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Wednesday, January 12, 2022 2:26 AM

ATU Student Government Association Senate Meeting Agenda

Call to Order - President Shannon

Roll Call - Secretary Zhang

Senator	Present/Absent/ Excused
Senator Bryant	e tabling
Senator Benton	р
Senator Barham	р
Senator Cawyer	р
Senator Fight	p
Senator Gonzalez	p
Senator Faith	p
Senator Macie	р
Senator Mendez	p
Senator Rainey	р
Senator Riff	p
Senator Cayden	e tabling
Senator Claire	p
Senator Stone	р
Senator Stoll	р
Senator Vereecke	р
Senator Wheeler	p
Senator White	p

Approval of Minutes - President Shannon **Officer Reports**

- Secretary of Diversity and Inclusion— Secretary Vasquez
 - o Report:
 - Events:
 - Tomorrow, DDI is hosting Trap Karaoke in Doc Bryan @

6PM

- Tomorrow is also the Lunar New Year Event in the Union
 @ 6PM
- This Friday is the deadline to sign up to attend the trip to the Civil Rights Museum
 - Maybe full
- Working on posting facts and trivia related to Black History Month and Black History to the SGA Instagram Story with the help of Secretary Hitt!
 - Also looking ahead to Womens History Month next month!
- Tomorrow
- Secretary of Community Outreach— Secretary Brown
 - Report:
 - I have a decent list of places in Russellville and surrounding areas for the student discount program. If you have any suggestions please let me know
 - PLC Bucket Hat giveaway is tomorrow during the basketball games for wonder week. There may be a chance I do not have enough PLC volunteers, I can send the signup in the groupme for you guys to volunteer. This can count towards your
- Secretary of Public Relations— Secretary Hitt
 - Report:
 - Please be posting the flyers for the elections
 - Scheduling SGA photos for March
 - Sometimes I miss post on Instagram about events going on campus so if you see any events just send them to the SGA dm and ill repost them
- Secretary of Internal Affairs— Secretary Zhang
 - Report:
 - Senator of the Month of January
 - Please go sign up on link shared in GroupMe for next week tabling
 - Share and tell your friends to apply for senate asap before Friday midnight
- Secretary of Student Development— Secretary Hiland
 - O Report:
 - Senate Retreat March 9
 - Pep Rally tonight-conflict of interest so no pep rally this evening
 - Hoodies for Saturday-not going to be in by Saturday, maybe

bucket hats?

- Send ideas
- Mandatory amount of tabling hours so please table
- Home Run Derby Friday
- Secretary of Finance and Administration— Secretary Reynolds
 - Report:
 - Updated balance: \$22,731.45 + rollover balance
- Vice President Vice President Wright
 - Report:
 - Senator of Colleges:
 - Dean Interview questions are on OneNote, if you like a printed copy let me know.
 - Let me know when you get your responses. My email is kwright20@atu.edu
 - If your committee is wanting to schedule an event, please meet with me AT LEAST a month in advance.
- Committee reports:
 - Jerry Committee: Senator Fight
 - Puppy Love put on by SAB featuring Jerry the Bulldog
 - 6:30pm in the Union
 - Spirit Committee: Senator Open
 - Basketball Games against Oklahoma Baptist Feb 10 (Thu)
 - Women's starting at 5:30pm
 - Men's starting at 7:30pm
 - Basketball game against Southern Nazarene Feb 12 (Sat)
 - Women's starting at 1pm
 - Men's starting at 3pm
 - Traffic and Safety Committee: Senator Claire
 - No report
 - Recycling Committee: Senator Riff
 - No report
 - Food Committee: Senator Sosebee
 - No report
- President President Shannon
 - Report:
 - ATHLETICS FEE
 - Jeffrey Cass reached out from Fee Subcommittee
 Announcement: Passed an increase to the Athletics Fee of \$0.60 per student per hour in order to accommodate the increased

costs of travel, hotel, food, apparel, and officiating costs (see Athletics Fee Proposal Attachment)

- Had been downsized during the budget restructuring
- Rentals for away games was becoming a necessity
- Travel costs were increasing
- Still has to be approved by the full budget committee this month
- It was \$20.60/hour->\$21.20/hour
 - If you're in 15 hours, that is \$318 (it added \$9 from \$309)
- They bring in \$3.3 million in Athletics fees
 - This would add \$100,000 more making it \$3.4 million
- Questions?
 - What all does the athletics fee go towards?
 - What are our peer university athletic fees like?
 - They're listed on the states website
 - If there was a 25% reduction during restructure, why wasn't there a reduction in student's fees?
- Events-get with me by this Friday otherwise funds might be allocated elsewhere
- Meetings will be more on time at 12:05 for following weeks

Advisor Reports

- Dean of Student Engagement— Kevin Solomon;
 - Report:
 - No report
- Associate Dean for Student Union & Campus Life Chelsea Lairamore
 - Report:
 - Voice concerns!
- · Vice President for Student Affairs—Dr. Keegan Nichols
 - O Report:

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Unfinished Business:

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- <Item 2>
- <etc.>

New Business:

- <Item 1> Bill 044
- <Item 2>
- <etc.>

Constituent Concerns:

- · Livestream for SGA meeting TBD
- · Try to guide more students for constituent concerns
- Crowd-funding (get more student organizations involve) to do more projects
- · Reach out to other organizations for helps
 - Idea: reports for different organizations, talk to people

Announcements:

- · Covid fund is eligible to apply
- · Go listen to the senator Stone speech

Announcements:

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Motion to Adjourn - President Shannon