

- I. Call to Order: Justin, 5:02PM
- II. Mission Statement: Peter
- III. Minutes: All approved, none opposed
- IV. Club Updates
 - A. History Club
 1. We have Michelle from the History Club to present to us.
 2. Michelle: It's been a really great start of the year so far. We just had a screening of Even In The Rain and it was the biggest turnout for us. We are going to have a club movie. We looking of speaker for African Heritage Month.
 - B. H.O.L.A.
 1. Skyler: We have Keren from H.O.L.A.
 2. Keren: Hi, I'm Keren and I'm here to promote our Fair Trade Festival on Oct 23rd, which is two weeks from now. fair trade festival is obviously to support fair trade with farmers internationally. We'll have coffee, trinkets, and a taco truck. Kaysee has sponsored the first 50 tacos. We'll also have people teaching different types of dances like the merengue.
- V. Club Charter
 - A. Women's Ultimate Frisbee
 1. Skyler: We have Claire here about a possible charter for Women's Frisbee
 2. Claire: Hey everyone! I'm here for the Women's Frisbee club charter. Our group is called Ubuntu, which is an African word meaning "a person is a person through another person" and we took that to mean that we want to be a team that supports each other. We hope to be official athletic team where guys and girls are separate, but also have a tight relationship between the two clubs. So far, 82 girls have showed interest, 30 girls who have shown up to practices, and we have 20-30 who are really interested. We're really excited.
 3. Bre: How many tournaments are you planning on participating in?

4. Claire: There are three this year. Our first tournament is in about two weeks.
5. SOMEONE: What is the need for the clubs to be separated?
6. own practice, own leadership, and own budget.
7. Skyler: CCC suggested that they combine the women's and men's team under one club but still have separate practices and team names.
8. Savana: What would happen in terms of their budget? I mean, it's a little unreasonable to ask them to share the funds for one club but split it for two. We increase it, maybe make it 1.5 times budget to support themselves.
9. Skyler: It's a possibility.
10. Bre: How much would they receive if they
11. Skyler: They would have to requisition. probably less than \$300.
12. Justin: Do you know if they charge club dues?
13. Skyler: No, they go to ASWU first to see how much they can get and then substitute the rest.
14. Raleigh: Will you treat them separately?
15. Skyler: We would work with them to split the money.
16. Bre: Is Bangarang in on this conversation?
17. Skyler: They are on Bangarang currently but I don't know if they have connected with them .
18. Brendan: I'm on Bangarang now and we really haven't heard anything about this. We have had coed practices, but now they've pretty much split.
19. Vote

VI. Homecoming Debrief

- A. Jeff: The parade at 10am was too early. Especially with senators trying to make pancakes and last minute changes on floats.
- B. Brendan: specially for BJ i think i got tooo excited.
- C. Bre: The problem is, shutting down the loop creates traffic issues for the football
- D. Dayna: You could have them go down the Hello walk.

- E. Justin: Then dorms on east side of campus have to make a bigger effort to see the parade.
- F. Raleigh: Also, there might be weight limits for the concrete.
- G. Bailey V: I heard that it was an awesome idea. a lot of sweet ladies that were super excited. It got them involved in homecoming which i
- H. Norma: I was told that this Homecoming was better than having everyone dressed up. There were only a couple issues. It was difficult to decorate while movie going on. Someone also suggested to me that we have a Homecoming committee with non-ASWU members help plan it and to help spread word. We should also get a different method of voting. I kind of feel that those who voted were mostly BMAC and Warren.
- I. Justin: The alumni mentioned the parade during their luncheon. They wanted to do an alumni float. They weren't really sure if they were invited to the campfire thing?
- J. Katie: Why didn't you stop the rain friday night? It think the parade was cool, people loved it. Let's move it an hour back because it was hard for senators. We just need to give the leadership team more time to prepare for it.
- K. Justin: Let's also give feedback from the campfire.
- L. Brendan: Do you have any extra mason jars? I heard they were gone really quickly.
- M. Bre: I have a few extra.
- N. Justin: People loved the newly painted smoke shack.
- O. Katie: The only thing I heard was that we should give people something else to do while they're down there.
- P. Bre: Okay, any ideas?
- Q. Savana: We could something similar to campfire but transition to a dance later.
- R. Justin: There were some concerns about why there wasn't a dance, but we have eight other dances.
- S. Bre: I realized that we hadn't had one yet.
- T. Chase: Oliver Hall
- U. Justin: What did you all think of the Homecoming banners?

