



Student Government Association

Meeting Minutes 09/29/14

I. Call to order

President John Jose called to order the regular meeting of the **NKU Student Government Association** at **3:30 p.m.** on **September 29, 2014** in **NKU Governance Room (SU104)**.

II. Roll call

Secretary of Administration Hannah Jones conducted a roll call.

Executive Board

John Jose- President

Katherine Hahnel-Vice President - *Absent (Faculty Senate)*

Hannah Jones- Secretary of Administration

Andrew Dorriere- Secretary of Student Involvement

Committee Chairs

Julia Steffen - Academic Affairs Chair

Patrick Reagan- University Improvements Chair

Elizabeth Ruwe - Student Rights Chair

Jarrold West- Finance Chair

Legislative Liaison:

Chandler Taylor

Chief Justice:

Tyler Stevens

Senators:

Dasia Bartlett

Hattie Clark

Kyle Conley

Sami Dada

Irakoze Dieudone

~~Tanner Elrod~~ - *Excused*

Keisha Frazier

Justices:

Nicole Arduser

Hannah French

Laura Hahn - *Late*
Aaron Hatfield
~~Sarah Howard~~ - *Excused*
Kristian Johnson
Dominique Jordan
Ellie Kremer
Ben Martin
Kamaria Mayes
Isaac McFarland
Kylie Meiser
Ella Mravec
Nick Pflum
Rick Seal
Donald Taylor - *Late*
Will Weber
Bryce Wells
Alexandra Young

Approval of minutes from last meeting on **September 22, 2014**.
Minutes were **unanimously** approved.

III. Open Session

IV. Executive Board Reports

a) Sec. of Public Relations, Arnela Zekic

- 1) The banner and white board are currently up.
- 2) The Town Hall is now set up as a Leadership University.
- 3) If you are having trouble opening the Google Doc, make sure to e-mail her at zekical@nku.edu.
- 4) We are going to do a SGA commercial in November. If you are interested in being in it e-mail Arnela.

b) Sec. of Administration, Hannah Jones

- 1) Happy Monday!
- 2) If you are going to be late, make sure to let her know in advance. Also, if you have to leave meeting early just make sure to leave quietly.
- 3) The Norse Rates are now on the website so check those out!

c) Sec. of Student Involvement, Andrew Dorriere

- 1) Hi everyone!
- 2) Thank you, Hannah for posting the Norse Rates on the SGA website.
- 3) Do not forget, the Student Organization Board Luncheon is tomorrow at noon in the UC Ballroom.
- 4) If you are in another organization, make sure to send in Legacy Fund applications ASAP because the money is going very quickly.
- 5) Do not forget, Airbands is tonight in Greaves Concert Hall at 7! It is \$2 or a hygiene product. Come out and support all the social fraternities and sororities!

d) Vice President, Kat Hahnel

e) President, John Jose

- 1) Just a reminder again, the Student Organization Board Luncheon is tomorrow.
- 2) The Town Hall meeting is next Monday after meeting in the Northern Terrace Multipurpose Room.
- 3) On October 20, we will have our Fall Safety Walk at 5:30 p.m.
- 4) There is a Justice spot open. Justice Chris Walters had to step down because of timing issues. The application opened today, and it close on Friday.
- 5) There is a resolution reading today so keep in mind all the comments that was said in the previous readings.

V. Committee Reports

a) Finance Chair, Jarrod West

- 1) This week, the committee will have a survey about the meal plan experience being passed around the Student Union. They have rented iPads to do the surveys.

b) Student Rights Chair, Elizabeth Ruwe

- 1) The Town Hall meeting will have 4 main areas: transportation, meal plan, housing, and parking.

c) Academic Affairs Chair, Julia Steffen

- 1) The committee has a meeting with the Provost on Wednesday.

d) University Improvements Chair, Patrick Reagan

- 1) The Campus Safety Walk will be hosted by Hattie and Tanner. It is on October 20.

VI. Ex-Officio Reports

a) ACR Liaison, Joel Wilson

- 1) ACR will be hosting Norse O' Ween.

b) Student Athlete Liaison, Jack Flournoy

- 1) There is a women's soccer game on Friday night.
- 2) The men's soccer team has a game on Saturday night for Family Weekend/

c) Legislative Liaison, Chandler Taylor

- 1) Make sure to keep sending him e-mails if you cannot make your office hour.

d) Judicial Council Chief Justice, Tyler Stevens

- 1) The application for the Justice position is now open.
- 2) It lists the responsibilities of the Justice online on the application.
- 3) You can apply for it on OrgSync.

VII. Advisor Reports

a) Dean of Students, Dr. Jeff Waple

b) Sarah Aikman

- 1) No report.

c) Danny Moore

- 1) No report.

VIII. Old Business

a) Third Reading of Gender Inclusive Bathrooms Resolution by Sen. Ellie Kremer and Elizabeth Ruwe.

- **Pres. John Jose** opens the floor for discussion for 10 minutes.
- **Sen. Kristian Johnson** motions to change the third whereas from complained to voice concerns to make it sound more positive. **Sen. Elizabeth Ruwe** seconds. **Motion passes.**
- **Sen. Chandler Taylor** calls the resolution to question. **Sen. Patrick Reagan** seconds. **Submoved by Sen. Amanda Rogers. 19 I's and 7**

Nays. 1 abstention by Sen. Kyle Conley. Motion passes. Resolution passes.

IX. New Business

Sen. Patrick Reagan motions to close New Business. **Sen. Amanda Rogers** seconds. **Motion passes.**

X. Announcements

- * Andrew: LGTBQ History Month kick-off event starts this week.
- The NoH8 Campaign will be here on Friday.
- * John: Big Pink Volleyball is tomorrow.
- * Kyle: College of Republicans meeting is at 5:30 today.

X. Adjournment

Pres. John Jose motions to adjourn. **Sen. Patrick Reagan** seconds. **Chief Justice Tyler Stevens** submoved. **Motion passes.** **President John Jose** closes meeting at **4:02 p.m.**

Minutes compiled by: **Hannah Jones, SGA Secretary of Administration**