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Meeting Minutes for September 18, 2013

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The regular weekly meeting of the Rollins College Student Government was held on Wednesday, September 18, 2013 at 7:00 pm, at Rollins College in the Bierbach Reid, the Chairman and Clerk being present. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved as correct.

- I. Call to Order
- II. Roll Call
- III. Approval of Minutes
 - a. Minutes were approved
- IV. Executive Reports
 - a. President
 - i. Make sure everyone has been added to the Facebook group
 - ii. Contacting Jeff Eisenbarth VP of finance to have him present tuition dollars presentation.
 - iii. President's Council will be on October 19th from 1 to 4 in the Galloway room
 - iv. Tars Tuesday every Tuesday from 2 to 9 at Tropical Smoothie, half off smoothies.
 - v. Parliamentary election.
 - vi. IFC and OSS senate seats still need to be filled.
 - vii. Office hours for Exec will be in the Box Office, schedule will be posted at the desk.
 - viii. Constitution Day collaboration was a success.
 - ix. Trustee dinner potentially October 9th.
 - x. Dissolve AdHoc Committees, which concern traditions and course evaluation committees
 - b. Vice President
 - i. Talked with Gerard Short, Director of Dining Services, regarding points on agenda. Points discussed:
 1. Cornell Campus Center renovation to become a "world-class dining center".
 2. Meal plan turnouts. New institutions on campus. Meeting the needs of the students.
 3. Burrito Bar and Busch Café was discussed
 4. Are renovations meeting the needs of the students
 - ii. Sign Senator Contracts. If you missed last meeting *and* the Senator Retreat please stay after the meeting to go over contract, etc.
 - iii. Role of Senators in Senate
 1. Please work to limit questions to Open Forum
 2. Come in on time
 - iv. If you have not signed up for a committee yet please do so after the meeting today. If you do not choose one, a committee will be assigned to you.
 - c. Chief Justice
 - i. Please turn senator contracts in to me after meeting today.
 - ii. My committee members please stay after to discuss a time when we can all meet.
 - d. Academic Affairs
 - i. Careers courses.
 1. Going to be an addition to the course catalog, which means courses will be geared towards career building
 - ii. Study abroad (Australia and transfer credit).



- iii. Changes in biochemistry major.
 - 1. Major map has slightly changed with major issues resolved
 - e. Finance
 - i. Initial budget for 2013-2014 SGA = \$20,000
 - 1. Current balance = \$11,878.96
 - ii. Initial budget for 2013-2014 Fox Funds = \$60,000
 - 1. Current balance = \$54,399.59
 - 2. Organizations that received funding as of now: Spectrum, Caribbean Students Association, Games and Multimedia Enthusiasts, Wakeboarding Club, Lambda Chi Alpha, Non Compis Mentis.
 - iii. Head of Fox Funds = Dr. Hoyt Edge
 - iv. Only need 3 voting members (including myself).
 - 1. Come see him after meeting
 - f. Internal Affairs
 - i. Clearly state date, time, and name of constituent outreach events.
 - g. Public Relations
 - i. Piece in Sandspur.
 - ii. Send bios to me by September 20th.
 - iii. Photos will be taken after senate. Be sure to stick around.
 - iv. Banners.
 - h. Student Life
 - i. Still have open spots that need filling: one sophomore and one senior needed. Currently, the first year senator is Adrianna Talbot and the junior senator is Alex Grimm.
 - 1. Need a sophomore and senior senator on Committee
 - ii. First meeting is next Tuesday the 24th at 12:30 PM.
 - i. Events
 - i. Met with Gail Ridgeway from Disability Services.
 - 1. Silver or red ribbons to wear.
 - 2. Scuba diving, music and dancing. Find your sporting ability this Disability Awareness Day over all theme, or “The Many Faces of Disabilities”.
 - 3. Christine and I are doing research on event ideas, but we need your help too. Events focusing on therapies of dance, art, emotional, aquatic, etc. that are student led.
 - ii. President’s council on October 19th. Opportunity to write a piece of legislation for the event.
 - iii. Events committee to meet after senate for 10 minutes.
 - j. Advisors
 - i. Kasey’s introduction
- V. Organizational Senator Reports
- k. Panhellenic
 - i. Working to finalize bylaws
 - ii. Filling open positions
 - l. Reslife
 - i. Going to be adding more information to Facebook
 - m. SAAC
 - i. Not present
 - n. Transfer
 - i. Computers and printers in CSS are very poor quality, so going to try and get someone to check on them
 - o. International Students



- i. No report
- p. IFC
 - i. Not present
- q. REP
 - i. Guest speaker, Nev is going to becoming to Rollins October 2nd at 6:00 pm
 - 1. He is from Catfish
 - ii. On September 26th at 6:00 pm is Novelty Night
- r. OMA
 - i. From September 15 – October 15th is Hispanic Month with events occurring throughout the month
 - ii. September 19th LASA is having an event tomorrow
- s. OSS
 - i. Not present
- t. OCE
 - i. No report

Ad Hoc Committees

- u. Foods Services
 - i. Need three more committee members, so talk to Richard about it

VI. New Business

During New Business elections for parliamentarian occurred, where Ed Leffler was nominated. He stated he would like to be parliamentarian because of his ongoing involvement with SGA and has a good knowledge of parliamentary procedure. Ed was nominated to parliamentarian.

VII. Open Forum

During open forum the process of writing new legislation was discussed. It was discussed that legislation should be written for Disability Awareness Day. It was stated that SGA needs to work to follow parliamentary procedure. The parking situation at Rollins was also brought up for discussion and possibly improving the parking options for students on campus. The way to discuss this is bring up the issue to campus security. It was discussed if SGA should be involved in determining Organization of the Month. For food services, please discuss the hours of CSS and possibly adding a coffee pot to CSS Café. It was brought up that the quality of the toilet paper at Rollins should be looked into because it has been brought up that it is of very low quality. It was brought up that Holt School and A&S SGA could potentially be combined because A&S SGA affects Holt SGA. Holt SGA feels that they do not have a lot of say or voice on campus. It was brought up possibly, adding four members to SGA from Holt. However, this discussion should occur with Holt SGA present. The idea was brought up that Holt could possibly have an organizational seat on senate.

The meeting adjourned at 8:10 pm.

Emily Hendrix, Internal Relations Chair