

Attendance, SGA Public Meeting, November 4, 2007

Present

Gordon Schweitzer	Jackie Harrill	Lauren Cook
Peter Cajka	Nick LoMaglio	Rebecca Marek
Andrew Fist	Beth Ann Sarocco	Amanda Brian
Larry Scott	Nina Jolani	Anthony LoPresti
Isiah Morgan	Colleen Molloy	Donny Rambacher
Clare Zlatic	Eric Stoiber	Jen Baker
Glenn Ferguson	Colin Gerker	Colleen O'Brien
Joe Melendrez	Andrew Gerbetz	Angela Westerheide
Natalie Horras	Meg Lynskey	Nick Lannan
Katy Sunday	Kelly Wedell	Joe Morand
Josh Beitel	Phil Bronson	Tim Graves
Ricky Schmidt	Justin Klusas	Darren Brown
Lara Brislin	Josh Rauch	Emily Bonistall
Peter Visceglia	Jordan Huizenga	Kevin Stebelton
Kristen Dennison	Colleen Douglass	Michael Reuther
Allison Kroeger	Krystal Killingsworth	Regino Centeno
David Kaufman	Pat Harp	
Mackenzie Baines	Jessalyn King	

Excused Absent

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Kristen Ehlers
Enrique Carrasquillo
Kevin Schultz
Enrique J. Pieras
Maureen Moss
Anthony C. Coppolino
Lauren Lakeberg
Brad Franko
Emi Hurlburt
Joe Schoffstall
Scottie Mayer

Unexcused Absent

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Kate Haumesser
Thomas Sutter
Megan McDonald
Tony Blankemeyer

Minutes, SGA Public Meeting, November 4, 2007

Time: 7:00 PM

25 **Location:** Kennedy Union Ballroom

President's Report (Gordon Schweitzer)

- Executive Council Assessment
- Stepping Up – thank you!
- 30 • Planners
 - Get them out and write things down!
- Advisor Request Report
 - Brad Balsler –
 - Lou Talbott will be helping too
 - 35 ▪ Things are a'changin'
 - Here to see us succeed
 - Office is KU 206

Vice President's Report (Peter Cajka):

- Lighthouse retreat this weekend
- 40 • Props to Killingsworth, Centeno and Marek
- Miami University visit
 - Leaving at 4 pm on Tuesday
 - Coming back no later than 9 or 9:30
- Goals
 - 45 ○ If there are more, let him know

Vice President of Academic Affairs Report (Andrew Fist)

- ExCouncil Discussion on separating meeting
 - Pros
 - Engage senators
 - 50 ▪ Shorter
 - Voluntary meetings will have more engaged discussion
 - Cons
 - Less programming from senators
 - Each side wont be as informed as to what the others are doing
 - 55 ▪ More difficult to staff committees

Vice President of Residential Affairs Report (Larry Scott)

- Directory board is in the office
 - Make it easier next year to record the information, please attach directory assignments
 - 60 ○ Everyone assigned to a different building
 - Leave form on clipboard and put it back on top of mailbox

Chief of Staff Report (Clare Zlatic)

- Table hours
 - If you have an event
 - Step 1 – register it
 - 65 ▪ Step 2 – take to info desk
 - Step 3 – when you go to get your table, have \$10 deposit
 - Step 4 – take the table back after and get the \$10 back

Executive Assistant Report (Joe Melendrez, Natalie Horras, Katie Sunday)

- 70 • Cleanliness and back office revisions
 - Rub each others shoulders

- That's how it feels when the office is kept clean
- New organizing of back office, look forward to that
- Shelving system for corner in office?
- 75 ○ Need to make sure plates and food are taken downstairs
- Take showers

Safety & Student Grievances Report (Ricky Schmidt, Lara Brislin)

- Spoke with Chief Burt, Lt. Cairo about jurisdiction
 - City agreement that University has regarding Fairground
 - 80 ○ Seniors don't want to live in a bed in Founders
 - Maybe talking to ResEd?
- Spoke with Bruce Bullman of Facilities regarding safety of neighborhood houses
 - Grading houses
 - If you live in a house owned by UD – check doors, windows
 - 85 ▪ Put in housing request
 - Windows should not be painted shut
 - Will go around to all houses and check
 - As long as you aren't the cause of the damage, you won't be charged
 - Email Bruce Bullman with beef
 - 90 ○ facilities.udayton.edu/workrequests
- Tuesday the 13th from 11 am to 12:30 pm will be hosting Darlene holder in the office
- lighting tour
- pricing delivery options for college knowledge

Special Programs Report (Kristen Dennison, Peter Visceglia):

- 95 ● GreenSweep = SUCCESS
 - Sending people to the Darkside because of how many people were there
 - THANK YOU!
 - Thinking of ways to rework GreenSweep
- Next Committee meeting - This Tuesday, Nov. 6th, 9pm, Torch Lounge
- 100 ○ Might change to Wednesday
- We'll be discussing Little Sibs weekend – theme to be decided
- CAB will be there

