 **Student Government Association**

**Meeting Minutes 9/28/15**

I. **Call to order**

Vice President William Weber called to order the regular meeting of the NKU Student Government Association at 3:31 p.m. on September 21, 2015 in NKU Governance Room (SU104).

II. **Roll call**

Secretary of Administration Amanda Rogers conducted a roll call.

Executive Board

~~Katherine Hahnel~~ – President (excused)

William Weber – Vice President

Joey Yerace – Secretary of Student Involvement

~~Sami Dada~~ – Secretary of Public Relations (excused)

Amanda Rogers – Secretary of Administration

Julia Steffen – Student Rights Committee Chair

Ella Mravec – University Improvements Committee Chair

Donald Taylor – Academic Affairs Committee Chair

Joey Smith – Chief Justice

Kristian Johnson – Legislative Liaison

Senators:

Applebee, Iain

~~Bartlett, Dasia~~

Blankenship, Brad

Britt, Chase

Brown, Grant

Case, Joseph

Cornes, Troy

Davis, Miriam

~~Dieudone, Irakoze~~ (not excused)

Dixon, Cheryl

Gagne, Taylor

Hatfield, Aaron

Hepner, Becca

Hils, Maria

Jordan, Dominique

Marshall, Camey

Miller, Christian

Poindexter, Hunter

Roberson, Preston

~~Schaefer, Kaitlyn~~ (excused)

Spenser, Matt

Stevenson, Austin

Vincent, Emma

Wallingford, Taryn

West, Jarrod

Winstel, Caroline

Justices:

~~Loiser, Ethan~~ (excused)

McGinnis, Michael

~~Mettens, Walker~~ (excused)

~~Miller, Logan~~ (excused)

III. **Approval of the Minutes**

Senator Emma Vincent motioned for the approval of the minutes, and Senator Taryn Wallingford seconded.

IV. **Open Session**

1. Gabby Molony, Coordinator of the Norse Violence Prevention Center came in to speak to about the Its On Us Campaign. The campaign is a national campaign that more than 300 universities have collaborated with since its inception. The university will be partnering with this campaign, as well as the Greek Life Office, and our own organization. It is about Title IX.
2. Working Meeting. (20 minute duration) Senators break up into their respective committees.

V. **New Business**

No New Business

VI. **Executive Board Reports**

a) Secretary of Public Relations, Sami Dada

1. I need people to please sign up to work tables at fall fest! 30 minute shifts and it’s from 10:30am-2pm. (Wear your it’s on us shirts please)

2. Follow us on all of the Social Medias

3. Senator of the day this week! Text or email me your major, where you are from, year, and quote.

Monday-Aaron Hatfield  
 Tuesday- Kaitlyn Schaefer   
 Wednesday- Jarrod West  
 Thursday -Chase Britt  
 Friday- Grant Brown

4. Have a great week and aloha!

b) Secretary of Student Involvement, Joey Yerace

1. Norse Rates, calls are being made and the list is being updated. Will let you know as things get confirmed. Keep sending suggestions if you have them.

2. Legacy Fund meeting is next Tuesday, applications are on OrgSync.

c) Secretary of Administration, Amanda Rogers

1. When you are going to be late to a meeting please email me at [rogersa8@nku.edu](mailto:rogersa8@nku.edu)

2. It’s Senator Chase Britt’s birthday, let’s all sing to him

3. Name plate final order will be done, please email me if you don’t have one or your name is spelled wrong.

d) Vice President, William Weber

1. Senators are needed to fill spots on external committees. Please email Will if you have interest in the following committees: Traffic Advisory, Food Advisory, and Library committee.

2. The It’s On Us t-shirts are in if you are ordered one please come get one.

3. Senator Caroline Winstel and Senator Preston Roberson please come see me after meeting

e) President, Katherine Hahnel

1. No Report.

VII. **Committee Reports**

a.) Student Rights Committee, Julia Steffen

1. Senator Jarrod West is working on a project with Fuel NKU

2. Senator Bradley Blankenship is working in a resolution for dorm safety

3. The committee is working on revisiting the request for more student organizational funding.

b.) University Improvements Committee, Ella Mravec

1. Senator Chase Britt is working on a resolution for gender inclusive housing.

2. Senators on the committee are also working on a Greek housing resolution.

3. Senators on the committee are also working on other ideas such as: dormitory signage, student evaluations, relaxation rooms, and revamping voting.

c.) Academic Affairs Committee, Donald Taylor

1. Happy Monday

2. Senator Matt Spencer is working on a resolution for improved lighting in practice rooms.

3. Senators on the committee are also working on things such as: student/teacher evaluations, and establishing a textbook database.

VIII. **Ex-Officio Reports**

a) ACR Liaison

1. ACR is advocating for more bike racks, and improved kitchenettes this semester.

2. Callahan haunted house is coming up October 29th, if you would like to volunteer please contact Dana Jenner.

b) SBA Liaison

1. Not present.

c) VSA Liaison

1. No Report.

d) Legislative Liaison, Kristian Johnson

1. Everyone was doing great during the working meeting, very excited to see things to come

2. Remember to thoroughly research your resolutions.

d) Chief Justice, Joseph Smith

1. Working with Dean Meier on a special for the Constitution changes.

2. Any questions please see me.

IX. **Advisors Reports**

a) Office of Student Conduct, Rights, and Advocacy, Stephen Meier

1. No report.

b) Sarah Aikman

1. No report

c) Dannie Moore

1. Taking pictures after meeting in the side hallway

X. **Old Business**

No Old Business

XI. **Announcements**

1. Go to Big Pink Volleyball
2. Norse Dash is October 4th from 10am-2pm please attend

XII. **Adjournment**

Motion to adjourn by Senator Taylor Gagne, seconded by Senator Hunter Poindexter; President William Weber adjourned the meeting at 4:24 p.m.

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