

Glenville State College
Student Government Association

Minutes

October 27, 2016

- I. President Ratliff called the meeting to order at 12:33pm
- II. Roll call was taken by Secretary Carr
- III. Swearing in of new members:
 - a. None
- IV. Review of last week's minutes:
 - a. A. J. made a motion to accept the minutes as presented
 - i. Joe second the motion
 - ii. All in favor, the motion passed.
- V. Congressional Forum:
 - a. Joe asked Administrative Liaison Walters if she was planning a Student Leadership Conference. She stated if any individual organization needed the conference they could contact her and they would work something out. He then talked about campus beautification and having the manpower and money available to help. It has been suggested to work with maintenance and facilities and possibly have someone from that area to serve on a campus beautification committee.
 - b. Bonita asked what happened to the benches that were located at the fountain in front of Clark Hall. She also asked if something could be done about the cigarette butts that are littering the area.
- VI. Advisor Updates/Administrative Liaison Updates:
 - a. Advisor Bailey commended the dance and parade committees as well as all other committees for their work during Homecoming.
 - b. Advisor Gross stated she attended the dance, chili cook-off and the parade. She thought everything was great and very well planned.
 - c. Administrative Liaison Walters told everyone great job on Homecoming. She also stated she will be planning the spring semester soon and if anyone has any ideas for activities, please bring them to her.
- VII. Presidents Report:
 - a. President Ratliff had nothing to report at this time.
- VIII. Executive Reports:
 - a. Vice President Moore thanked everyone that served on his committee for Homecoming.
 - b. Treasurer Woods on behalf of his brother, Parliamentarian Woods, thanked everyone for their help on the dance. Treasurer Woods then went over the treasures report. He also talked about a proposed RHA program for Goodwin Hall and Pioneer Village. This would allow problems to be taken care of in a timely manner.

- c. Secretary Carr thanked her committee for the help on the parade. She then brought up the idea of a day care possibly being located on campus. She asked if anyone would have an interest in such a service to please let her know.
 - d. Public Relations Officer Clutter thanked everyone for their help during Homecoming and also thanked Administrative Liaisons Walters and Spears for their help and assistance.
- IX. Public Comment:
- a. None – no public present
- X. Committee Reports:
- a. Secretary Carr reported on the Retention Committee meeting she attended. Using social media to communicate with students and departments displaying career pathway information were the main topics of the meeting.
- XI. Old Business:
- a. Haunted House:
 - i. Public Relations Officer Clutter updated the group on the haunted house. She needs help with some areas during the weekend. She also asked the advisors to attend if possible.
 - b. SGA Day:
 - i. Secretary Carr updated the group on the progress. To date we have 60 students signed up. She went over the schedule and asked for help with tours for the morning.
- XII. New Business:
- a. Approval of new organization – GSC Self-Defense Club
 - i. Nicole made a motion to approve the GSC Self-defense club
 - ii. Kellie second the motion
 - iii. Discussion: Joe stated that in the past students have made the presentation and in the future we should make sure we have students from the actual club to present to the group.
 - iv. All was in favor of the motion, motion passed.
 - b. Org. Dinner – Vice President Moore discussed the Organization Dinner. He needs people to serve on his committee. If you are interested please let him know. The proposed dates are December 6th or 7th.
 - c. Thanksgiving Dinner – Secretary Carr discussed the Campus Community Service project that the Executive Board has decided to do. On Wednesday November 23rd there will be a dinner on campus for all the students that are unable to go home for the holiday. We will be working with the Wesley Foundation and other organizations on campus and in the community. The details are still being worked out and we will update SGA as more information is available.
- XIII. Advisor Comment/Administrative Liaison Comment:
- a. Administrative Liaison Spears stated he appreciates the people who come and talk to him. It helps him to get to know the students. He encouraged everyone to stop by his office either in student life or the administration building.
- XIV. Congressional Forum:
- a. Kellie asked about the progress on the tassel situation. Vice President Moore stated he would follow up with Dr. Vavrek and report back to the group.

- b. Brod asked Public Relations Officer Clutter to retweet his information on the boxing match
- c. Logen LeMasters brought up a problem with schedules and course rotations not being followed by some departments. A lengthy discussion was held on the issue. Many students are having problems and if students have an issue please let SGA know specific examples so it may be reported to the proper committees and administration. Vice President Moore suggested he meet with Administrative Liaison Spears and Dr. Vavrek to discuss these issues.
- d. Logen LeMasters stated she feels there needs to be a statistics class specific to the Behavioral Science degree. She also feels there needs to be more Psychology related classes.
- e. Administrative Liaison Walters agreed with Logen and stated the class needs to be specific to dealing with SPSS Software.
- f. Advisor Gross agreed and stated those classes are very important to a Psychology major.
- g. Administrative Liaison Spears suggested inviting Dr. Vavrek to one of our meetings to hear from the students directly. He will also set up a meeting with Dr. Vavrek, Dr. Bone and Vice President Moore to discuss the issues related to the scheduling and course rotations.
- h. Joe informed the group of the open house on Saturday, November 12th. There will be a Department fair along with an org fair and if your organization would like to participate, please call Brittany in admissions.
- i. Administrative Liaison Spears asked if the group plans to move forward with the Campus Beautification Committee. Several members stated yes, and Vice President Moore stated he will take on this task.

XV. Adjourn:

- a. Colton made a motion to adjourn the meeting
 - i. Brod second the motion
 - ii. All in favor, the motion passed.
 - iii. Meeting adjourned at 1:19 pm.