Trip Coordinators Report (Jacqueline Harrill, Nick LoMaglio):

- 105 ● Halfway to Daytona this Wednesday
 - KU Field NOV 7th 11:50-3:00
 - Music, T-shirts, opportunity for free trip and first hotel spot
 - For every canned good, clothing item – 1 raffle ticket
 - Raffle is for a free trip
 - Person who brings the most gets spot in first hotel
 - 110 ○ Tim's 18+ at night, another raffle, \$1
 - Proceeds to Garrett Loisel Scholarship

Campus Unity Report (Beth Ann Sarocco, Nina Jolani):

- Beth Ann Sarocco is stepping down
- Maggie Schnering is taking over
- 115 ● Update on Brown Bag Luncheon
 - Collaboration between different organizations
- Update on BRIT training

- Revamping PowerPoint and resources
- Update on Unity Week
- 120 ● Juan Williams is coming Nov 17th 3 pm

Sustainable Living Report (Kelly Wedell, Colleen Molloy):

- Working on finding a band for the concert: Any ideas e-mail Kelly and Colleen
- Working on sponsors for the concert: Again e-mail Kelly and Colleen w/ any ideas :)
- About 10 different organizations are working on spring concerts
- 125 ○ Might want to combine efforts
- Named “Earth Jam – Rock for Darfur”
- Mission statement to present to board of trustees in progress!!!

Service Liaison Report (Andrew Gerbetz, Meg Lysnkey):

- Raising money for the Thanksgiving baskets
- 130 ○ Have over \$200, would like a lot more
- Feed the elephant
- Musical chairs for COC Dec. 7, probably from 6pm-8pm
- totals thus far in the year
- \$9,800 to \$9,900
- 135 ● progress for soliciting businesses
- catch up on the plan for Locks Of Love
- table hours will start after Thanksgiving
- planning a large service event with United Way
- “Make a Difference day” sometime in January or February
- 140 ○ Possibly Casino night around Groundhogs day

Athletics/Alumni Liaison Report (Scottie Mayer)

- Reminder to everyone that has vouchers, Thursday is the last day to register your group for spiritpoints.udayton.edu.
- 145 ● This Monday is the second exhibition game against is at 7:00 p.m. against California (PA), and then the season officially kicks off Saturday at 2:30 vs. Eastern Tennessee State.
- Any questions please contact redscare.udayton.edu or Scottie at Scottie.Mayer@gmail.com.

Historian/Research Assistant Report (Josh Rauch):

- 150 ● status of Survey Monkey endeavor
- percentages on years
- good things for committees so far
- dream is to come up with a pamphlet with the questions and the numbers
 - then distribute to university officials
- 155 ● anyone can create a SurveyMonkey survey

ASGA Report (Kevin Stebelton)

- See ASGA Conference Tidbits document

Senate Floor

- Motion to open senate floor
- 160 ○ First by LoPresti
- Second by O’Brian
- Motion to accept minutes from two public meetings ago

- First by Morand
 - Second by Rambacher
- 165 • Motion to accept minutes from last public meeting
 - First by Reuther
 - Second by Douglass
- 170 • Motion to suspend rules to allow ExComm to speak
 - First by LoPresti
 - Second by O'Brien
- Schweitzer
 - Sent memo to administration about getting back to emails
- Senators interested in taking on email responses by senators
 - Senator Killingsworth
- 175 • Senator Brian
 - Asking Colleen and Gordon about sustainability
- Molloy
 - Working on documents for senate
 - Different languages
 - Approved by other organizations
- 180 • Schweitzer
 - Multi-pronged approach
 - Almost failing for sustainability
 - List of people who have signed on to sustainability
- 185 • Photovoltaic cells
 - Going to bring tangible things
 - In the evidence mounting phase
 - Hoping to present to academic soon
 - Sustainability is sweet
- 190 • Weddell
 - Not doing it blindly, have modeled other campuses
- Senator Brian
 - Wrote down other interested senators
 - Will email it out
- 195 • Emi has been working on housing rewards program
 - More of rewards than punishment
- Scott
 - With lottery system – met with Dr. Schmidt
 - Error point was 9% last lottery
 - Another meeting with him next Tuesday the 13th at 9 pm in his office in Gosiger
- 200 • Schnering
 - Emi brought up housing rewards issue, said they would have technology soon
- Senator Brian
 - Collected interested individuals
 - Facilities are supposed to do a weekly checkup
 - Collected interested individuals this
 - Ask Emily Bonistall to speak on safer landlord housing
- 205 • Senator Bonistall