V. Savana: They look amazing.

W. Justin: Were there any issues getting it done?

X. Brittany: Mostly just dorm involvement. It was mostly leadership that helped out.

Y. Brendan: Yeah, only about 4-5 people helped out. Also, how was voting decided?

Z. Bre: We had different people walking about and scoring them.

AA. Katie: I think it went well at Duvall. Leadership pretty much sat by the side while residents did it.

BB. Bre: Do we still like them? I know we've always done Homecoming posters but do you still want to do them in future years?

CC. Jeff: It's a good dorm pride activity.

DD. Chase: Those in the same week is hard but dedicating a week is a lot better

EE. Bekah: It adds more spirit into the HUB.

FF. Brendan: I love the Arend thing with all the names of people in the dorm. I thought it was super cool. Why can't we do something similar?

GG. Justin: Other feedback?

VII. Reports, Announcements, and Campus Vibes

A. Justin: I had a meeting recently where we discussed proposals for adding B.S. in Development Studies, an Art History B.A., and a Masters program in Athletic Training, which could be in place in two years. As far as our freshman retention rate, it has increased 1%. The honors program is raising their requirement from 15 credits to 18 credits for honors. The library is getting a digital commons program for teachers to put all of their research and students will be able to access all of it. Dr Clark will come speak to us on that. Next week is trustee week. A lot of you will be serving on that committee and you have the agendas for all of the happenings during trustee week. Tickets to see Patt Metheny are \$10 but only this week. Beck has allocated \$100,000 for Whitworth United, which will mostly be used for CDA, cultural events, such like that. If you know someone that would like to put on a cultural event, there is where they can get their funding.

- B. Skyler: We had no requisitions this week. one next week. Unallocated is currently at \$2198.93 and capital is at \$20,000. future cap project from Alan Jacob, Outdoor Rec, Anthony Cricelias. They want to kiosk for the Back 40 trails and workout routes. It will be coming out of capital in near future.
- C. Jordan R: Keep eyes out on website with new content. We're starting shows and we have some interesting ideas. Go to the jazz concert. I mean, I met my girlfriend there and you might just meet someone and it's at a jazz concert.
- D. SOMEONE: We have been having issues with people being noisy outside I mean, we are right by that road. There's nothing we can do from within the dorm. They were asking if we could put this in the newsletters. We've also had issues with heaters too.
- E. Justin: Could you post a "Quiet Zone" sign?
- F. RacheL: I didn't know that was an option.
- G. Jeff: We are working with facilities on a couple of facilities issues. The fireplace doesn't work. I am on a committee that met a week ago and we're revising the survey that people fill out to evaluate their classes and professors. We want to see how effective they are and how seriously people take it. Freshman fell fest is Saturday 7-9PM. We need people to help set up at 5:30pm. Also, Brendan has a cool flier. Senators, please hang those up in your dorm and post them to your fb page.
- H. Brendan: I have 50 printed fliers. Eight are for Warren, three for the Village, four for the HUB, and five for everyone else.
- I. Chase: Can you clarify what we talked about earlier?
- J. Brendan: I know there was an emphasis on everyone is able to come. We don't have enough resources for everyone so we're aiming for just freshman now.
- K. Katie: I have already put it in my newsletter since that is what we were told last time. Should I go tell my residents that they now aren't supposed to go? Like, what will happen if they go when it's freshman only?
- L. Brendan: The only thing that will happen is that we will run out of food.

