Student Council 2013-2014  
Meeting Minutes  
November 06, 2013  
Rm L2.69

Members Present: Clinton Dyer, Shereef Hassan, Nadia Taskeen, Julio Torres, Gabriella Mungalsingh, Anthony Deda, Julio Torres, Isabel Ocampo, Veronica Acevedo, Faika Kabir, Joanne Jeung, Benedicta Darteh, Vitali Kremez, Ivonne Torres, Grace Agalo-Os, Alisa Matuseuych, Jorge Ortiz III, Jannatul Shifa, Zainab Bhatti, Erick Alonzo, Nicole Ponzo, Kristal Wilkins, Frantz Clement, Taisha Lazare, Dev Sharma

Members Absent: Joshua Medas, Nancy Jeeuth

Presiding Chair: Clinton Dyer  
Presiding Secretary: Nadia Taskeen

The meeting is called to order at 2:04pm

Motion #1: Motion to approve the meeting minutes from October 23, 2013 made by Isabel

Second: Motion seconded by Grace

Discussion: None

Vote: Favor [ALL] Opposed [] Abstain []

Motion Passed

Motion #2: Motion to approve the agenda for November 06, 2013 made by Gabriella

Second: Motion seconded by Julio

Discussion: None

Vote: Favor [ALL] Opposed [] Abstain []

Motion Passed

Motion #3: Motion made to vote Jocelyn Oglivie and Sanjida Meem on a slate for the Honors, Prizes, and Awards committee made by Julio

Second: Motion seconded by Isabel

Discussion: Julio spoke about how these two are not part of any other committees so he recommended them to be voted for on a slate and approved.

Vote: Favor [ALL] Opposed [] Abstain []

Motion Passed

** Vitali Kremez walked in at 2:10pm

Motion #4: Motion made to approve Artem Gurkivskyi to the committee on student interest made by Julio

Second: Motion seconded by Isabel

Discussion: Julio spoke about Janiel Brown having integrity issues and that Artum has been more than willing to join this committee since August

Vote: Favor [ALL] Opposed [] Abstain []

Motion Passed

Motion #5: Motion made to vote Dev Sharma, Benedicta Darteh, and Damilola Iroka on a slate for the Townhall committee made by Julio

Second: Motion seconded by Gabriella

Discussion: None

Vote: Favor [ALL] Opposed [] Abstain []

Motion Passed
Motion #6: Motion made to approve Vitali Kremez to the Graduate and evening services committee made by Julio
Second: Motion seconded by Nadia
Discussion: None
Vote: Favor [ALL] Opposed [] Abstain []
Motion Passed

Motion #7: Motion made to approve Tyheem Parrot to the General education committee made by Julio
Second: Motion seconded by Nadia
Discussion: None
Vote: Favor [ALL] Opposed [] Abstain []
Motion Passed

Motion #8: Motion made to table Veronica’s items for the next meeting made by Nadia
Second: Motion seconded by Gabriella
Discussion: None
Motion Passed

Discussion:
- 4 office hours a week should be dedicated to student council for the representatives
- 1 of those hours should be concentrated on grievance
- The executives have come up with a task sheet system
- The usage of suggestion cards was discussed
- Everyone entering student council before 6:00pm MUST sign in
- Julio discussed that every representative must sit on a committee and that there are over 30 committees, out of which 7-8 belong to student government
- 150 seats are available to students throughout these committees
- Grace discussed the idea of having a storage bin
- Representatives are taking things from one another and she wants there to be house rules for the cabinets
- People are also leaving stuff out and their things are unlabeled so there should be a policy where all things must be labeled
- Taisha said she has the keys to all the cabinets and she will figure out a system to lend out the keys to the representatives
- Clinton said that we will discuss this item in the next steering committee meeting
- Joanne asked to take over the street team task
- Joanne should email Nadia in regards to the street team

** 2:34pm John stepped out
** 2:35pm John, Veronica, and Danielle Officer walked in
** 2:35pm Shereef and Vitali stepped out
- Julio discussed that he filled up 21 committees within his first month
- Julio is working on the SRC manual
- Shereef discussed the budget and went over it briefly, stating that we have $201,000.00 that are unused
- The secretary went over her monthly report and discussed that she will be visiting her last cruise ship November 07, 2013
** 2:42pm Grace and Gabriella walked out
** 2:43pm Danielle Officer swore in the new representatives
** 2:44pm Danielle and Taisha walked out
** 2:47pm Benedicta Darteh walked in

The new representatives began talking about events and things they would like to see on campus
** 2:50pm Nadia walked out

Meeting adjourned at 3:10pm

Presiding Chair: President Clinton Dyer
Presiding Secretary: Nadia Taskeen