

ASWU Minutes

2/6/2013

- Call to Order: Molly
- Mission Statement: Blain
- Minutes: motion, second, approved!
- Guests: John, Jack, Kasey, Kevin, Evan, Tyler, Emily, Pam
- Star Award: Marisol, she has been bossing out Cultural Awareness Week! She gets a stiletto tape dispenser! Kelly Schlect, she has a dark side that we like! She is very good at architecture and has been pranking Tyler and Jonny in their office! She gets a disguise to encourage her dark side!
- Guest Speakers: Emily and Pam from Green Dot
 - Your support in requisition dollars has offered us a lot of support to be able to see a campus wide launch, so we just wanted to give you an update of what's happening. We want you to be able to answer people's questions. So, we have a sign-up sheet for some specific ways you can help out. If you could help out with tables, setting up, or tearing down that would be great. I brought candy because that's always a good thing! Can anyone tell me what a red dot is?
 - Blain: A preventable offense that can be verbal or physical harassment that violates another person. (He gets candy!)
 - Emily: Power based personal violence is a phrase we use. Anything that asserts power over someone else. Can anyone say what a green dot might be?
 - Aaron: We are all green dots, we can stop red dots. If Blain is beating up Tim, and Molly walks in and yells "stop!"
 - Emily: Three D's of green dots are distract, delegate, and direct.
 - Pam: We've been able to reach staff, faculty, and students. We were able to go to Costa Rica and do a training there. Monday and Tuesday you may have begun to see our posters around. Thursday we will have tables in Lied Square. We will also have them next Tuesday. We will have a quiet presence at the basketball game on Saturday, this won't interfere with the coin drive at all. Sunday you will see a Green Dot display in the loop. Monday there will be dots for the classrooms and departments. Then on Tuesday dorms are doing Green Dot oriented Primetimes. Wednesday is the big day for us where it kind of culminates. Dorothy Edwards, who started Green Dot, will be here with Speakers and Artists. Wednesday is also our launch party. The following Monday we will have to take down the posters and everything. Stay tuned, there is more to come.
 - Emily: Niko and Jacob will be doing music during the launch party. With the money you gave us, we bought a button maker for Whitworth. We have buttons, stickers, lanyards, and light/whistle/key chains. We would love for each of you to

have the first pick of whatever you want! Grab one for yourself and one to give to someone else. Another way you can participate is to fill out a connection slip, which makes the assertion that we all have a connection to power based violence. If you wouldn't mind writing out your connection anonymously and put them in this envelope, we will put them on display during the launch.

7. Coordinator Reports/Vibes:

- Samantha: I need ideas for gift cards that Whitworth students would like. (Winco, Target, Starbucks, Dutch Bros, Cold Stone, Pleasant Blends)
- Ian: I'm back in Warren, which is great! Feb. 19th we have an LDS night. They will have a presentation and follow up discussion in Warren for Primetime that night.
- Mackenzie: I'm the new East senator.
- Blain: The outdoor rec Spring break is backpacking the Olympic peninsula. The cost is \$200.
- Chelsea: We have Green with Envy dance on the radar. Whitworth Confessions is kind of offensive.
- Jonny Strain: I'm looking for ideas for maybe one or two larger events to put on.
- Jonny Whitmore: Can you bring in a slam poet?
- Seth: In contrast to the Whitworth Confessions page, the Whitworth Memes page is hilarious. They are right on about Whitworth.
- Faith: My entire final project for Jan term was to make a game that has to do with Green Dot. We made a Facebook application that I'm excited to get out there.
- Tyler: For Jan term I took water aerobics. On the 16th we're playing mini golf with the Boppell community.
- Aaron: Jan term was busy for the radio station. We sold our transmitter. We were contacted with USC events and we will be working with them to promote shows and tickets in the Spokane/Seattle area. We have some new faces in the radio class. We will have our new schedule up soon. I'm planning a triathlon on campus, the cost will be \$15. Early registration will start the 20th.
- Rachel: I'm excited for Arend Broomball and unplugged.
- Chrissy: The Whitworthian is planning on doing a little bit of a redesign. We will cut down to 16 pages and add 2 inches onto the height.
- Pam: Senior photos are the 19th and 20th almost all day.
- Kelly: Senior grad fair is February 20th and if seniors have ideas of who they would like to see speak at graduation, let me know!

- Caleb: February is pretty busy. This Saturday I'm going to show *Skyfall* in the MPR at 7:00. Valentine's Day I'm having an alumni come and do acoustic music in the coffee shop. Feb. 27th Tyrone Wells is coming.
- Marisol: Tonight the incoming scholars for Act 6 are having a celebration at 7:00. Tomorrow is Faces of Stigma, a discussion about the different types of stigma that people experience and what types of solutions that Whitworth can implement. That is in the MPR tomorrow at 6:30. Friday is line dancers at 5:00 in the HUB. At 7:00 Gospel Explosion is in the chapel on Friday.
- Ryan: I've been brainstorming off campus ideas for this semester.
- Kira: I'm doing another sweatshirt order.
- Larissa: Duvall and East are great!
- Maggie: A week from Friday, the 15th, in Cornerstone, will be the Awkward Middle School dance at 8:00. The music is going to be great. Maybe just let people know where Cornerstone is also. It's free!
- Nick: Mac is good.
- Jonny Whitmore: The ping pong tournament over Jan term was nuts! The last home basketball games are on Saturday against Lewis and Clark. If we win both of these games there is a good chance we will be able to host a home tournament game. It's going to be a white out on Saturday.
- Kevin: A lot of people from BJ went to the hypnotist and it was really cool! We had mocktails at the end of Jan term and it was cool!
- Tyler: Intramurals are getting started on Feb. 11th. Basketball, Dodgeball, and volleyball sign ups start the 11th.
- Matt: If you're turning in receipts for food, I need the names of people who were a part of that. For trips, I need to know how many miles the trip was.
- Molly: Raise your hand if you would be interested in doing an intramural team for ASWU. Okay, send me an e-mail. I'll put a piece of paper on my door too. Update of provost stuff, they are having two open forums on Feb. 11th in the ABC room, the 20th in the Crow's nest, and Feb. 24th in the Chambers. They are all at 4:30. I got an e-mail asking about diplomas for graduation. This year they want feedback of if you would want it to say your major.
- Tim: Senators need to review the CBS policies with their leadership teams, and you have to have a meeting if there are issues that come up with them or if you've heard complaints from residents. This week please put a paragraph in your newsletters about Green Dot. They are due on Thursday at 5:00. Include that the dorms are doing Primetimes on Tuesday. Everyone go to Convocation tomorrow at 11:00. Make contact with Matt that you are there. The retreat, let's all meet in here at 6:50. Bring a sleeping bag and ground pad.

(Blain: if you need a sleeping bag or pad then let me know!) One on one's, just send me a couple half hour slots that will work for you!

- Molly: You guys are doing so great! Motion to adjourn, second, approved!