- M. Brittany: For prime time next Thursday at 8-10pm in Arend we are having representatives from the Islamic Center come and there will be desserts. I also have questions about the Barn Dance. Why is it off-campus only? On-campus events are open to off-campus students so I don't know why on-campus students can't go to off-campus events.
- N. Savana: We only have 200 spots available. We wanted to cater to off-campus first. We're not trying to be exclusive and a lot of RAs that are upperclassmen who want to come, but if we were to do sales in the HUB then off-campus students who aren't in the HUB as often wouldn't get those tickets..
- O. Brittany: I mean, you could make money, not just break even.
- P. Kevin: Good point. Dorm senators can still coordinate off-campus events.
- Q. Bre: Maybe part of it is that you wait until you are off-campus to attend off-campus events.
- R. Kiersten: We finally have all leadership for KIPOS filled. Our first meeting is Saturday. We are going to have a pumpkin carving event from the pumpkins in the garden. Brittany and I are doing facilities committee.
- S. Justin: Brendan, have these fliers been approved?
- T. Brendan: They were approved but not officially.
- U. Peter: How many do we take?
- V. Kiersten: Take one or two.
- W. Brendan: Off The Page has their first event next Monday at 8:30PM. There isn't an official name yet but there will be cookies and cocoa in the ABC room. They will do some readings and open mic.
- X. Ryan: Please go to the jazz concert. Not only are you supporting fellow students, you get to see a jazz legend. Monster Mash on October 24th. There is a \$3 entrance fee. Monster Mash is an annual dance hosted by Warren. It's a rave dance and we do fun activities like bobbing for apples.
- Y. Katie: Now that Homecoming is over, I'm getting back to my washing machine project. I think out details beforehand, hard to change information afterwards.

- Z. Norma: Everything is ok for now. Today at 7am we had COVAC meeting about the AD/GP credit making it better. It's really interesting to be on the inside. I feel like I'm holding your future. It was also interesting discussing "diversity" from their adult perspective since it was the same discussion we had when we were making our mission statement. They also noticed that "diversity" has kind of a negative connotation.
- AA. Bekah: We have had some accuracy issues in the Whitworthian, so those of you who were interviewed in last issue may have been misquoted. I'm being hard ass about it now. I want to apologize and we're now taking steps to get better. They aren't professionals so it's a learning process.
- BB.Savana: Barn dance and senior cards are finally in.
- CC.Adam: Anarchy has fallen. We have rules like other dorms now. We now have quiet hours starting at 11:30pm.
- DD. Norma: Penalties?
- EE. Adam: Fines. Three years and apparently now we can't be nice to each other.
- FF. Bailey V: Oct 24th is the Mac Haunted House and Bent Trivia at 10:30PM. Bent Trivia brings their stuff to all kinds of places like pizza places. I hope people come in teams. Advertise heavily next week. There is a November 3rd concert in the MPR.
- GG. Dayna: Will there be prizes for trivia?
- HH. Bailey: I think we'll have prizes for each round and then for each game.
- II. Jeff: How big are the teams supposed to be? I mean, we're talking about a senator team over here.
- JJ. Bailey: I think up to 10 people.
- KK. Neihls: We're trying to break down barriers of intimidation and lead positive trips. Last year's biking trip was almost all experienced people. This year we had a bunch of different people with different skill levels. had a lot of fun. My housemate went and was like "I don't know what I got myself into" at first but by the end he was ready to quit school to be a mountain biker. We're trying to help people get involved and not be exclusive. Ubbergrippen is a fair, not a competition. Please grab

a couple fliers. The climbing wall staff is trying to promote it a lot. it's Saturday. All information is on the FaceBook page and on the card. Starts at

LL. Bre: The vibe I've gotten is that people are tired. Help people out. When people aren't tired they're nice. I mean, it's Whitworth so I expect people to hold the door open if I'm walking in behind them but I've had the door slammed in my face like three times today. I'm picking on little things like that.

MM. Brendan: Massages?

NN. Bre: I wish.

OO. Kevin: Savana and I are figuring out details for the Barn Dance.

PP. Kysee: On Saturday, Jesus Nebot is coming to talk about undocumented immigrants at 3-4:30pm in the RTT. He'll talk about immigration policies and there'll be a discussion. At 8pm he'll show his film called No Turning Back. It's a side of diversity that people don't usually see.

QQ. Kelsey: I went gen ed rational about liberal arts. There's a mountain of reasons for us doing selfies over traditional photos.

RR. Jordan R: They can do a selfie but they can also do a traditional photo.

SS. Kelsey: Yes.

