

GLENVILLE STATE UNIVERSITY
STUDENT GOVERNMENT ASSOCIATION
SPECIAL/EMERGENCY MEETING MINUTES

October 8, 2024

- I. Vice President Larissa Howe called the meeting to order at 12:34 p.m.
- II. Public Comment:
 - a. None.
- III. Attendance:
 - a. None.
- IV. Announcements:
 - a. None.
- V. Resignations:
 - a. None.
- VI. Executive Appointments:
 - a. None.
- VII. President's Report:
 - a. None.
- VIII. Executive Reports:
 - a. None.
- IX. Committee Reports:
 - a. None.
- X. Assembly Reports:
 - a. None.
- XI. Presidential Appointments:
 - a. None.

XII. Assembly Appointments:

- a. None.

XIII. Old Business:

- a. AB-02-2024: Homecoming Funding Bill.

- i. Pro-Temp Gauldin introduced the bill to pass the budget for homecoming. The Student Government Association is providing funding for food, decorations, and any emergency funds that may be needed. If any funds are not being used, they will be introduced back into the budget. The bill also shows the amount Student Life and Residence Life provided to enhance our homecoming budget.

- 1. For food there will be pizza, chips, sweet tea, and ice water. Plus, the decorations and the emergency funding (All together = \$734.60). Student Life is funding Casino Night (\$1,599.00). Residence Life will be providing donations and Casino Night prizes (\$564.58). The total amount for the Homecoming budget is \$2,898.18.

- a. The vote was motioned by Pro-Temp Gauldin; seconded by Majority Leader Hypes. The motion passed.

XIV. New Business:

- a. None.

XV. Advisor and Administrative Liaison Updates/ Comments:

- a. Liaison Ferguson: None.
- b. Representative Advisor Woods: None.

XVI. Future Meetings/ Event Dates:

- a. Our next official meeting is on October 10, 2024, at 12:30 p.m.

XVII. Adjournment:

- a. Discussion: None.
- b. Motioned: Senator Menjor
- c. Seconded: Representative Taylor
- d. Vote: Passed, meeting adjourned at 12: 37 p.m.

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October 3, 2024

- I. Vice President Larissa Howe called the meeting to order at 12:32 p.m.
- II. Public Comment:
 - a. None.
- III. Attendance:
 - a. Parliamentarian McCartney took attendance.
- IV. Announcements:
 - a. None
- V. Resignations:
 - a. None.
- VI. Executive Appointments:
 - a. None
- VII. President's Report:
 - a. President Wade informed the assembly:
 - i. Homecoming is coming up next week and it is going to be all hands-on deck kind of ordeal. Everything is already planned, and they are going to be introducing the bill for the Homecoming budget later.
 - ii. He talked to Public Safety about a lot of the parking concerns, and a lot of things should have been cleared up by now. Also, if you know people who are parking illegally or where they are not supposed to, give Public Safety a call and they will have it all handled.
- VIII. Executive Reports:
 - a. Vice President: Informed the assembly she finalized her list of things for Homecoming and sent it to Liaison Ferguson. She is meeting right after this with Alex Guerra, the head of Aramark, to have their monthly meeting.
 - b. Treasurer: Informed the assembly that on the back of the meeting's minutes is the bill for the Homecoming budget. It is not really itemized just a general

budget. The budget is set at \$3,000 but any cent that is not used will be put back into the SGA budget. Reminder that all budget requests need to be turned in to him, President Wade or Vice President Howe.

- c. Secretary: Informed the assembly that the deadline for the Trillium is going to be set for November 22, 2024. If there is not a good number of submissions, then the deadline will most likely be extended. So, if you know anyone that wants to submit, please let them know.
- d. Parliamentarian: None.
- e. Public Relations: Informed the assembly he received the hype video for Homecoming so sometime this week he will send the video to everyone in SGA.
- f. Chief of Org. Development: None.

IX. Committee Reports:

- a. Events Committee: Representative Taylor informed the assembly that the Events Committee had a meeting last Friday to decide on the final details of the food and decorations that will be served at Homecoming. They estimated the cost and came to an agreement on what would be served. To obtain an estimate of the cost of the meal, they will meet with Alex. Also, if anyone has decoration ideas, please let him know.

X. Assembly Reports:

- a. Speaker of House/ Social Science Rep Floyd: None. (Majority Leader Hypes gave Speaker Floyd's report).
- b. President Pro-Temp/ Math and Science Rep Gauldin: Informed the assembly that Res Life is throwing a door decoration contest in Goodwin Hall. There will be prizes for first, second and third place. Also, he told the assembly since it is a new month that they need to try to have a meeting with their head advisors. He expressed that everyone was doing a good job but that more people need to get their peers to sign Senator Menjor's petition.
- c. Criminal Justice Representative Kohlphenson: None.
- d. Education Representative Crites: None.
- e. Business Representative Hill: Informed the assembly about the student lounge in the Business department: currently there is a waiting on walls being put up and possibly getting some smart tv's put in.
 - i. Also, FBLA is finalizing the cornhole tournament.

