

GLENVILLE STATE UNIVERSITY  
STUDENT GOVERNMENT ASSOCIATION

September 5, 2024

- I. Vice President Larissa Howe called the meeting to order at 12:33 p.m.
- II. Public Comment:
  - a. None
- III. Attendance:
  - a. Vice President Howe took attendance.
- IV. Announcements:
  - a. None.
- V. President Report:
  - a. President Wade informed everyone that the back of the minutes has the list of committees everyone is on. If anyone has a question about what committee they are on, please ask him.
    - a. He informed everyone that when he and the Leadership team meet with the Board of Governors, they will be letting the Board know what the main goals and objectives are for this semester of SGA.
    - b. He informed the assembly that Public Relations would like people to report information from their orgs to him, along with any other activities that need to be posted on social media.
    - c. He informed everyone that the Treasurer would like to meet with anyone who has bills so finances can be discussed along with logistics.
- VI. Executive Reports:
  - a. Vice President: Let the assembly know that they and a few others in SGA met with Aramark. Informed everyone that Majority Leader Hypes and Speaker Graylin will go into more depth about that visit.
  - b. Treasurer: None.
  - c. Secretary: None.
  - d. Parliamentarian: None.
  - e. Public Relations: None.

VII. Committee Reports:

- a. None.

VIII. Assembly Reports:

- a. President Pro-Temp/Math and Science Rep Gauldin: Informed everyone that the parking lot behind Pickens is not taken care of regularly and is a hazard for students with lower cars. He does not know what can be done about this, but if anyone has ideas, please come to him after the meeting.
  - a. He proceeded saying that once he gets in touch with the SAAC reps, he will inform them that they need to have one female and one male representative.
  - b. Also brought up trying to get new things on meal plan.
- b. Speaker of House/Social Science Representative Floyd: Informed the assembly that the Leadership team will be meeting with Alex Guerra every month. Please tell anyone on the Leadership team if anything is going on in the cafeteria. She explained that they touched on concerns about the cafeteria's closing time.
  - a. Alex is going to talk to his team and see if the cafe will be able to stay open until 8:30. As for B+F and Freshens, they are supposed to run until 9:00pm on weekdays.
  - b. Asked everyone, if they see a staff member mistreating a student or if you are the one being mistreated, to inform Alex or someone trustworthy that can take care of it.
  - c. Also told the assembly that Alex said to reach out directly to him if anything happens so he can be on top of things.
  - d. Expressed the Representatives have done a good job preparing their reports.
- c. Fine Arts Representative Jones: Said that the doors to the FAB have not been unlocked after hours and that students could not get in to work on their projects. Informed the assembly that he met with Head of Fine Arts, Dr. Jason Barr, and that the locks are being changed so that the building can stay open after hours.
  - a. Also informed that there are seniors in the department that are having art shows, and one is coming up on Sunday, September 15.
- d. Sophomore Representative Kanz: Brought up that there should be a 24/7 study space for students to do work. Even having a classroom and whiteboard accessible would be helpful.
  - a. Also, the school needs to place more recycling bins in more accessible places so Glenville can have a cleaner campus.

lord of Orgs or food traffic. Looking for ways to get everyone involved.

- j. Senator Menjor: Informed the assembly that the first senators meeting was held. They came up with a hierarchy of topics to address this semester: Upperclassmen Parking, Safety on Campus, more phone booths, waste bins and doggy bags.

IX. Presidential Appointments:

- a. President Wade appointed Marlee Hall as the Off-Campus Representative.
  - i. Senator Hypes motioned; Representative Gibson seconded. The motion passed.
- b. President Wade appointed Riley Tosseng as the Goodwin Hall Representative.
  - i. Senator Menjor motioned; Pro-Temp Gauldin seconded. The motion passed.
- c. President Wade appointed Jacob Bonds as the Chief of Org Development.
  - i. Representative Taylor motioned; Representative Jones seconded. The motion passed.
- d. President Wade appointed Emilee Teter as a Justice.
  - i. Senator Menjor motioned; Pro-Temp Gauldin seconded. The motion was passed.
- e. President Wade appointed Robert Pomeroy as the Chief of Staff.
  - i. The motion did not pass and must be reassessed.

