,404.50 for the Armstrong Moot Court Tournament.

President Nunez
• JLT tomorrow morning in order to provide a status update on SGA.
• Need a motion to appoint Trevor Chappell as Senator

Senate Leadership Positions
Dean of Students: Yvette Upton
• no report
Advisor: Kate Steiner
• 250 have registered for Treasure Savannah so far.
• Volunteers for the Celebrate Festival still needed. Please fill out form that was sent to your email
  if you would like to participate.
GA: Julie Brentzel
• Cub is hosting first Open Mic Night Tuesday Sept. 30th at 8PM in the Savannah Ballroom.
  Sign up online or in SGA office if you would like to participate.

Committee Reports
• Campus and Community Initiative Committee: Senator Bressler
  • Having a speaker on effects of smoking in November
  • October 28th blood drive. Will be sending volunteer sheet at a later date.
• Elections and Recruitment Committee: Senator Reyes
  • Meeting this Thursday at 9:30 AM
• Business and Finance: Senator Brooks
  • Have a doodle going out please respond
• Rules Committee: Senator Zellner
  • Look out for a doodle to meet to discuss the standards for push notifications
• Student Life Committee: Senator Herod
  • No Report
• Academic Student Success: Senator Wilson
  • No report
• Food crew
  • Spoke with representative from Food Services and we discussed healthier options
  • Next Food Crew Meeting is October 27
• Senate Whip:
No Report

Open Discussion
• Rules suspended at 12:29 pm.
• Rules reinstated at 12:45 pm.

Old Business
• n/a

New Business
• Motion to appoint Trevor Chappell to the SGA Senate as a Senator by Senator Adams
  Seconded by Senator Ballard
  • Motion carries
• Motion to suspend rules by Senator Brooks
  • Seconded by Senator Goolsby
  • Motion carries
• Motion to reinstate the rules by Senator Brooks
  • Seconded by Senator Ballard
  • Motion carries
• Motion to allocate $450 Voice Masters by Senator Bressler
  • Seconded by Senator Goolsby
  • Motion carries
• Motion to approve Domestic Partnership Resolution by Senator Ballard
  • Seconded by Senator Francis
  • Motion carries
• Motion to allocate $1,200 to Armstrong Moot Court Team by Senator Reyes
  • Seconded by Senator Goolsby
  • Motion is tabled by Senator Brooks until next Senate meeting
  • Seconded by Senator Schedit
  • Motion carries

Announcements:
• PFC is having an interest meeting in the Learning Commons Studio M at 5PM

Adjourn
• A motion by Senator Reyes to adjourn
  o Seconded by Senator Bressler
  o Motion carries unanimously
12:52PM