

We, the Associated Students of Whitworth University, are committed to promoting holistic growth, safety, well-being, and a united fellowship. We shall serve and advocate for the diverse voices of our student body justly and with compassion, establishing an equitable community through grace, respect, and intentional engagement.

2020-21 ASWU Meeting Minutes | April 7, 2021

In Attendance:

Parker Daniels President	present
Hannah Higgins Exec. Vice President	present
Faizzan UI Haq Financial Vice President	Present
Jorge Medina Exec. Admin. Assistant	present
Emily Clemons Campus Activities Coordinator	present
Lauren Lorenz Sports Events Coordinator	present
John Haberlin Sustainability Coordinator	present
Katie Ludlam Senior Class Coordinator	present
Aeron Sugui Marketing/PR Coordinator	present
Sam Henson Special Events Coordinator	present
Rachel Ayres Spiritual Life Coordinator	present
Esther Brown Cultural Events Coordinator	present
Katie Rose Club Coordinator	present
Emma John Arend Senator	present
McClain Chandler Baldwin-Jenkins Senator	present
Olivia Fowler Oliver Senator	present
Jaedon Tesarik McMillan Senator	present
Meghan Duarte Ballard Senator	present
Jed Young Boppell and Village Senator	present
Adaeze Njoku Stewart Senator	present
Xavier Nila Duvall Senator	present

Isaac Price Warren Senator	present
David Martin Off-Campus Senator	present
Michael Lie Global Engagement Rep	present
Georgia Goff Incoming Student Rep	present
Christian Aguilar Incoming Student Rep	present
Christine Chen Off-Campus rep	present
Jamie Copeland Off-Campus rep	present
Munya Fashu-kanu Off-Campus rep	present
Michael Bedford Off-Campus rep	present
Victoria Viloudaki WhitFlex rep	present

Meeting brought to order at 5:00 PM. Mission Statement read by Katie R.

Approval of Minutes

Motion by Jed, Seconded by Michael In favor: 18 | Opposed: 0 | Abstaining

Motion passes

Club Updates

Generation Action:

Last fall we have been working on protecting families of LGBT professors, and we have been working with Beck and board of directors and we are still working on it. Recently did sex jeopardy event with about 40 attendees. We are doing a menstrual product and personal hygiene drive, as well as hosting a food drive. We are collaborating with EAC for earth week going to give out reusable menstrual product. Contact emarvin22@my.whitworth.edu

Club Chartering

Camp Kasem: Kasem is a national organization that provides a summer camp to kids whose parents have been impacted by cancer. It serves kids of all ages up to age 17, and all these kids have a parent or guardian that died or have been affected by some sort of cancer and so they often have to grow up really quick and get to have one week camp funded by donations to be a kid and have fun. Whitworth would be a chapter student run and led and so students would plan everything from fundraising to activities.

Christian: would they host a camp on campus?

Kyle: part of running a camp is that it must be at a merited camp accredited campsite so we would partner with a campsite and there is where it would be held.

Emma: on the grade policy there was no minimum GPA, and later it said that they can be suspended by grades, how will they know?

Katie: Jason has a way that he can keep track of our grades and so I'm sure there is a way he can check that, but you do bring up a good point

Jason: student handbook says you need a 2.0 to be a part of student organizations.

Christian moves, Michael seconds

Jason: friendly amendment article 7 is labeled as election but not really its more "selection of members", and change expelled to remove.

In favor: 18 | Opposed: 0 | Abstaining Motion passes

Pre-Occupational Therapy: Create community among students interested in OT and we wanted to create a community that can provide outreach opportunities, teach more people about Pre-Occupational therapy.

Jason: it says they are affiliated with the Health department; can you elaborate?

Tiana: we were going to work with the new occupational therapy program to coordinate events and the director was going to work with us

Olivia moves, Jed seconds In favor: 18 | Opposed: 0 | Abstaining

Motion passes

President Updates

Parker: Board of trustees is next week so be sure to attend the meeting you got in the email. This week we are approved to have 100 people at outdoor events, and all indoor activities are capped at 50. Next week we will have a vaccination clinic so please promote that. They are asking for help with traffic control so keep an eye out for that.

Adaeze: for volunteering, is it just ASWU or if someone else wants to help, can they?

Jason: It is just student leaders.

FVP Updates

Capital: \$15,280

Unallocated: \$ 16,484

Faizzan: Our account balances are the same as last week, still don't have a final date with finance committee.

EVP Updates

Hannah: Representatives be sure to sign up to meet with me and the student highlights are all the people that helped with the easter baskets.

