MEETING MINUTES

Attendance
Macey Dinkel, Joe Wolf, Micah Hirschler, Carson Montgomery, Kaylie Ines, Landon Slipke, Michelle Rambo, Linzi Garcia, Bethany Elmquist, Tyler Breneman, Kylee Ayers, Paige Stewart, Austin Stout, Amelia Fabrizius, Dane Pavlovich
Guests: Melissa Olson, Christian Garcia

Call to Order & Prayer
7:15, Prayer by Amelia

Approval of Minutes
Motion to Approve by Micah, seconded by Bethany

Yugioh – Magic Club
Melissa and Christian presented a plan to have a club focusing on Magic and YuGiOh. Kylee asked to see if requirements for becoming an SGA-sponsored organization were met, and according to Roxie, they have been. Melissa went on to say the goals of the club – socialize new students, get them out of the dorm rooms, and keep a high energy going, especially in Anna Marm. They would possibly host tournaments, and board/video game nights for the campus, and depending on copyright law, movie nights. Joe suggested finding a second adviser, as both Allyson and Emma are busy with major organization advising. Mark moved to approve the organization, and Kaylie seconded it. Motion passed – Club is active.

Old Business
Constitutional Amendments
Finance Amendment – Austin discussed changes that will be taking effect, making it easier to allocate money to organizations
Motion to consider by Austin, seconded by Bethany. Motion Passed.
Motion to approve by Austin, seconded by Bethany. Motion Passed.

Elections
Good turnout, more students voted, and the table attendees were more active. Amelia had a concern about communication – the election needs advertised better. Micah was unsure about voter registration, and Joe was concerned about the SGA app – where are we on this. The app is not ready. Michelle suggested sending more email, texts, etc. about applying for a position.

SGA Summit
The general consensus was that the summit went really well, and bringing in an outside speaker was a great idea. It was suggested by Bethany that the breakout sessions be longer, and that she personally didn’t have all the info she needed for her position. Kylee suggested having position meetings (presidents, vps, etc.) Dane talked about having all organization leadership members on board – not run by just one person.

New Business
Big Brew Sponsorship
The Good Times Gang asked if we would sponsor a Big Brew event. It would be beneficial to us, as it gets our name out there. We are able to pick the menu. It would cost approximately $200, depending on the menu selections. SAB and Greek Council are sponsoring Big Brews as well. Amelia suggested dala shaped cookies that were blue and gold. Kylee suggested do it around Homecoming and Lift High the Cross. Landon wanted to know if we would serve the food, to help connect with the general student body. SGA Banner – do we have one? Dane can get one fairly inexpensively. Mark and Macey will write a bill to sponsor this event.

T-Shirts
We briefly discussed if SGA will allow organizations to fund T-Shirts with allocation money. Michelle and Kylee will write a resolution discussing how SGA allocation funds can be used for this.

Allocation Request Forms
Austin spoke briefly about filling the pre-allocation form out, and they are all due September 22.

Organization/Departmental Reports
Student Activities Board – Two events this week, Tie-Dye Social, Theatre Thursday, discussed TOMs shoe event
Greek Council – Informational meetings today/tonight, Go Greek week
Messenger – No Report
Religion & Philosophy – No Report
Campus Ministry – Peer ministry up and running, Amelia is working on Lift High the Cross
History & Political Science - Going Well
Music & Art – Dr. Lucas is in Japan teaching, conducting, and working on international college exchange program.
Psychology & Criminal Justice - Going Well
Math & Science – Black Jack/Pool event went really well, 70+ people showed up
Education – Will find out more for Next Week

NO MEETING NEXT WEEK (LABOR DAY)
Next Meeting: SEPTEMBER 14th, 2015

The Meeting adjourned at 8:14 PM.

Respectfully submitted by,

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