- Cousin went to University of Delaware and was murdered
- Started a non-profit organization
 - Acts as liaison between school and landlords to create safety standards
 - In the midst of getting paperwork and setting up something similar here
- Senator Brian
 - Collected people interested in helping with this endeavor
- Cajka
 - Board of Trustees with campus master plan
 - Doing research – looking into student center
 - Should it be in near-term or long term?
 - Should be in the 5 year plan
 - Meeting tomorrow is at 5 pm
- Senator Brian
 - Collected interested individuals
 - Tangent computers
 - Not going to require this of freshman, Tom Sutter is working on it
 - Collected interested students
- Schweitzer
 - Requirement wont change, but type of computer will change probably
- Klusas
 - Year-long elections committee
 - Have that committee do recruitment
- Motion to reinstate rules
 - First by Marek
 - Second by Bonistall
- Senator Brown
 - Explore relationship between SGA and ResEd
 - Allowing RA's to run for Senate
 - RA senator to give them voice in student government
- Motion to close senate floor
 - First by Cook
 - Second by Baker

Public Comments

- Dennison
 - Nice SGA Tidbits
 - Getting ideas from conference, but is there implementation?
 - Talked about graffiti board, would be cool
 - Would like to talk to freshman senators about semiformal
- Senator Cook
 - John Waley is being evicted from his fairgrounds house
 - No more than 3 unrelated people living together there
 - Talked to Senator Blankemeyer
 - Sr. Schmelling's name is on the document
 - Be aware of people living on Fairgrounds and issues with landlords
- Lynskey
 - Orientation isn't great

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 - Working on improving the process
 - Researched other schools – about 20
 - Need to work on writing job descriptions for orientation committee
 - Like COC and SGA
 - Two co-directors
- 260
 - Look for more information about new structure
- Zlatic
 - Is disappointed that Jolly Johnson and Andy Fulton aren't in contact with this
 - We need to be cautious when comparing ourselves to other schools
 - We need to survey on this
- 265
 - Lynskey
 - Meeting with her next week
 - Schmidt
 - Eviction of Fairgrounds
 - Some man told his friends they could get evicted from Fairgrounds
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 - There is a permit you can get from the city
 - Lawsuit against landlord
 - Cajka
 - Is that the only confirmed eviction
 - Douglass
 - There landlord got the permit for the other evictions
- 275
 - Cajka
 - Our list doesn't talk about the quality about this
 - These are great election ideas in reference to Dennison's questions
 - Scott
 - We have been working on things in regards to Lauren
 - Trying to get to a point where landlords can be evaluated
 - Stepped process so they aren't being jumped on
 - Senator Killingsworth will be leading up a group about this
 - Trying to go about this the best way so there is a good solution
- 280
 - Klusas
 - Restructure the way products of SGA are given away to students
 - Directories and college knowledge
 - Cajka
 - It is impossible—we got the green sheets in the first week but admin doesn't get there information in
- 285
 - Klusas
 - Start College Knowledge sooner this needs to be started at the beginning of the year
 - OU does this in elections
- 290
 - They survive the students opinions of the administration → reevaluate your role with the students
 - Phil and him are looking into a meeting on Tuesday
 - Props to Ferguson
- 295
 - Gerker
 - Forum to discuss the Marianist values with the Rector
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- Senator Stebelton
 - Matias would have brought this up but he had to leave
 - They got permit from city for tent
 - Approached Kim Gilkey to let her know that they would have a tent
 - 305 ○ She said they couldn't do that
 - No University policy against tents
 - Melissa Flannigan was let to know about this and canceled the tent order
 - Matias will be helping head up this committee
- Cajka
 - 310 ○ Watch the Dr. Dan dialogue and then brainstorm this
- Schweitzer
 - Maybe Saturday at his house
- Schnering
 - SLC is that being looked into why they have been canceled
- 315 • Senator Cook
 - This is being looked into

University Committee Reports:

- Stoiber
 - Chapel Renovations has a website out now
 - 320 ○ Ministry.udayton.edu/chapel

Public Announcements:

- Lynskey
 - This Tuesday night is Senior Night → money going to United Way
- Douglass
 - 325 ○ Transvestite is coming to speak at 1:30 on Tuesday in the Science Center → will e-mail this out
- Senator Westerheide
 - Respect life week is this week
- Senator LoPresti
 - 330 ○ Needs ladies for girls team for Dance Marathon
- Senator King
 - Ethics bowl
 - Competition with schools all over the country
 - Analyze cases → timed debate
- 335 • Senator Bonistall
 - Props to UD police
 - Fire alarm was going off the other night
 - They were there in 3 minutes
 - Props to Matias for sitting through a 2 hour long meeting
 - 340 ○ Photo club event this Thursday
- Schweitzer
 - Public speaking information being sent out
- Klusas
 - Props to Sonny Melendrez
- 345 • Baines
 - Look at the fact of where Public Comments/Concerns were

- Harp
 - All freshman should know what SGA is due to e-mail Brad let him sent out
- 350 • Gerker
 - Let me know if you want to help with Marianist forum
- Motion to adjourn
 - First by Zlatic
 - Second by Visceglia

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Respectfully Submitted,

Glenn A Ferguson, Executive Secretary
And Maggie Schnering