



ASWU

Minutes 1.12.11

- I. Call to order at 5.00 pm.
- II. Roll Call: Proxy for Brian Watts, Mandy, Meghan, Sam; Shannon, acting President for Josh.
- III. Guests: Amy Wyatt, New Cultural Coordinator; Mary S., New Duvall East Rep.
- IV. Minutes from 12.7.10; Approved.
- V. FVP- Lindy Tep
  - A. Approve Positions for next year: Discussion of what positions will change, remain the same, and/or be cut; Possible new requirements for some jobs. (See attached sheet for proposed changes).
    - Brittany: Special Events coordinator position needs to be flexible and shouldn't be limited to promoting music and theatre events alone; Dayna-This position would help promote events already going on on campus; Also, it is dangerous to combine the clubs doing all of the planning for cultural events and the coordinator helping out. This needs to be separate because they give huge support to the multicultural clubs on campus.
    - Elizabeth: Do we really need a retreats coordinator? Dayna-Donovan has done a great job pursuing the coordination on retreats, but there is no support for continuing the position; Money will be left as a line item and people can get the money on a first come first serve basis; Donovan-budget committee could put more money towards retreats, but someone has to be in charge of the retreats in order for them to put them on.
    - Becca: Having Dorm Reps being put on prime time more needs to happen; gives residents a feeling of comfort for coming to someone about issues they want addressed.
    - Trista: Retreat coordinator helps out with other coordinators, especially serve, on knowing what to do when putting on trips; There is a need for someone to know what to do when putting on international and domestic trips; Could a staff position be created for it?
  - Patrick motion to extend discussion for 5 more minutes.
    - Patrick S: adding 2 more hours to Rep position would help get them involved in dorm leadership.

- Patrick Y: We need to re-discuss the senator and rep position; they are inefficient and are mainly focused on doing the newsletter; There needs to be more time and effort put towards programming and helping out the dorm; Re-thinking how the time is spent might include adding more hours; Pierre-not something that would lead to increased hours, but would lead to higher expectations.
- Peter motion to extend discussion for 5 more minutes.
  - Brie: One person writes the general coordinator reports for the week
  - Peter: Uniqueness of newsletters is important, so keeping the hours the same will help, making things more efficient would help.
  - Lindy: Everything listed on the sheet is as is: Senators should stay the same; Reps increased to 5 hours; Bryce: bumping up the Rep hours to 5 isn't necessary; Lindsey: Possibility of adding another outdoor position; Jeff: It was a thought but not needed; Dayna-The main job of the Reps and the Senators is to be a voice on campus and in the assembly, they are to be visible; Lindy: voting on keeping Senator and Rep position hours at the same time;
- Christine motion to approve changes in positional salaries as stated by Lindy; Peter 2<sup>nd</sup>; Approved.

#### VI. EVP- Shannon Eshoff

- A. Bike Rack Discussion: Peter Dolan- List of locations comes from talking with Alan; Near Weyerhaeuser and the HUB; Alan Jacob has ideas about the racks and where they ought to be put; It's difficult to decide where they go now and how to pay for them since it is winter time and there is snow on the ground;
  - Becca- People would like racks inside some dorms; Peter needs help figuring out how to fund the racks and help him go through the process; Patrick S and Lindsey will help out.
- B. Announcements: GE 330 is Feb 1<sup>st</sup> in the Chapel and it's a large group at 11.45 am; 1<sup>st</sup> Meeting of the semester Feb 2<sup>nd</sup>; Senators need to have their service projects done by Jan term for the fall term; Feb 5<sup>th</sup> is a Flapjack, ASWU retreat, information is coming up, it will be about 9-12.
- C. Coordinator Reports and Vibes:
  - Christine: students are curious about why the trees are getting chopped down; People don't like the hot chocolate machine is broken; Food drive at the Basketball game on the 21<sup>st</sup>.
  - Lindsay: Hot chocolate machine is broken; sidewalk by cornerstone is not safe with the ice.
  - Patrick Y: Sidewalks are dangerous.
  - Andrea: controversy over sweatshirts in BJ but they finally settled on one, orders and going on now.
  - Michaela: yearbook is half way complete, previews on Facebook page.

- Jeff: two vans every Saturday up to the mountain filled every day; Jan term break trip will be tons of fun; making a webpage and manual for his job for next year.
- Peter: off campus t-shirt designs.
- Becca: Duvall's bridge is treacherous.
- David: Beck Taylor will be doing a monthly radio piece; super liberal and super conservative professors show will be going on weekly; English professor doing a piece on vocation every week.
- Trista: rock paper scissor tournament going on with Kyle as a fundraiser for Jamaica trip.
- Donovan: in Feb towards the end, two night spiritual retreat/skiing at Meno at 49 degrees north; low cost; shooting for 75-100 people to come.
- Sam: getting sweatpants.
- Brittany: Unplugged was last week and is getting better as the year goes on; advertising at basketball games works!; Dating Game needs two men to sign up; Vagina monologue work.
- Patrick S: New Warren leadership is exciting: Gabby Perez.
- Bryce: Men's Basketball is ranked 3<sup>rd</sup> in the nation; game on Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> and Friday 21<sup>st</sup>; Swim meet also coming up and they are also undefeated.
- Pierre: Tomorrow night is coffee shop show; Scott Pilgrim vs. the World coming up.
- Brie for Ballard: We love our fire place; next Wednesday Melinda is hosting a clothing exchange.

VII. Patrick motion to adjourn, 2<sup>nd</sup>: Lindsay.

VIII. Meeting adjourned at 5.56 pm.

Submitted by,  
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Josh Boyden, President