

Student Government Association –Newton

Senate Meeting Minutes

2N, Lecture Hall

November 4, 2016

I. Call to Order by the presiding officer

a. Time: 1:00

b. Presiding Officer: **Levi Price**

II. Opening Call of the Roll

III. Determination of Quorum (**Yes** or No)

IV. Reading and approval of the minutes from the previous meeting (**Approved**)

V. Special Orders (Appointments/Charters)

VI. Executive Cabinet Reports

1) **Executive Vice President** – Daniel Detlefsen (1:10)

- We are approaching to the end of the semester. Therefore, we already know some of our member will be leaving. We have to start gathering ideas and recruiting people for SGA. Our main goal will be have a full SGA for next semester and help PAC to achieve the same.

2) **Speaker of the Senate** – Levi Price (1:15)

- Executive Vice President Daniel Detlefsen and myself are starting to put together a binder for future SGA members. Our goal with this initiative is to make easier for everyone to be part of SGA and have a better understanding of what means to be part of our organization. We are requiring all members to write a small paragraph about their experience and duties of their positions. We would like to have it done by the last meeting that will be on December 2nd.

3) **Communications Director** – Alexander Arteaga (1:23)

- No report.

4) **Financial Director** – Theodore Betton (1:24)

- Just a reminder to all SGA members and volunteers the next outreach will be on November 15 at 1 we are leaving campus at 12:00 to set up everything on there if any is interested in going, they are more than welcome. This is an invitation to SGA members and Volunteers only.

VII. Senator Reports

- 1) **Senator of Government Relations** – Vincent Beebe (1:30)
 - As we getting close to the Elections it is our duty to be involved in the Presidential and Vice Presidential debates. Therefore, we broadcasted most of the previous debates on campus with Senator Nelson. The day of the election we are planning to have our lecture hall open so we can broadcast the elections in real time also they will be in some TVs around campus.
- 2) **Senator of Academic Affairs** – Praneeth Eddu (1:33)
 - It is possible that we will have to move the initiative of workshops because there is no staff available at this moment. Senator Eddu is working on searching ahead of time for professor for the next semester in Math and English. As we see the demand of students for different classes increases, we will do the properly arrangements.
- 3) **Senator of Student Relations** – Myles Nelson (1:37)
 - Senator Nelson has been working with Senator Eddu and Senator Beebe to involve students in our events for this semester. It is why we have been doing all the events in the small field between campuses.
- 4) **Senator of Clubs and Orgs** - Omoruyi Ologbosere (1:45)
 - No report.

VIII. Panther Activities Council Report (1:45)

- Presented by Catherine Beebe, PAC updated SGA as follows:
 - Overview of homecoming events
 - Upcoming events:
 - 11/3 Self Defense Workshop
 - 11/9 Sweet on Service: Service Opportunity
 - 11/15 PantherFest (fall festival)

IX. Advisor Report (2:00)

Mrs. Jackson

- Promotional Items updates.
- ASGA New, Orleans trip update.

X. Old Business

XI. New Business

XII. Open Forum

XIII. Announcements

XIV. Closing Call of the Roll

XV. Adjournment

a. Time: 2:15

b. Next Meeting: November, 18 at 1pm