- f. Land Resources Representative Armes: Reminder that the Environmental Science club is having Trash Clean-up Day, October 26, 2024, at 11 a.m. Anyone can join, it is open to every club, person, and anyone who needs community service hours.
- g. Junior Representative Taylor: Informed the assembly that he did not get to meet with Speaker Floyd or the Facilities committee last week. He is going to try to get ahold of Speaker Floyd and see if/when they can meet later in the week to discuss the survey.
- h. Fine Art Representative Jones: None.
- i. Pioneer Village Representative McDaniels: Informed the assembly she met with RHD Abby Salisbury last week and discussed things regarding PV. All the ACs in the houses should be fixed, except for 3 and 10, which are being worked on. All the floors are furnished in every house, they are working on new furniture and getting new appliances. Lastly, they are trying to make an arcade-themed kind of lounge, but they are waiting for people to go in and work on the ceiling tiles.
- j. Goodwin Hall Representative Tosseng: Informed the assembly that her Advisor head got back to her, and she is meeting her them today.
- k. Sophomore Representative Kanz: None.
- l. Senior Representative Gibson: None.
- m. Pickens Representative Beverage: Informed the assembly that she has a meeting with RHA Eli Anderson-Lake after the meeting to discuss the issues in Pickens.
- n. International Representative Gyarteng: Informed the assembly that the last time the international students met, they expressed dislike about the food in the cafeteria. He met with Alex Guerra to discuss having international meals. Alex told him that he should bring a list of meals they want in the cafeteria to him. He is going to him personally to talk about the foods they want. Also, he met with Dr. Wenwen Du about being an Advisor and he agreed with the suggestion.
- o. Majority Leader Hypes: Informed the assembly there is a meeting with dining services today and issues will be brought forward. The Student Org Presidents met this past week and discussed a lot of different collaboration methods and general concerns, one of the things that came up was that every Org that was there is interested in collaborating or working with SGA. They want communications from SGA more frequently. Also, Criminal Justice have a tour of about 25 twenty-five students coming in November. Lastly, Dr. Bryson is hosting a movie, *Reviving Ophelia*, on October 8, 2024, at 6 p.m., for Domestic Violence Awareness Month. There will also be a round of questions so people can be more informed.
 - i. Gave Speaker Floyd's report: Expressed thanks to everyone that sent her a flyer, but she is still missing flyers from a few. Please get the flyer to her as soon as possible so that they can be put around the school and on social

media. She is also still putting together issues on the survey SGA is going to send out to students, which should be done by the beginning of next week. Lastly, it was brought to her attention that students have been having problems with financial aid about people being charged for things incorrectly, not getting any responses or help, not receiving refund checks and financial aid is still not being processed. She plans to discuss a further course of action in her next Executive meeting.

- p. Senator Foster: Informed the assembly that GSU's Counseling Center is having the third annual Stop the Stigma Walk starting in Clark Hall Lawn at 6:30 p.m., on Monday, October 7, 2024.
- q. Senator Shockey: None.
- r. Senator Waggoner: Informed the assembly that the band had to travel and perform in front of over 25 high schools. For the band to recruit members, they have to go perform and see if people are interested because they do not get as much funding as athletics. Secondly, there is a handful of people that are coming for the Alumni band. Expressed it is important to go and talk to the Alumni members.
- s. Senator Tanner: Informed the assembly that she and a few others are going to be working a Domestic Violence Awareness Month event that will last about a week and is voluntary. It will be an event in collaboration with Student Life and the sorority Delta Xi Rho. The event is titled: " What I Was Wearing When." It is to solidify how serious domestic violence is.
- t. Senator Menjor: Informed the assembly that the petition is going well and there are over 70 signatures. If anyone has any petition sheets please give, email, or send them to him through Teams.
- u. Off-campus Representative Hall: None.

XI. Presidential Appointments:

- a. SAAC appointed Anthony Garrett as SAAC Representative. The vote was passed yesterday in a meeting that SAAC held.

XII. Assembly Appointments:

- a. The assembly appointed Dr. Donald Hardin as Senate Advisor.
 - i. Majority Leader Hypes motioned; Senator Tanner seconded. Motion passed.

XIII. Old Business:

- a. None.

XIV. New Business:

- a. AB-02-2024: Homecoming Funding Bill.
 - i. It was just a general bill of \$3,000. Anything that wasn't used would be returned to the SGA budget.
 - 1. Majority Leader Hypes motioned to get the bill sent back to the Finance Committee; Pro-Temp Gauldin seconded. The motion passed; the bill will be sent back to the Finance Committee.

XV. Advisor and Administrative Liaison Updates/Comments:

- a. Administrative Liaison Ferguson:
 - i. Informed the assembly:
 - 1. Next week are midterms (Week 8), which means we are officially one fourth of our way through the school year. Only one of our SGA goals have been established and that is the flyers being done. Also, there are events next week in SGA's name, so please show up and participate. The Voters Registration event, through Student Life, DESMOS, and SGA, on October 8, 2024, from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m.
 - 2. Brought up that maybe someone in the Executive cabinet can be in charge of setting up a weekly Microsoft Teams meeting, so that we can have people join virtually as well.
 - 3. Next week is going to be very busy but Friday there are going to be two food trucks/ food vendors that are going to be downtown. Anything from corn dogs, nachos, calzones, to hotdogs; anything you can think of. The setup: there is going to be free popcorn and slushies, a live band and tons of games all on Main Street.
 - 4. Everyone needs to work on planning mroe, things take time especially purchases where there has to be requisitions made through the state. Everything has to go through the Auditor's Office, and it is all part of the Public Record.

b. Representative Advisor Woods:

- i. None.

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XVII. Adjournment:

- a. Discussion: None.
- b. Motioned: Representative Taylor

- c. Seconded: Representative Hill
- d. Vote: Passed, meeting adjourned at 1:04 p.m.