

BAKERSFIELD COLLEGE STUDENT GOVERNMENT ASSOCIATION

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DEPARTMENT OF STUDENT ACTIVITIES

Tuesday, October 27th, 2015

2:30 p.m.

Executive Board Room

1. CALL MEETING TO ORDER*

The meeting was called to order by Manager Roberts at 2:39 p.m.

2. ROLL CALL*

A two-thirds quorum must be established to hold a bonafide meeting

The following members were present: Manager Roberts, Senator Zavala, Senator Roel, Senator Sanchez (late-entered at 2:43 p.m.), Senator Olague (late-entered at 2:47 p.m.), Student-at-Large Goree, and Nicky Damania, Ph.D.

The following members were absent: Senator Graves

The following members were excused: none.

2/3 quorum was met, thus a bonafide meeting was held.

3. ADOPTION OF AGENDA

The Committee will discuss this agenda and may choose to amend or edit the agenda. Upon conclusion of the discussion the Committee may choose to adopt the agenda.

- a. It was moved by Senator Zavala and seconded by Senator Roel to adopt the agenda for Tuesday, November 3, 2015.

Discussion: No further discussion occurred.

The motion passed by majority vote of "aye" through voice vote.

4. ADOPTION OF MINUTES

The Committee will discuss those minutes and may choose to amend or edit the minutes. Upon conclusion of the discussion the Committee may choose to adopt the minutes.

- a. It was moved by Senator Zavala and seconded by Senator Roel to adopt the minutes from Tuesday, September 22nd, 2015.

Discussion: No further discussion occurred.

The motion passed by majority vote of "aye" through voice vote.

5. PUBLIC COMMENT*

The Chair may elect to take public comment on any action items on this agenda. The Chair may impose reasonable limits on the length members of the public may speak which is stated before comment commence.

- a. There were no comments made by the public

6. INDIVIDUAL REPORTS

The Chair shall recognize any officer of the Association, including the BCSGA Advisor, to offer a report on official activities since the previous meeting and make any summary announcements deemed necessary for no longer than five minutes.

- a. Student Activities Manager, Kirissa Roberts: Homecoming went well two weeks ago, but there are a lot of things that need to be done for planning events for next semester.
- b. BCSGA Advisor, *Dr. Damania*: Something that really needs to be worked on is planning for next semester, especially for Spring Fling and events to take place during the first week of school.

7. OLD BUSINESS

Items listed in this agenda item have already been read or discussed once and thus are considered for approval of the committee

- a. Homecoming 2015 Shades of the Renegades: BC Collage

Discussion: It was discussed by committee members that the football game had a very good turnout, the volleyball game had generated a lot of student interest and involvement, and that the counselors were willing to host more sport competitions against the students or BCSGA. One member also noted that in not being able to volunteer as often for various activities throughout the week, there were still good turnouts in student participation.

8. NEW BUSINESS

Items listed in this agenda item have not already been read or discussed once and thus are considered for approval of the committee

- a. Laminating Renegade Mark Posters

Discussion: It was discussed by the committee what measures needed to be taken in order to laminate the posters. It was addressed that the posters would be hung up outside along the campus

