

9/5/2012

- Molly: Call to order
- Blaine: Mission Statement
- Introduce Guests: Rosetta Rose(from office of president), Audrey Evans, Carrie Smith, Macy, Julianna, and Tyler Milstein
- Big E (now the star award) to:
 - Kelly Schlect has been doing well with Fred Myer Night and the giant hot dog!
 - Tyler Coopman and Caleb helped so much with the Mat Kearney concert and did great work!
 - Aaron Kilfoyle worked until 5:00 AM on Whitworth FM and we appreciate it!
- Molly introduces guest speaker Beck Taylor
- Beck: Here to welcome and support ASWU
 - ASWU leaders are the elected representatives of the student body and I hold this highly. This group plays a very important role on campus and we are off to a great start. I am committed to working alongside ASWU.
 - I can offer beneficial resources.
 - Rosetta works in my office and can be used as a resource and she is also excited to support ASWU.
- On Beck's radar screen:
 - Learned the hard way to concentrate more on communication and making sure that the interests of ASWU are coordinated with the interests of the administrative office.
 - Beck has met with Molly and they are both committed to making communication more efficient.
 - If something comes up or there is a concern, bring it up to the administrative office right away.
 - Don't always assume that information you hear is true (some is true and some is a little bit off). Check with administration before getting concerned.
 - Beck promises to be completely transparent with ASWU
 - Molly and Ian are on university council- chief planning of university (will protect student welfare and interests)
 - More on Beck's radar screen: convocation and select provost and EVP
 - Chief administrator under president(anything academic)=provost
 - Have put together search committee that will work for next 6 months
 - Budgeting for next year and setting priorities of what should be done. The university counsel will keep us informed
 - Beck will be on the road raising money for Whitworth University. He will be lobbying on our behalf in Washington D.C. and Olympia.
- Questions for Beck Taylor:
 - Blaine: Is it possible to sit in on meetings of the university counsel?
 - Beck: Good question, I have no problem with it.
 - Dayna: Can you talk about security? Bikes are getting stolen.
 - Beck: We've had some shining stars and some that needed to be let go in security. We've trained them to better serve the needs of campus. The beginning of the year is critical. The economy is bad and people go to desperate measures. The open campus invites this and bikes are always the first to go.

Encourage students to be careful with belongings. We've also had vandalism, which takes away tuition money to repair damage that should be spent on other things. We have too much pride for this to be happening.

- Caleb: Any security measures?
 - Beck: Cameras are now recording the Whitworth signs at all times.
- Dayna: Backpacks stay on benches or in cubbies outside of Sodexo or they will be removed for security purposes.
- Seth: Is there information on Costa Rica?
 - Beck: There was no damage to the Costa Rica center, and everyone is safe and accounted for. Parents have been contacted and the website has been updated.
- Beck: I thought opening weekend was great. Thanks to student leaders. How are leaders here different? Student leadership is present and takes ownership.
- Casey: How can students give feedback on orientation weekend?
 - Dayna: Evaluation forms are sent to freshman through advisor classes.
- Johnny Whitmore: What is the progress on the new rec center?
 - Beck: Groundbreaking on 21st? There may be activity before then. It should be open next Fall. We worked very hard to get feedback on this facility due to budget constraints. The facility will be first class and is long overdue.
- Ashton: Is there any way students can look at plans for the rec center online?
 - Beck: Asks Rosetta to see if we can put something on the website.
- Tim: What is the plan for facilities after the rec center?
 - Beck: We don't want to go more into debt right now. The next big project is a new residence hall. The plans are ready to go but we have to determine when to do it. It will essentially replace The Village. Scotford Fitness Center will become primarily an NCAA athletic training and fitness center. We are remodeling the swimming pool and locker rooms.
- Beck's dreams: A new music and theatre facility. Progress is needed for performing arts. Another big project is a new events center that would replace the Fieldhouse that could possibly host convocation, graduation, and concerts. Artificial turf is going into the baseball field and possibly the softball and football fields.
 - Laura: Do the theatre plans involve dance facilities?
 - Beck: These plans haven't come together yet. We are currently programming. Dance space might be one, and there are many other needs as well.
 - Nick: What will the new residence hall look like?
 - Dayna: For the most part students like the traditional dorm hall best and it will probably be co-ed.
 - Beck: The key is to compliment what we have. I like that they offer something for individual tastes and preferences. The key is to have a variety of room configurations. Molly can show ASWU the plans but they can't be changed easily.
- Beck: Final thing, I'm really excited about UNITE. Not that we won't find other things, because it's not meant to monopolize the student body. It's neat to see something come together so quickly in so many exciting ways. At convocation we will start a fun kick off to doing some good work.
- Beck got his cast off today, 12 more weeks in the boot. Everyone claps for Beck Taylor!
- Matt Valdez: Update on clubs

