

VALDOSTA STATE UNIVERSITY

DIVISION OF STUDENT AFFAIRS Student Government Association

GENERAL MEETING

Monday September 9th, 2019 | 6:30 PM | Ballroom C

- **I.** Call to Order-6:31
- II. Attendance/Quorum- 16/20 Quorum met
- III. Approval of Agenda/Minutes Unanimously approved
- **IV.** Executive Reports
 - **a.** President
 - i. "Share a Coke" Success
 - **1.** President Bell goes over data and commends Senate for helping to make the event successful.
 - ii. Undergraduate Commencement Speaker Committee
 - **1.** President Bell explains application process. Four students will be selected, and applications open this week.
 - iii. Strategic Communication Committee
 - **1.** President Bell explains that this committee will work on recommendations for University communications including mass emails.
 - iv. Georgia Budget and Policy Institute Listening Session 9/23/3019
 - **1.** President Bell announces that dinner will be provided, and this will replace our committee meeting on the 23rd.
 - **b.** Vice President
 - i. First Year Senator Application Update
 - **1.** Vice President Thompson announces that we had 44 applicants and interviews will start on September 16^{th.}
 - ii. Bahamas Relief Drive
 - 1. Vice President Thompson announces that we will be accepting items until next Friday. Please bring items to the office so that we can give points.
 - iii. Graduate Student Senators
 - **1.** Vice President Thompson updates the Senate about Graduate Student applications going live this week.
 - iv. Volleyball Game 9/17
 - **1.** Vice President Thompson announces game preparation at the Monday committee meeting before the game.

- v. Football Home Games
 - **1.** 9/14, 9/21 (Parents Weekend), 10/5, 10,19 (Homecoming), 11/9, 11/16 (Away West GA)
 - **a.** Vice President Thompson encourages the Senate to come out this weekend and support the Blazers
- **c.** Secretary
 - i. Tailgate
 - **1.** Secretary Mustic also encourages the Senate to come support the Blazers at their first home game of the season.
 - ii. General Meeting Schedule Update
 - **1.** 9/9, 9/30, 10/21, 11/11, 12/2
 - **a.** Secretary Mustic corrects General Meeting dates.
- **d.** Treasurer
 - i. Blazer Allocation Committee
 - **1.** Treasurer Patel asks the Senate to email him if they are interested in serving on the Blazer Allocation Committee
 - ii. Senate Retreat 9/28
 - **1.** Treasurer Patel announces the mandatory dates for the Senate Retreat (27th and 28th).
- V. Old Business
- VI. New Business
 - **a.** Bill 19-03
 - i. President Pro Tempore Katen and Parliamentarian Quispe read the bill.
 - ii. Motion to vote on Bill 19-03 by Senator N. Carter; seconded by Senator Smith
 - 1. Vote: Unanimous yes
 - **b.** Parking Discussion
 - **i.** President Bell reviews parking complaints, acknowledges student petition and offers the Senate the opportunity to discuss solutions. No motion is made.
 - **ii.** President Bell explains that a committee will be created to review parking and provide future recommendations.
- VII. Miscellaneous Business
 - a. Senator Speight
 - **b.** President Pro Tempore Katen
 - c. Director Wolfe
- VIII. Adjournment
 - **a.** Motion to adjourn by President Pro Tempore Katen; seconded by Parliamentarian Quispe