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- center, or within the office, but later decided to implement this idea for the next Homecoming. The posters were already crumpled from the paint and the football game so it'd be harder to accomplish. It was suggested to instead use vinyl paper and sharpies for the next Homecoming.
- b. "Halloween Day" on October 29th, 2015.
Discussion: The mummy wrap game is where partners are to wrap each other up full in toilet paper as quickly as possible, and the prize would be a large cotton candy since it seems to be popular. The location of the event will be in between the Health Center and Office of Student Life. The reason for doing so is because in using the campus foyer, music cannot be played in that area. It was also noted that the bulletin boards must be covered or cleaned after because they became very sticky after the last event using cotton candy held in that area. Popcorn will be given out for free, but the cotton candy will be used only as prizes. A volunteer is needed to play music off their phone through the speaker system. The Halloween quotes game would be pieces of paper with scary movie quotes placed on them, and if they guess it right then the contestant wins a cotton candy. Candy will be given out free to all who are dressed up. A sign-up sheet will be placed in the officer for all BCSGA officers to volunteer.
- c. Welcome Back Week
Discussion: Ideas proposed by Welcome Back Week were to have the carts to provide rides to students to class, host a movie/music/pop culture game show for groups of students, host a match game where there is a panel of students and the students are to finish clichéd sayings, give out hot chocolate, have a Red & White Day on Thursday, January 21st where students wear their school colors, give out welcome back school kits of little pouches of basic school supplies like pencils and more, and give out business informational BCSGA cards or goodie bags.
- d. Monthly teambuilding event (i.e. volleyball with counselors)
Discussion: There was a consensus among all officers to continue doing sports, or different types, of competitions or contests. The different competitions could be doing Pictionary, or drawing contests, or more beyond sports just to not lose student interest fast. It could be held monthly or bimonthly, but that it could be internal of BCSGA versus BCSGA, or BCSGA versus different departments, or clubs versus departments, and more.
- e. Teddy Bear Toss on November 28th.
Discussion: The Director of Student Organizations informed Manager Roberts that the Teddy Bear Toss is going to be involved with the clubs on campus, where the clubs will be collecting the teddy bears and then the clubs will choose BC representatives to go give the bears on the behalf of the school. Additionally, the Condors are willing to give ten tickets, and these tickets will be used as a competition prize for the clubs who bring in the most bears.

9. COMMENTS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS*

The Chair shall recognize in turn Officers requesting the floor for a period not to exceed three minutes. The total time for Comments and Announcements before the first reading of legislation shall not exceed fifteen minutes.

- a. Advisor Damania: I was approached this week by Peggy Boyce, the agent for Frank Mink. He does a presentation based on "Former Skinhead Speaks Out", a presentation on racism/hate and upbringing during the white supremacy movement, and Cerro Coso is bringing him out on November 18th. They are looking to come out to Bakersfield College the following day on November 19th, and the cost is \$1500. But I brought this to the committee to see if you would be interested in having this performance. The facilitators from Cerro Coso have said that he is a very good speaker and have actually enjoyed the presentation, and that this is the second or third time they have brought him back. The movie based on him could be shown as well, but the rights to movie would need to be bought in order to show it. An answer to whether or not this presentation should be done needs to be decided at the end of the week. (Committee members expressed concern in that they were not sure what the turnout for the presentation for it would be, and how publicity would work to make sure that word is spread to get classes to attend the meeting. Moreover, it was not secure whether the budget for the Department on Student Activities could afford it. There was a split decision amongst the members as to whether or not go forward with it. Manager Roberts mentioned that she would look into the budget and then ask Senators to see what their take on the event would be.)
- b. Manager Roberts: I will have sign-up sheet for the Halloween event to help with cotton candy and popcorn, but also for senators to bring at least one toilet paper roll each.

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- a. Senator Olague: I am willing to donate at least 10 pumpkins to hold like a pumpkin carving contest or some event of the sort. Or it could also be like a painting/decorating contest. I also have a whole bunch of Halloween music, so it could be used for a guessing game or as background. Finally, to also hold a Thanksgiving event the week before Thanksgiving Holiday with a pie eating contest with the pies donated from Marie Calendars, or to have a Jell-O contest.
- b. Ian Juarez: World Aids day is on December 1st, so I am not sure if the department is planning an event for that day or to hold a screening of the film, or a presentation. Also, is the department doing hot chocolate for Finals Week? (Answer was yes.)

11. ADJOURNMENT

- a. It was moved by Senator Sanchez and seconded by Senator Olague to adjourn the meeting.
Discussion: No further discussion occurred.
The motion passed by majority vote of “aye” through voice vote. Manager Roberts adjourned the meeting at 3:12 p.m.