

Student Senate Meeting Minutes

2/18/25

Joel Tranel called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m.

Members Present: Taryn Dornseif, Joel Tranel, Caden Boyer, Shania Vanlewin, Mario Rodriguez-Gomez, Allison Ciero (**Connor Buetin**), Aidan Indahl (**Matthew Limbaugh**), Priyanka Satish, Garrett Rotzien, Joey Dunn (**Riley Vander Esch**), Jaedyn Fellenz, Javier Cifuentes, Sidney Polzin, Jacob Fiala, Diego Corvera, Zoe Fink (**Maddie Wall**), Reese Heitzman, Amanda Siemienas, Simone Vega, Maggie Albers

Members Absent: Ali French, Lizzie Pike, Maggie Newhouse, Conner Perry, Luke Pilot, Noah Lahner, Scott Walker

Executive Board Reports

Maggie Newhouse, President

- Response to last week's concern about students in the main gym.
 - The wrong footwear in the gym is causing scuff marks that are difficult to remove.
 - It was requested that Campus Safety remove non-athletic students from the gym, and lock all doors immediately following basketball practices.
 - Sisson now requested that we stop removing students from the gym. Instead, he recommends educating them on appropriate footwear and directing them to use the side courts.
 - For the time being, Campus Safety has been instructed to lock the gym but not remove students
- Would senators be interested in having the new chart wells director come and speak with the Senate? YES
- Please email me if you cannot attend Day at the Capitol
- Presidential Petitions are available. I am open to answering any questions anyone has about the position.

Joel Tranel, Vice President of Financial Affairs

- Budgets are now closed
- Look for a message from me about a meeting next Monday.

- Still working on the Flowchart to help answer questions and the processes within the Senate, which will be on the agenda next week.

Mario Rodriguez-Gomez, Vice President of Campus Affairs

- A possible resolution coming next week.
 - Continuation of the directional signage project

Noah Lahner, Vice President of Academic Affairs

- Meeting with Kerri from Career Services on Thursday to continue the discussion from last week.

Caden Rodning, Vice President of Public Affairs

- Facilities Committee - thoughts on signs
 - Sydney, Luke, Joey, Priyanka, Maggie
- Send the link to Senators to sign up
 - Tabling (25th, 11th)
 - Raffle
 - Training (18th) - during the senate meeting
 - Find pictures of the new signs plus what the buildings look like now
 - How much did we contribute to the signs last year

Ali French, Vice President of Student Affairs

- Chartwells is working to have the Cafeteria open on time and be more efficient.
- Sporting events for the week:
 - Men's Hockey on Friday at 7:05 pm
 - Women's Hockey on Saturday at 2 pm *Senior Day
 - Men's and Women's basketball on Saturday at 1 and 3 pm *Senior Day

Taryn Dornseif, Vice President of Media and Communications

- The Instagram takeovers have been going well! I appreciate everyone who has signed up, and the sign-up sheet still has a bunch of slots left on it if you would still like to participate!
- If you are interested in running for president, the petitions are available now so just email me if you would like one!
 - They are due completed by March 3 at midnight

- We have some upcoming events that require business professional attire, so I wanted to touch on the clothing closet that is a resource on campus for all students
 - Located: 4th floor Mary's
 - Managed by: Fernanda Guteirrez
 - If there is a lot of interest, I could set up a time with her to have it open either before or after a senate meeting for anyone who would like to check it out
 - They have men's and women's clothing, shoes, accessories

Lizzie Pike, Vice President of Administrative Affairs

- On March 17th, the Junior Class Officers will be selling alcohol for those with a valid 21+ Driver's License at St. Patrick's Day Trivia in the Pub! Cash only.
- More upcoming fundraisers will be coming up in the upcoming weeks/months, so keep an eye out for those.

Shania Vanlewin, Vice President of Multicultural Affairs

- Nothing to report.

Scott Walker, Advisor

- Nothing to report.

Class Officer Reports

Freshman

- Nothing to report.

Sophomore

- Nothing to report.

Juniors

- Nothing to report.

Seniors

- Working and planning the final details of Gaslight

Senator Concerns:

- Nothing to report.

Adjournment

Motion made to Adjourn- Jacob Fiala

Seconded - Garrett Rotzien

Adjourned at 7:08 p.m.