- The first club council meeting is coming up in the next week and I got my first requisition today.
- Questions:
 - Caleb: How can we see our current budget?
 - Matt: On the ASWU website and monthly printouts.
 - Dayna: The printouts will be put in your box, but keep your own account updated.
- Tim: announcements
 - Senators have newsletters due by tomorrow at 5:00. Include info about theft on campus and don't let strangers into the dorm, even people our age.
 - BOBs: burn our buddies. He has the list and will email it out.
- Dayna: Please explain BOBs
 - Tim: Get to know each other further beyond this job. Go to one another and develop trust. Throw ideas off of one another. Go to person as far as stress.
 - CBS meeting: Tomorrow at 9:30 for senators. Be prepared, it will be huge.
- Nick: What specific things should we prepare?
 - Tim: Set the tone early, you guys will do great. Know what you're talking about. Master specific areas.
- Katie: All RD's will be doing intros. They are there for support. They will also set the tone.
- Ashton: Do we also go over housing policies?
 - Dayna: Some are listed.
 - Tim: It would be good to run through.
- Seth: Can we get an all off campus e-mail?
 - Dayna: Bug Walt Cydell about that, start now and hound him and hound him. Eventually you will get it.
- Tim: Last thing, run through and approve election time table stuff. They tweaked Dayna's calendar. This Monday, the 10th, is an election meeting with info for zone reps and BJ senator at 9:30 PM in the Chambers. On September 19th, applications are due. On September 20th, posters must be to Tim to be approved. On September 21st post campaign material. On September 24th primary elections are held followed by general elections on September 26th. Reelection will be September 27th if needed.
- Nick: Who works election tables?
 - Tim: Individuals within SEC
- Laura: motion to approve, Ashton 2nd, approved unanimously
- Molly: Vote on by-laws and constitution
- Molly: Motion to change name to Whitworth FM, Seth 2nd, approved unanimously
- Dayna: Change Shalom to Cornerstone?
- Molly: motion to change Shalom to Cornerstone, Casey 2nd, approved unanimously
- Dayna: Add to by-laws that each year they can be regularly updated to correct errors and bring current building names. It should be a given. By laws updated at budget committee. We should add this to the next election so we can change the constitution.
- Molly: Has a list of committees for ASWU to serve on. Descriptions are in the training books. She will send out an email with a list of committees. Send in a list of top 3 to Molly by Monday. Next ASWU meeting she will announce who is on each committee.
- Pam: If we do finance committee do we do another one too?
 - Dayna: No.
- Molly: Is this fair?

