Glenville State College Student Government Association Minutes September 29, 2016

- I. President Ratliff called the meeting to order at 12:32 pm.
- II. Roll call was taken by Secretary Carr
- III. Swearing in of new members:
 - a. Eric Parrish
 - b. Logen LeMasters
 - c. A.J. Howard
- IV. Review of last week's minutes:
 - a. Treasurer Woods made the motion to accept the minutes as presented
 - i. Kellie seconded the motion
 - ii. All in favor, motion passed.
- V. Congressional Forum
 - a. Michael Beck discussed issues with the Wi-Fi in Goodwin Hall. He also stated there is no Wi-Fi signal in the fitness center. Vice President Moore stated if students are having issues with signal in their room, they can go to the IT department and receive a router to boost their signal. Joe stated that he has heard that IT is not giving them out. VP Moore will check into the situation.
 - b. Colton Ring asked when the construction on the round-a-bout would begin. Administrative Liaison Spears stated that it should start in the spring of next year.
 - c. Joe Neal discussed several issues including litter and vandalism in the parking lots. He asked that everyone please help to keep our campus clean. It was asked if additional lighting or cameras could be utilized in these areas. Administrative Liaison Spears expressed concern for this situation and feels we should tackle the problem where it begins, with the students. He feels maybe SGA should begin a "Keep our Campus Beautiful" campaign that runs throughout the year.
 - d. Logen LeMasters voiced concern over reserved parking spots on campus not being properly identified. This is leading to students getting tickets from Public Safety.
 - e. Nicole Williams stated some athletes are having issues with their workout schedule keeping them from getting to their classes on time. It was suggested athletes speak with their coaches first and if the situation is not resolved, speak with Marcel.
 - f. Alyssa Boback asked about recycling bins for trash rooms in Goodwin. Administrative Liaison Spears informed the group that a recycling grant had been received and that new recycling bins are on order and will be placed across from the Mollohan Center and Goodwin Hall.
 - g. Colton Ring asked which parking lots are having issues with litter. Discussion was held about cameras and additional lighting. It was stated that yes, cameras would make a difference if students knew they were there but the cost of placing cameras in the lots would be an issue.
 - h. Joe Neal stated that the virtual tour of the college that you can take online has an issue. When you get to the breezeway, you cannot back out. He asked that someone take a look at it and try and resolve the issue.
 - i. AJ Howard talked about issues with the washers and dryers in Goodwin Hall. He feels there aren't enough of them and there are issues with people using ones on different floors. Also, some are broken and that adds to the issue. Advisor Gross stated that a company was on campus fixing the broken ones. Administrative Liaison Spears suggested students see Trey with issues. Joe suggested making students aware of which side is theirs to use.
- VI. Advisor/Administrative Liaison Updates

- a. Administrative Liaison Spears updated the group on Brod's suggestion of using refund money to purchase parking passes. Public Safety and Financial Aid both feel it is a good idea. It can be done but it will take work. He has asked Rick Acord to begin the process.
- b. Advisor Bailey suggested that an easy alternative might be to charge each student automatically for parking passes.
- c. Advisor Gross stated if the students are charged automatically for parking passes but they do not need one they can just petition to have the charge removed from their account.

VII. Presidents Report:

a. President Ratliff updated everyone on the Homecoming meeting and at this point we are just trying to keep everyone on track.

VIII. Executive Updates

- a. Parliamentarian Woods asked that everyone keep a check on the litter in our meeting room. There have been minutes left from previous meetings. He asked that it not be left a mess.
- b. Secretary Carr informed the group about SGA Day. It will be held on Thursday November 3rd. We will need some help that day. Information will be sent to the schools in the coming week.

IX. Public Comment:

a. None

X. Committee Reports:

- a. Treasurer Woods stated the Coronation Committee went to pick out flowers but they could not get a quote yet. They were asked to come back closer to Homecoming.
- b. Vice President Moore stated the committee discussed the location and supplies needed. They will be meeting again next week.

XI. Old Business

- a. Haunted house: It was asked to just keep this event in mind.
 - Joe asked if we are using both wings of Pickens Hall. President Ratliff stated we are working on it. The Executive Board will get with the facilities manager and see what areas we can use.
 - ii. Kellie asked about a theme. The board will work on that and have it at the next meeting.
 - iii. A discussion was held about a clown theme. Several thought that was not a good idea considering the recent media coverage on people in clown suits.
 - iv. Logen stated that some organizations did not take their rooms down completely last year. She asked if the orgs will be able to use the same rooms to cut down on their decorating time. President Reed stated yes, they will.
 - v. Colton stated the Honors group had suggested the theme of Zombies.
 - vi. Administrative Liaison Walters reminded everyone that organizations can go into Pickens during Homecoming week and decorate their rooms.
 - vii. Treasurer Woods stated this is in the very early planning stages and if anyone has any ideas, please pass them along to us.

XII. New Business:

- a. Presentation of New Organization Vocal Velocity
 - i. Chelsea, Jared and Justin gave a short presentation of their group, Vocal Velocity. This will be a show choir group where students must audition to be a member. They will have performances throughout the year.

XIII. Advisor/Administrative Liaison Comment:

a. None

XIV. Congressional Forum:

Logen talked about swipe cards that could be used all over campus as well as off campus.
Administrative Liaison Spears informed the group this is something his office has been actively

working on and there are proposals from outside companies already coming in. He stated President Barr is in favor of the idea and is committed to getting through all the steps necessary to implement this in a timely manner. Advisor Black stated he thought this was a great idea. It was asked if the card would be an ID/room key/credit card type. It was stated that yes, it would be.

- b. Kellie asked why graduation was being held early this December. Administrative Liaison Spears stated that it needed to be moved up a week early due to scheduling conflicts. She then asked if the tassels will be blue and white instead of black. This will be looked into.
- c. Brod stated he wanted to make sure the parking passes would be valid for the entire school year, and not just for one semester. Administrative Liaison Spears stated yes, it would be valid the entire school year.
- d. Joe stated the senate has not seen a treasurer's report so far. He felt everyone would like to see one. Treasurer Woods stated there have been no expenditures but as soon as there are, he will provide a report. He then informed the group of the current balance which is \$12,000.00.

XV. Adjournment:

- a. With nothing further to discuss Michael Beck made a motion to adjourn the meeting
 - i. Logen LeMasters seconded the motion.
 - ii. All in favor, motion passed.
 - iii. Meeting adjourned at 1:16 pm.