TT. Bailey: Will there be someone here to take a staged photo or do we have to have one taken by us?

UU. Kelsey: Taken by you.

VV. Peter: As I was walking into SAGA I noticed that it says that Whitworth students have to pay to get into the play. The theater production is free to Whitworth students. spread the word.

WW. Jordan: first time going?

XX. Peter: yes. Opening night is Oct 16th. that weekend. It is that Friday, Saturday, and Sunday followed by the next Friday and Saturday. The time depends on the date. It's Shakespeare's Henry V but adapted to a modern time.

YY. Katie: I haven't seen any fliers.

ZZ. Justin: Get fliers out to senators to put up in the dorms.

AAA. Peter: I saw them in Oliver but I don't know about anywhere else.

BBB. Chase: Fun fact: we have some awesome new reps. Give them a hand. I was elected as a BJ rep two years ago and I remember hearing a lot of terms that I had never heard of before. Things like "Lied Square" and "ASWU." This is just an encouragement to ask questions. Olly Hall Ball, Monster Mash.

CCC. Bailey: Monday Madness is still in the planning stages. so please send me song requests.

DDD. Nicole:: What is Monday Madness?

EEE. Bailey: Monday Madness has been previously called "Midnight Madness" and it is the largest pep rally of the year for the beginning of basketball season. It has a dance contest, I give out free shirts, brews bros will be there, and it will be tons of fun.

VIII. SEC Decisions

A. Justin: Student Elections Committee people, please raise your hands. Pay attention to those hands. They will have more information to add .

B. Chase: The email I sent to ASWU has everything you could possibly imagine about his election. I'm just going to summarize quickly what all went on. The first problem was the definition of "application" and the issues of references. Are references required? Exec team, sec. general election guidelines state that the reference and the written application. written application with question. prompted to send three references. They have to reply before the Friday of elections. Those students that I dismissed, was that justifiable? I should have gone to SEC, but now the issue is if we should we do a reelection or not. We have SEC to back that decision. After heavy analysis of the bylaws, we realized that it is a mess. There are tons of discrepancies between these documents. We had to look into what rules and guidelines meant, which would be the candidate packets. What do these say? They say every candidate must do application and three references. I passed every write-in for the general election within 24 hours. They also needed references. That rule applies to every position with a write-in representative. We have to decide if this is something to do a

reelection on. The SEC decided to recommend a reelection. To anyone in the back who wants this packet, email me.

- C. Bailey K: In bylaws now, defining difference between sending out the reference emails and having those references received completed?
- D. Chase: The candidates have to submit a written application and three references have to have been received.
- E. Norma: What you wrote is still on the board.
- F. Chase: Guidelines
- G. Changing rule of references to it being three written
- H. Chase: not applicable to decidign if we reelection or not. No longer be a factor in whether they get on the ballot.
- I. Justin: How many were received?
- J. Chase: There were 18 total and 10 got through.
- K. Bre: Was there anyone who got disqualified, their dorm wrote them in, and ended up winning?
- L. Chase: No.
- M. Chase: Oliver had no candidates. anyone that was planning on running and was disqualified didn't win.
- N. Brittany: They were told they couldn't run so they really didn't have any initiative.
- O. Chase: All of them didn't have their three references submitted.
- P. Bre: that resident could have had someone
- Q. Kevin: how much is new election material?
- R. Justin: When I ran for senator and president, my references were not able to complete it on time but there was a grace period.
- S. Bre: I was told that I didn't need references when I was a write-in candidate.
- T. Chase: It's not reasonable to ask them to respond within a couple hours in order to get them on the ballot. We have gutted this down where this is fair. SEC voted that references will be additional bucks. No reference is sent to Skyler. In the past it has been that you will be waiting for your references to get back to you by a certain date.

We want it so you just write down three names and emails. There has been a lot of discussion about this and what the purpose of references is. Its content is not used now except by EVP post elections to see who needs what work in what area.

Sometimes a bad reference will stop a candidate from running. Justin, that discussion will have to come at another time.