- All say yes.
- Molly: One needs a student by Monday. SIRC committee. They meet Monday at 3:15.
 - Ashton volunteers for this committee
- Molly: What are we doing for 9/11?
 - There is a meeting tonight
 - Dayna: This is next Tuesday. Communicate via e-mail.
 - Tim: I have been communicating.
- Nick: Wants senators to put 9/11 info in newsletters.
- Molly: Coordinator reports-
 - Ashton: Traditiation was awesome. She lost her voice. It was also touching and great to bond with girls.
 - Kelly: Senior class meeting went well. Fred Meyer night is tonight.
- Jonny Strain: Mock Rock went super well. He got a lot of positive response about homecoming theme. Find him after meeting to sign up to help with bingo. He needs four people.
 - Ian: Does this mean we can't play bingo?
 - Jonny: Yes.
 - Katie: Let's sign up now.
 - Tim, Pam, Johnny, and Aaron sign up to help with bingo.
- Laura: Traditiation went well. Positive feedback for hollin'. It had the same gist as wooing but without touching. She's working on getting indoor bike racks, longer shower curtains, and a spike ball set.
- Chelsea: Super impressed by freshman participation in traditiation. Enjoying getting to know other leaders. Planning Arend/BJ block party.
- Samantha: Tired already. E-mail her events for the HUB calendar for September. Willing to change days but only for this month.
- Kira: Freshman had fun. Big three meeting was read straight from handbook and cohabitation seems to be very focused on only heterosexuals.
 - Dayna: Make a stink about this.
 - Molly: How can we help you?
 - Dayna: Give feedback to Dick Mandeville
 - Molly: Kira do you have a big event coming up?
 - Kira: Stewart Lawn Dance!
- Jonny Whitmore: Two things: Frisbee tournament on Sunday. Booty Club has been changed. It is a rolling membership. You don't have to sign up again, just pay for the shirt. Shirts are on sale until the 28th.
- Aaron: The radio booth is finished. Faculty is interested in using the radio along with some students and alumni.
- Chrissy: There is a Whitworthian meeting on Friday with free root beer floats. The first class meeting is on Monday at 5:00.
- Pam: I'm hiring an assistant photo editor which is a paid position with upper division credits. The first class meeting is Tuesday at 5:00.
- Seth: Hello. This week has been awesome. Off campus BBQ is on Friday at 5:30 at Holmberg Park. Campus vibes- the worship service was beautiful.
- Ryan: BBQ, people can help if they want. Let me know.
 - Caleb: Do you need anything for BBQ?
 - Ryan: Speakers for an ipod.
 - Aaron: I have a small system.

- Seth: We will discuss this later.
- Ian: Warren has over half freshman. I'm learning names, and it is hard. BBQ on Friday (BMW) Ballard, Mac, and Warren at 5:30.
- Maggie: BMW BBQ, and tradition was fun and I loved it a lot.
- Nick: Mac placed for the first time at mock rock.
 - Samantha: I thought you couldn't have shirts off?
- Nick: Only complaint, during hollin' the sprinklers were left on. Campus vibe- on the way to cornerstone a bush is hanging into fenced area on the pathway. I will call facilities.
- Blaine: Outdoor rec is poppin up the hook. Spokefest is Sunday. There is a lot of interest. Many dorms have reserved equipment for student life. Info is coming for a fly fishing event. The Facebook page is up now! Everyone should like it. Whitworth Outdoor Rec is the name. It is really cool and pretty wild stuff. That's all that is important.
- Caleb: Step Afrika and Mat Kearney went well. Nothing went wrong. Wants Noah Gundersen in Pirates Cove. Pray for no rain. Pirate Playlist Facebook page for Whitworth bands is up.
- Dayna: Sunday Austin and Olivia played and 50 people went.
- Casey: Cool. Let's see, tradition went well. One negative vibe- ASWU fee increase. Students want more transparency about where our money goes.
 - Pam: Part of ASWU fee increase is because yearbooks are included this year.
 - Casey: We should get the word out to show where money goes.
 - Caleb: People might show up to more events if they knew how much they cost.
- Casey: Kelly and Laura are wearing the same shoes.
- Marisol: I'm starting to campaign for Hispanic Heritage Month. I will start going to primetime and have contacted the RDs. Langston Hughes is coming at the end of February.
- Aaron: Senators put in newsletters that I'm looking for sports broadcasters. Contact me by e-mail. There is a meeting on Tuesday at 5:00 in Weyerhauser 203.
- Matt: Orientation was awesome. The HUB looked good and the Plug-in Picnic went well. Who drove to Camp Spalding? Caleb, Ashton, Nick, Tim, and Pam raise hands.
- Molly: Reminder to go to convocation at 11:00 in the Fieldhouse. Tim will mark off that we are there.
 - Nick: How will we find Tim?
 - Tim: I will on the north end of the Fieldhouse.
- Molly: Min Dang Q&A at 3:00 in ABC conference rooms. Transparency idea: Send out a video to students about what is going on in ASWU.
 - Caleb: Do we have a YouTube channel?
 - No one thinks we do.
- Aaron: We could have the minutes on the radio weekly.
 - Molly: Sam or Caleb, would you work with me on this?
 - She has support from the group for this.
- Tim: Heard good stuff about the HUB. More gluten free food is wanted.
- For the good of the order
- Adjourn
- Molly: Thanks for being on time today. We appreciate the hard work.