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The regular weekly meeting of the Rollins College Student Government was held on Month/Day, 2017, at 7:00pm, at Rollins College in the Bieberbach-Reed Room, the Chairman and Clerk being present. The minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved as correct after vote by Senate.

- I. Call to Order
- II. Roll Call
- III. Welcome
- IV. Approval of Minutes
- V. Speakers
 - A. Center for Career and Life Planning (CLP)
 1. Liz Bernstein, Cassie Burns, and Zohra Fazal
 2. Expo in March
 - a) CLP wants SGA to advocate for the Expo by propagating information about it to our constituents
 - b) Presentation
 - (1) Internship Expo is once a year
 - (2) largest experience of the year
 - (3) encourage first years through alumni to attend event
 - (4) purpose is to build networking connections
 - (5) there will be alumni representatives marked with ribbons
 - (6) Fair registration is open on Handshake - not required but a good idea
 - (7) Can see some employers on Handshake
 - (8) encourage students to think outside of their usual box and explore to network better
 - (9) students are encouraged to bring resumes and have them checked by CLP
 - (10) students are also encouraged to come into CLP for other prep like elevator pitch, etc.
 - (11) dress code should be professional
 - (12) there will be a help table with CLP staff the entire time of the Expo
 - (13) Post-card have highlights on them and expo prep sheet (passed out to all of Senate)
 - (14) CLP partners with many other universities and colleges and organizations to give a wider variety of jobs such as Expo

(15) Expo will be on March 23, 2017, 11:30-3:00pm

- c) Contact information for CLP: (from Deanna)
- d) Expo is by invitation only (in regards to employers), but could be extended according to the case
- e) Gartner trip:
 - (1) trip to their facilities in south florida with students as site visit to speak with alumni and leadership as well as networking info
- f) Other networking opportunities:
 - (1) Lunch and learn via Skype
 - (2) Tabling with companies coming in (rep from City Year coming in tomorrow)
 - (3) Can have student solicited company visits to campus through CLP
- g) Ideas for CLP:
 - (1) Distribute fliers in CC
 - (2) Send out fliers to departments and putting fliers on classroom doors or in classrooms
- h) What are conversion rates?
 - (1) Networking experience for exposure; not much data for this (dependent on survey return)
- i) Cassie Burns is head of alumni relations and wants to know what students want from alumni
 - (1) Next step to getting better alumni relations with more purpose is survey which will be circulated through Deanna
 - (2) Please do the survey**
 - (3) Will be out by end of the week

VI. Executive Reports

A. President

- 1. Parking committee meeting tomorrow (discussing ideas)
 - a) Ride sharing
 - b) Changing price of decals
- 2. Gym renovations
 - a) People who gave equipment visited and it went well
 - b) Rearranged and all good to go
- 3. **Dean Wyant will be visiting Senate on March 8th**

B. Vice President

- 1. Lip-sync themes being approved

2. Meeting on Feb. 23 to go over rules
 3. Meeting with public relations committee
 4. Deanna asks all of executive board to say if any positions on their committees are available
- C. Chief Justice
1. One more spot open on Judicial Board
 2. Judicial committee meeting after
- D. Academic Affairs
1. Isabella and Muniba shadowed last meeting and are giving the report this week. Their report:
 - a) Athletic department came and talked about student athletes; we have some of the highest GPAs in the state; working on improving diversity
 - b) Curriculum meeting next week, talked about general structure of that
 - (1) 5-7 minute intro; specific proposals for a few minutes; pre-submitted questions (people will be circulating microphones)
 2. Shayyann says: Thank you to everyone who wrote a question on my post this morning!
 3. Need more questions, so keep them coming
- E. Internal Relations
1. No report
- F. Public Relations
1. No report
- G. Finance
1. Working on guidelines for Fox Funds
 2. \$2,650 left in SGA account for legislation
- H. Student Life
1. Book-set Rollins
 - a) Books will be placed in different places and will be picked up and then given back to same place
 2. Tabling next tuesday
- I. Diversity and Inclusion
- 1. This Friday, Safe Zone training from 1-4pm**
 - a) What is Safe Zone?
 - (1) To become an ally to LGBTQ+ community
 2. Diversity and Inclusion committee meeting after
- J. Attorney General
- K. President Pro Temp