U. Norma: I was under impression that they fill out a form that is check in the box in certain categories.

V. Chase: That is what we have now and what we going to get rid of.

W. Kelsey: How would you use references pre-election?

X. Chase: used once back when so it was taken o sec

Y. Dayna: We had a student one year who got a bad reference and decided to withdraw.

When you apply for jobs and they ask for references, they will ask if they think you are a good candidate for that job and if you would be good in that position. That's how it'd be used.

Z. Katie: So, do we want to or not want to?

AA. Justin: we have 1/3 missing. disqualified or did not win.

BB. Dayna: Do they want to go through elections again?

CC. Bre: I had my rep who won who didn't understand what to do because he was invited to the table, then suddenly not invited to it. You have to account for those who thought they had a job.

DD. Katie: Some candidates feel that there's no point in running again since they know the other person will win.

EE. Dayna: who will say Hey@ we need to have one.

FF. Jeff: I don't know who that would be. I'm not getting that impression. Because of table not table issue.

GG. Kaysee: It's okay if someone is upset with us. One person being upset

HH. Justin: We should take responsibility for procedural mistake.

II. Dayna: Is doing a reelection going to hurt those people?

JJ. Bailey K: Are we really being transparent if these people have no idea what is going on?

KK. Chase: We sat all of the candidates down and we explained what was going on. They know and will be the first people to know what we decide.

LL. Savana: There should be a statement sent out about what happened to clear up the situation.

MM. Chase: When that is sent out, it will be my name on it. In the same process of apologizing, they will see that and hopefully there will be no pushback. We need to explain it but not in a way to make it seem like we are making excuses. At the end of the day, we messed up.

NN. Kevin: Can we do a straw poll before we do an actual vote?

OO. Justin: Raise your hand if you vote that a reelection is necessary.

PP. Vote

QQ. Bre: Does SEC keep the same candidates as the initial election?

RR. Chase: It will be a brand new election, so anyone in the school can run.

SS. Justin: The SEC recommendation is for a reelection.

TT. Norma: I feel torn.

UU. Justin: SEC will make a recommendation and ASWU votes upon them.

VV. Brittany: It wouldn't be easy to make another election but if we are transparent and it should be about doing what is right.

WW. Kaysee: So we would do a reelection and candidates do another application.

XX. Chase: I will email them tonight with all of the information they need if they want to do the reelection.

YY. Bre: What if we table the discussion for next week and then talk to those people?

ZZ. Jordan: We could get a feel of what the campus feels, not just what we feel.

AAA. Adam: Are we able to table this conversation for a later day?

BBB. Chase: I think there is a ten day limit from when the error was discovered.

CCC. Justin: I don't think a time constraint at this point, actually.

DDD. Bailey K: Putting it off will mess it up more.

EEE. Chase: If we were to table it then we need a fast plan to get student input.

FFF. Kelsey: How do the newly elected feel about it?

GGG. Aric: I really don't want to go through this again.

HHH. SOMEONE: If i were someone who felt wronged by this then

III. Aric: I would have gotten over it by now.

JJJ. Katie: Are reps voting members?

KKK. Justin: Yes.

LLL. Brendan: I motion to overrule SEC recommendation.

MMM. Peter: Seconded.

NNN. Nine out of twelve

1. Peter Schoening - Oliver Hall: Yes
2. Norma Heredia - Boppell Hall: No
3. Rachel Henson - Ballard Hall : Yes
4. Adam Higuete - MacMillan Hall: No
5. Brittany Boring - Arend Hall: No
6. Kevin Glover - Off-Campus: Yes
7. Jeff Debray - Stew-Ville: Yes
8. Nicole Busacca - BJ Rep: Yes
9. Brendan Finch - BJ Senator: Yes
10. Katie Holtzheimer - Duvall Senator: Yes
11. Aric Williams - Arend Rep: Yes
12. Rachel Rogers - Warren Rep: Yes
13. Ryan Stewart - Warren Senator: Absent

OOO. Justin: The motion to not have a reelection has passed.

PPP. Chase: From here, the SEC will work to reword the bylaws as it pertains to election and make sure this doesn't happen again. All these changes will be brought to you at a later time. SEC will make the changes and be brought here to be voted on.

IX. For the Good of the Order

- A. Attempted to show Bailey K's video
- X. Shout Outs and "Own Its"
- XI. Adjourn: Justin, 6:41PM