X. Resignations: None.

XI. Old Business:

- a. None

XII. New Business:

- a. None.

XIII. Advisor and Administrative Liaison Updates/Comments:

- a. Administrative Liaison Ferguson:
  - i. The Representatives of SGA appointed Robert Woods as Representative Advisor.

- e. Junior Representative Taylor: Expressed that the buildings and facilities on campus are not open on federal holidays and even though federal workers do not have to be here, there should still be some way to get in to do work. Brought up that there could be a way for a student worker to watch the room/building.
  - a. Also, there are only three washers and three dryers in Pickens Hall for six floors of students. There needs to be more so people can wash their clothes, wondered if there was a way to allocate funds for this issue.
  - b. Informed there is also unavailable parking for on-campus parking. The freshmen are staying on campus and permits are not being enforced by Public Safety. Wondered if there was a way to talk to Public Safety and make more access for upperclassmen.
- f. Senior Representative Gibson: Informed everyone that people and gods are peeing on the floor in Goodwin Hall. The RA's have to clean it up and maintenance is not cleaning it up. It needs to be fixed.
  - a. Also, the AC is currently out in multiple buildings. Some buildings are registering the temperature outside wrong or not at all.
  - b. The trash rooms in Goodwin are overflowing on the weekends and maintenance is refusing to take out boxes if they are not broken down. The RA's usually have to do it. Thought about possible course of action, meeting with Tom Ratliff or Casey Samoa to talk about having one maintenance person on call during the weekends.
- g. Pickens Hall Representative Beverage: Brought up issues with the parking lot at the back of Pickens Hall, expressing there are potholes that could be filled with gravel.
  - a. Also, maintenance needs to inform people when they are going to enter their rooms, leave a note or something.
- h. International Representative Gyarteng: Informed everyone that the internationals feel left out and are getting depressed because of it. They want to leave because they feel as if they are not part of the community. Brought up that there was nothing for them to do in Glenville on the weekends and they decided to form an international community. It will be to decrease boredom, stress and depression. They will hold cookouts and parties to represent the cultures of all the international students.
- i. Majority Leader Hypes: Informed the assembly about the meeting with Alex and that they get to meet once a month.
  - a. Said that she did bring up the faculty costs for food which is a bigger issue for Alex to take care of because it takes a little longer.
  - b. Also, there were no allergy warnings for the cafe last year. The current solution right now is having basic foods. She is still pushing for just the allergy warnings. There needs to be a safe space for food to be prepared.
  - c. Reported on the Org fairs and that the first with the freshmen class has a lot of visits but the one yesterday did not do good. There was not a

1. Pro-Temp Gauldin motioned; Representative Jones seconded. The motion passed.
- ii. Informed that the people peeing situation needs to be figured out and cannot be done in public.
- iii. Informed that all doors need to be locked in Goodwin Hall because of the Clery Act. The doors should not be unlocked and if they are, please let him know. He is going to address that today. The next phase of it will be student rooms but that will not come around until September.
- iv. Expressed that all the Representatives and assembly have done a good job reporting and sharing. It is now time for action, getting bills and proclamations together.
- v. Shared that the Manager of Aramark, Assistant Director and both chefs in Food Service want to attend the next meeting when the Aramark meeting is held. Also, that they are going to share a copy of the Aramark Contract with the university.
- vi. He talked about the power of Student Government and how Speaker Floyd's involvement in SGA aids a student faster in their situation that is going on.

XIV. Future Meetings/ Event Dates:

- a. Our next official meeting is on September 12, 2024, at 12:30.

XV. Adjournment:

- a. Discussion: None.
- b. Motioned: Representative Taylor
- c. Seconded: Senator Hypes
- d. Vote: Passed, meeting adjourned at 1:36 p.m.