L. Advisor

1. E-mail for safezone; let Sara know and she can send it to you
2. Big blue box with yellow 2017: **student awards banquet** logo
 - a) **purpose is to honor student leaders**
 - b) **April 24**
 - c) **Sara wants people in Senate to nominate themselves or others**
 - d) Sara wants a bigger student voice
 - e) **Nominations open until March 24**
3. Able to attend without receiving a nomination; no need to RSVP
4. Open to Holt and CLA students for nominations and awards
5. Faculty can get awards too; see Andrew Phillips (for future reference)

VII. Organizational Senator Reports

A. CLCE

1. Applications for February immersion to Jacksonville now open
2. **SGA community service**
 - a) **March 25**
 - b) **9am-12pm**
 - c) Liability forms for everyone and lots of other info about it (see Muniba)

B. Wellness

C. Disability

1. Happy to be noticing more alternative text -- in connection with legislation from last year

D. FSL

1. No report

E. Residential Life and Explorations

1. No report

F. LGBTQ

1. Safezone and sensitivity training (see details before; Mariam and Sara)
2. Working on Glitterball event
 - a) New space must be found

G. Student Media

1. Talked to Lauren at Sandspur about having SGA section
 - a) They want a go to person and Komul volunteered and will have to approve everything before it is published
 - b) Bi-weekly publication

H. International Students

1. Chinese New Year at campus center tomorrow
 - I. Student Athletes
- VIII. Ad-Hoc Committees
 - A. Professor Appreciation Day
- IX. Old Business
- X. New Business
 - A. Legislation 1617.19
 1. Approved
 - B. Approval of Internal Relations chair
 1. Approved
 - C. Approval of Public Relations chair
 1. Approved
- XI. Open Forum
 - A. Bookmark Cafe hours
 1. Currently closes at 10:00pm, but maybe should be open later
 - a) Lexi and dining services talked about it and the average of people was low; they will reevaluate next semester
 - b) Has anyone talked about having a Keurig in library
 - (1) Keurig in Dave's
 - c) Vending machines?
 - (1) Vending machines in gym (take r-card)
 - d) Make it a demand with student presence
 - e) Senators should get cool vending machines for campus
 - B. Immigration coalitions
 1. Trust Orlando coalition meeting last week
 - a) Got to take stock of things since the travel ban and how immigrants were affiliated with any type of government facility
 2. Meeting with President Cornwell at 4:30pm tomorrow in Lucy Cross about immigration sanctuary label and his ideas on the matter
 - a) If anyone has any questions, comments, etc. speak to Ryan
 - C. Sustainability Bag Initiative
 1. SGA's stance on the matter:
 - a) Legislation/issue was tabled
 2. Use of paper bags instead of plastic
 - a) Maybe be worthwhile effort
 - b) Initiative should be more Sodexo initiated perhaps
 - D. Male Inclusion

1. Isabella met with Robert Whetstone and will be working with RBBT to implement goals of male community; brainstorming currently about things to do
- E. Title IX representative
1. Concerns how this organized under Wellness Senator's duties
 2. According to constitution, was the best way to accommodate changes and positions added; was placed this way under Matt and Deanna's administration
 3. Can this be changed in constitution?
 - a) Open ended; can be changed by next administration or perhaps legislation
 - b) Tom has met with Orianna and is working as this position
 - c) But it can be open to anyone, who attends the meetings and reports in open forum; so if anyone wants to take the initiative to go to meetings and then report, they may do so
- F. RBBT
1. Meeting tomorrow at 5:15pm in Think Tank (Chase Hall)
- G. Hygiene products
1. Following up:
 - a) Contact through Florida Student Power Union
 - b) Student organization working to get free hygiene products in schools throughout the state
 - c) Working out details still
- H. Great debate
1. This Tuesday (Feb. 21)
 2. In Tiedtke
 3. 7:30pm to 9:30pm
- I. Presentation - Shayyann
1. **Please submit question!**
 - a) **Deadline is Friday at noon!**
 2. Survey is being composed

The meeting adjourned at 8:39 pm.

Sumayyah Ali, Internal Relations Chair