



VALDOSTA STATE UNIVERSITY

Division of Student Affairs STUDENT GOVERNMENT ASSOCIATION

General Assembly Meeting

Monday, October 14th, 2013 • 8:00 pm • University Center Cypress Room

AGENDA

- I. Call
- II. Attendance/Quorum
- III. picture
- IV. Approval of Minutes
- V. Officer Reports
 - a. President
 - i. New senator Oath of Office
 - a. Senator Belle, Lewis and Jones receive Oath of Office
 - ii. Concealed carry recognitions and questionnaire
 - a. Successful forum on last Wednesday. Questionnaire is to be filled out by each senator
 - iii. Concealed carry faculty Senate resolution
 - a. To keep guns off campus information and template
 - iv. Marcus Holmes memorial
 - v. Faculty Senate committee delegates- Educational Policy and Technology
 - a. Senator Cano for Educational Policy and Senator Hackett for Technology committee, congratulations to both
 - vi. Faculty Senate
 - a. Committee meeting this Thursday at 3:30 in Cypress room. Open meeting
 - vii. Homecoming 2013 assessment meetings
 - a. Feedback meeting Wednesday October 16th at 6pm by President McKinney in the student union theatre
 - viii. VSU vs. UWG Blood Drive
 - a. Blood Drive will take place Wednesday from 12:30 -5:30 in the student union
 - ix. Membership Recruitment
 - a. 3 vacant seats available
 - b. Vice President
 - i. President Pro-temp
 1. Tamelia Hall
 - a. Senator hall will act as a presiding officer
 - b. All committee reports to tkhall@valdosta.edu
 - c. She will give overview of yalls report
 - d. Media service coordinator
 - e. Majority leader of senators for any given complaints or concerns
 - c. Secretary
 - i. Guests
 - a. All guest be sure to sign in
 - ii. Excuses
 - a. All senators be sure to email be any concerns or excuses. Please fill out and submit the student excuse form on the SGA website if you are going to be tardy or absent
 - d. Comptroller

- i. Monthly Budget report
 - a. The budget is \$19,468.78
- ii. Co-Sponsorship application (Miss VSU Scholarship Pageant)
 - a. Mrs. Stabler will be speaking today on behalf of allocating money towards the Miss VSU Scholarship pageant

VI. Committee Reports (*please limit to 3 minutes unless approved prior by VP*)

- a. Finance
 - 1. Senator Lawrence presents a presentation on the October 23rd bake sale that will be from 2-4 pm in the student union, asking for \$75 to be allocated from the budget for the event
 - 2. Keep Valdosta beautiful will take place on Saturday October 26th from 8am to 12pm, mandatory for all senators
 - 3. Community service requirement for each semester is 10 hours.
 - a. Senator Howell move to allocate the \$75 towards bake sale, Senator Lilly seconds, motion on the table has been approved
- b. Health Services
 - 1. Senator Fagbohun is going over things that cannot be planned yet due to schedule with the staff in change of the drugs and alcohol event
 - 2. Spoke with Senator Warren about smoking policy survey
- c. Judiciary
 - 1. Senator James discusses safety issues from Baytree oak and the student concerns about reckless driving around campus
- d. Parking and Transportation
 - 1. Senator Hill, Cover for Brown resolution
 - 2. Speaking with Anthony Bryant on the cameras possibly in Oak parking lot
- e. PR
 - 1. Senator Warren, View Facebook page and accept friend request.
 - 2. Energizer booth went extremely well, less complaints and concerns from students, November 14th will be the next possible Energizer Booth
- f. Rules and Elections
 - 1. Senator Buford is getting the new constitution and bylaws prepared to be voted on
- g. Student Affairs
 - 1. Senator Thomas, thank you to all that came out and worked and helped with the concealed weapons forum
 - 2. Doing research on academic forgiveness policy

VII. New Business

- a. Proposed Volunteer Policy
 - i. Leandra Vasquez, friend of Marcus Holmes is asking to allocate \$228 towards memory wristbands of the recent death of Marcus Holmes. Senator Lovelace moves to allocate \$228 for wristbands, Senator Prince seconds. Senator Smart moves to end discussion on the table, Senator Thompson seconds. Motion on the table has been approved and we will allocate \$228 towards wristbands
- b. Miss VSU pageant- Alisha Stabler
 - i. Mrs. Stabler present power point presentation and informs senate on the Miss VSU scholarship pageant and asking for the allocated amount towards the pageant for \$225. Senator Fagbohun moves to allocate \$225 towards Miss VSU Pageant, Senator Burdette seconds. Further discussion about the pageant and senator Warren moves to allocate \$250 towards Miss VSU pageant, Senator Childs seconds. Motion has been approved on the table. \$250 will be allocated from the budget towards Miss VSU
- c. NEDA Walk- Senator Baldwin
 - i. Senator Baldwin presents power point presentation and videos about NEDA, National Eating Disorder Association.
 - ii. Assign SGA to have a side Sub Committee to help regulate this upcoming event, help advertise, and help with information on event. SGA will be the main sponsor if decided to be involve with event. Senator Howard moves to vote on NEDA Walk subcommittee, Senator Greene seconds, Motion on the table has been approved, SGA will be main sponsor on the NEDA walk and will be involved and have cub committee as well

VIII. Miscellaneous business

- a. Senator Solomkina Speaks about faculty research and scholarship meeting, informs committee about improvement on our university
- b. Senator Smart speaks on Collegiate Men week
- c. Senator Taliferro speaks on VSU debate team, next tournament will be held on October 26th from 8pm to 12am in Nevins hall
- d. Senator Jupiter, PR Videos on agenda, and speaks on diversity on this campus and how it needs to expand
- e. Senator Howell speaks on upcoming BSL information

IX. Inspirational moment

- a. Senator Smith

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XI. Adjournment

- a. Senator warren motions to adjourn the meeting, Senator Lilly seconds, Motion on the table has been passed and the meeting has been adjourned at 9:26pm