SEC Updates

Emily: Student applications are closed so we have all our candidates, election day is next Friday, no candidates for Arend, BJ, the neighborhood and warren so now is the time to think about write ins for those halls. Exec debate is Monday at 8 pm.

Coordinator Spotlight

Lauren: Started off the school year with a video that asked athletes to finish the statement "I play because", and the biggest event was pirate mania, and Parker helped make some hype videos and make it as much as Monday mania as last year. This year we did add more sports other than basketball so that was great. Recently did the second chance bracket tournament and the winners will be announced soon. For the rest of the school year, I am hoping to do a field

day, but I am still figuring out some events, but mostly increase school spirit and looking forward to next year. Lots of behind the scenes

Upcoming Events:

Humanizing Spokane:

Esther: Tomorrow at 7 pm in the RTT we will have in person viewing of documentary that shows stories of some of the homeless population in Spokane and the Humanizing Spokane movement is one that is led by students from Gonzaga.

Unplugged:

Sam: Gotten all our sign ups, we have ordered tumblers and straws with candy and also blankets to be giving out and having a viewing party in the loop. Keep spreading the word. It will be on the 24th at 7 pm.

Movie Night:

Emily: Next Saturday at 8 pm showing Monsters Inc. so go get tickets. Having snacks and cute Christmas lights. Bring your moms and everyone else.

Earth Week:

John: Earth week will be starting on April 18th with a bunch of cool events, on Sunday we are starting with sidewalk art, on Monday going to have a panel here in Weyerhaeuser at 7 pm about the environment and the impact it has. On Tuesday in KIPOS garden teaching about gardening and more, on Wednesday we are having a virtual waste challenge, and on Friday a sustainability trivia night with prizes at 7 pm. That Saturday there will be an arbor day tree planting ceremony at 10 am.

Kehillah" A Community Dialogue

Parker: We have started to look at professors and speakers and we have approved a speaker for the second night. On th 26th and 27th working on t shirts

Lil' Springfest:

Parker: Having the event out in the fieldhouse parking lot and working on food truck and other logistics it will be on May 1st

Adaeze: what kind of food trucks

Parker: ben and jerry, pizza, Delish burger and others

Christian: make sure to vote on artist

Constituency Reports

Arend

Emma: Doing good energy wise and social distancing wise. The pool table finally checked it out and found it fixable but sadly won't be available till next month.

Whitflex rep

Victoria: Everyone doing good, would like to know if Whit is going to mandate vaccine.

Duvall

Xavier: Doing an act of kindness event by giving away candy to people whenever they do random acts of kindness.

Warren

Isaac: Lots of people have been busy around Warren lately

Baldwin Jenkins

Mac: Poppin off, have to keep talking to people about being senator and other than that it's been pretty good, no printer problems recently. Trying to get more people to get our office hours.

Global Engagement Rep

Michael L: International students doing great, last Monday met with Sodexo and they didn't approve our request which is not good and does not make sense considering how much food they throw away.

Incoming Student Rep

Christian: After the three-day weekend people have been refreshed

Off Campus

Victoria: Hosting lemonade stand in loop on April 21st and on May 8th we are aiming to have off campus garage sale that day.

Stewart

Adaeze: Last week talked about the stink food and it was not the beans, and cleaned it so now it smells good, Everyone's been a lot happier. Mac and I are trying to figure out an event to do and people are excited so hopefully it works out.

McMillan

Jaedon: Mac's doing good, got bro tanks and they are great. Frisbees should be ordered by next weekend.

Ballard

Meghan: Break was much needed, everyone seems happy. Working on a few things.

Oliver

Olivia: We had some problems about people putting pods in the drawers where you put liquid detergent. I am working on one event and am excited about it, also maybe working with Xavier for an event in May.

Boppell

Jed: Incident on Monday, the fire department had to show up and it was a bit cold, event wise trying to do a trivia night.

Campus Vibes

Jaedon: I sent email to dan king asking if we can get a soft serve machine and he said he would look into it.

Hannah: Gracie Pfau sent an email intramural registration closes Friday so encourage people to sign up I can forward that email to people.

Parker: got email from Rhosetta Rhodes that said the university decided to not require vaccines, but they will be highly encourage.

Shout outs

Christian: shout out to all members of SEC and all people running, it will be a difficult season but keep it up

Emily: shout out to john who has been helping a ton Michael B: also, gonna shout out john with intentionality about the environment

Jed: Rachel for writing me a thank you card, nice being appreciated.

Jason: Lauren for winning ASWU bracket tournament

Parker: shoutout to Aeron for making poster promo for vaccination

Adjourn Meeting

Emily moves to adjourn meeting, Christian Seconds In favor 18 | Opposing 0 | Abstaining 0 Meeting adjourned: 6:00