



Student Government Association

Meeting Minutes 01/12/15

I. Call to order

President John Jose called to order the regular meeting of the **NKU Student Government Association** at **3:32 p.m.** on **January 12, 2015** 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
Hannah Jones- Secretary of Administration
Andrew Dorriere- Secretary of Student Involvement
Arnela Zekic – Secretary of Public Relations

Committee Chairs

Julia Steffen - Academic Affairs Chair
~~Patrick Reagan – University Improvements Chair~~ *Excused*
Kristian Johnson - Student Rights Chair
Jarrod West- Finance Chair

Legislative Liaison:

Chandler Taylor

Chief Justice:

Tyler Stevens

Senators:

Dasia Bartlett
Hattie Clark
Kyle Conley
Sami Dada
Irakoze Dieudone
Tanner Elrod

Justices:

Hannah French

Laura Hahn
Aaron Hatfield
Sarah Howard
Ellie Kremer
Ben Martin
Kamaria Mayes
Isaac McFarland
Ella Mravec
Nick Pflum
~~Amanda Rogers~~ - Excused
Rick Seal
Austin Stevenson
Donald Taylor
Will Weber
Bryce Wells
~~Alexandra Young~~ - Excused

Approval of minutes from last meeting on **December 8, 2014**.
Minutes were **unanimously** approved.

III. Open Session

A. Parking and Chartwells Presentation by Andy Meeks.

- a. Meal prices going up 3% next school year.
- b. Brunch will be served on Saturday and Sunday of Fall Move-In day weekend.
- c. Working on getting commuter and faculty/staff meal plans.
- d. Parking may increase due to no increase last year.

B. Housing Presentation by Arnie Slaughter.

- a. No increase in Kentucky, Commonwealth, Callahan, and Northern Terrace.
- b. There will be a small increase in the Suites and Woodcrest due to making similar rooms the same price.

Sen. Chandler Taylor motions to move swearing in of new Senators and Justice after Open Session. **Sen. Tanner Elrod seconded. Motion passes.**

C. Swearing in of new Senators and Justice.

- a. **Sen. Chandler Taylor** motions to approve slate. **Sen. Will Weber** seconds. **Motion passes.**

IV. Executive Board Reports

a) Sec. of Public Relations, Arnela Zekic

- 1) Hi guys!
- 2) Last meeting she passed around paper for each person to write “Why I love SGA.” She is going to post those on Facebook this week.
- 3) She tweeted during presentations so retweet and favorite the tweets for people to see.

b) Sec. of Administration, Hannah Jones

- 1) She is sorry for always struggling with attachments on the email. She will try to get better.
- 2) She created a SGA blog on the website so make sure to go check it out!

c) Sec. of Student Involvement, Andrew Dorriere

- 1) Hi guys!
- 2) He will be getting together with Athletics about SGA sponsoring a Homecoming game.
- 3) He got shot down a lot over Christmas Break with Norse Rates, but he will continue to find more places.

d) Vice President, Kat Hahnel

- 1) Welcome back!
- 2) The parking committee she emailed about over break is now full.

e) President, John Jose

- 1) Happy New Year!
- 2) Senator Keisha Frazier has resigned.
- 3) The application will open up after meeting.

V. Committee Reports

a) Finance Chair, Jarrod West

- 1) Committee meeting after meeting.

b) Student Rights Chair, Kristian Johnson

- 1) Parking Resolution will be read.

c) Academic Affairs Chair, Julia Steffen

- 1) Committee meeting after meeting.

d) University Improvements Chair, Patrick Reagan

- 1) Not here.

VI. Ex-Officio Reports

a) ACR Liaison

- 1) Not here.

b) Student Athlete Liaison, Jack Flourney

- 1) Not here.

c) Legislative Liaison, Chandler Taylor

- 1) Went over the office hours for the semester.

d) Judicial Council Chief Justice, Tyler Stevens

- 1) Welcome back!
- 2) Meeting with the Justice League after meeting.

VII. Advisor Reports

a) Dean of Students, Dr. Jeff Waple

- 1) Welcome back. We had a great Fall semester.
- 2) Elections are coming up in March.
- 3) If anyone is interested in the Health Innovation Center committee email him at waplej1@nku.edu.
- 4) Currently investigating getting possible bike rentals on campus for students to use.
- 5) There will NOT be a new outside food option like how it was talked last year. Instead, they will be using that money to renovate Callahan Bistro.

- 6) The Callahan roof will be worked on sometime throughout the semester because it needs repairing.

b) Sarah Aikman

- 1) Homecoming packets are due by Friday.
- 2) Be watching for the N3 because reservations for rooms for 2015-2016 will begin on February 2nd.

c) Danny Moore

- 1) Welcome back.
- 2) Working on elections packets with Tyler.

VIII. Old Business

A. Second Reading of the Campbell Hall Resolution presented by Senator Ella Mravec.

- 1) Sen. Julia Steffen motions to add “Education.” Sen. Will Weber seconds. Motion passes.
- 2) President John Jose calls to question. Sen. Tanner Elrod so moved. Sen. Kyle Conley seconds. Motion passes.
- 3) RESOLUTION PASSES

X. New Business

A. First Reading of the Parking Resolution by Senator Ella Mravec.

XI. Announcements

- ❖ Kat: New people, see her after meeting.
- ❖ Sarah: RA applications are up and due on January 23rd.
- ❖ Andrew: Legacy Fund has its first meeting next Tuesday at noon.
- ❖ Laura: APB has lots of events coming up so make sure to look out for them.
- ❖ Dean Waple: Make sure to email him.
- ❖ Tanner: Alpha Sigma Phi is looking to start a new chapter on campus.
- ❖ Kristian: Everyone should bring 5 ideas to the next meeting so the committee has a lot to work with.

X. Adjournment

President John Jose motions to adjourn. Sen. Donald Taylor seconded. Motion passes. President John Jose closes meeting at 4:46 p.m.