

BAKERSFIELD COLLEGE STUDENT GOVERNMENT ASSOCIATION

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DEPARTMENT OF ACTIVITIES

Thursday, October 27, 2016

4:00 p.m.

Collins Conference Center

1. CALL MEETING TO ORDER

The meeting was called to order at 4:05 p.m.

2. ROLL CALL*

A majority quorum must be established to hold a bonafide meeting

The following members were present: Director Garcia, Manager Juarez, Senator Salcido, Senator Bernal, Senator Van Horne, and Senator Cortez.

The following members were absent: None

The following members were excused: Senator Wren

6/7 members are present, quorum has been established, and a bonafide meeting can be held.

3. AMENDMENTS TO THE AGENDA

The Senate will consider any amendments to the agenda.

Senator Salcido moved to remove item (1b) from the consent agenda. Second by Sen Van Horne. The motion passes.

Senator Salcido moved to adopt the agenda as amended. Second by Senator Van Horne. The agenda has been adopted as amended.

4. CORRECTIONS TO THE MINUTES

The Senate will discuss and correct minutes from previous meetings.

- a. The Senate will consider the approval of unapproved minutes from the meeting held on 10/13/16.

Senator Salcido moved to strike the word, "Spears," and amend it to, "spheres," on item (6c) under Senator Salcido. Second by Senator Van Horne.

Senator Salcido moved to adopt the minutes as amended. Second by Senator Van Horne. The minutes have been approved.

5. PUBLIC COMMENT*

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None.

6. INDIVIDUAL REPORTS

The Chair shall recognize any officer of the Association, including the BCSGA Advisor, to offer a report on official activities since the previous meeting and make any summary announcements deemed necessary for no longer than five minutes.

- a. Director, *Erik Gregario-Garcia*

There is pizza here. It is to thank all of you for your help and support in all of the activities that we have done so far. Manager Juarez and I thought it would be a good idea to celebrate the completion of our events.

- b. Manager, *Juarez*

I contacted the cheer squad. Fortunately, they are here today. I want to thank them for collaborating with us. I hope we can collaborate more in the future. Thank you for being here.

- c. Senator, *Salcido*

I contacted Kern County Deaf Events on social media and I informed them that we have 3 more movie nights. I asked that they help advertise the event. This is in response to the low turnout that we had for, "The Martian," showing. There were maybe only 20 attendants. I thought this would be a good idea to get attendance up.

- d. Senator, *Bernal*

No report

Notes:

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- e. Senator, *Van Horne*
No report.
- f. Senator, *Cortez*
The self-defense seminar has been postponed due to issues. We are still doing an event on Wednesday, November 9th. We will have three self-defense gyms. We have ordered tie-dye and t-shirts for that day as well. I request that we try to contact clubs to participate in the event with a table. An OSL table and a BCSGA table will also be out there. It will be on Wednesday, November 9th from 11:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.
- g. Senator, *Wren*
None.
- h. BCSGA Advisor, *Mrs. Wright*
No report.

1. CONSENT AGENDA

All items listed under the Consent Calendar are considered to be non-controversial by the Senate and will be enacted by one motion without discussion unless a member of the Senate calls an item(s) for a separate vote. Items called into question from the Senate will be considered after the conclusion of new business.

- a. Funding for Renegades in Plastic Bubbles not to exceed \$900 from TA-100 Student Activities.

In there being no objections, the Funding for Renegades in Plastic Bubbles not to exceed \$900 from TA-100 Student Activities has been approved.

2. UNFINISHED BUSINESS

Items listed have already been discussed once and thus are considered for approval by the Senate

- a. **Action Item:** Allocation of \$1,000.00 to the BC Cheer Team Program for the Campus Collaborative Action Grant.

Senator Salcido moved to open discussion on item (2a), Action Item: Allocation of \$1,000.00 to the BC Cheer Team Program for the Campus Collaborative Action Grant. Second by Senator Cortez.

Senator Salcido moved to previous question. Second by Senator Van Horne. The motion passes.

Roll Call vote:

Manager Juarez: Aye

Senator Salcido: Aye

Senator Bernal: Aye

Senator Van Horne: Aye

Senator Cortez: Aye

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The, “Aye,” have the majority, the motion passes.

- b. **Homecoming Overview**

- i. Find ways to improve student participation in events.

Discussion:

Senator Salcido: The 2 largest events that we have had were the plastic bubbles and the Quidditch game. I believe the competitive aspect is what lured participants. For future Homecoming events, we should consider doing a competitive activity to lure more participants.

Senator Cortez: We should look for different ways to advertise. Not only on campus, but also online.

Manager Juarez: We could also advertise about our events in our classes that we are currently in.

Senator Bernal: We could email Instructors about our events, in hope that they spread the information on to their students.

Advisor Wright: Most of you were assigned to campus wide committees. You should speak up at these committees regarding events that are happening. This will help get the classified staff

on board, and then they can spread the information for you. Make sure you are attending your assigned committee meetings.

- ii. Brainstorm campus and community promotional techniques.
No discussion.

c. Monthly Activities

- i. November – Voter Registration Event with Legislative Affairs.

Discussion:

Director Garcia: This event will be canceled. This event has already been handled, and voter registration is over.

- ii. December – Gingerbread Decorating Contest.

Discussion:

Director Garcia: I have been informed by the library that they want to do a de-stress week during the week of finals. They asked if we wanted to partake, and I said yes. From what she said, they will have adult coloring, yoga sessions, puppies, and other things of that nature. It will all be located in the library. The dates for those events will be e-mailed. That is where our Gingerbread decorating contest comes in. We will be selling gingerbread men. It would take place in the Fireside room. I am thinking we could charge 5 dollars for a picture with Santa, and then they can decorate their own gingerbread man cookie.

Senator Bernal: We should consider contacting the child development center. There may be parents who are interested in taking their kids to this event.

d. Community Movie Nights

- i. Suicide Squad: promotion and volunteers needed.

Discussion:

Senator Salcido: Renegamers is a club in collaboration with Campus Gamers Club from CSUB. They have a huge amount of fundraising opportunities. They have binders, key chains, charms, and other things like that. All of the proceeds do go to charities, but it is a good way to get involvement at events. They regularly sell at the Maya Cinema, like when a new movie comes out, and people come out to specifically buy those items. I contacted the Ed Webb. He is the person who runs the club at CSUB. He said that he would be happy to donate some items for us to sell, as well as help advertise our event. The ASL Club is also willing to donate items as a thank you for getting closed captions at the movie event. I can get in contact with them if you would like, so that way we can have everything ready before our next movie night.

Maria Wright: If it is possible, I suggest changing the date for the movie night in November. It is going to occur the day before Thanksgiving. This might hinder your attendance numbers. Please look into that.

*Senator Salcido moved to postpone the items under, “New Business,” except for item (3c). This was second by Manger Juarez. The motion passes.

- ii. Spring Films: Promotion and boost in participation ideas.
 - 1. Spread the word by making it *into* the classrooms and presenting student events.
No discussion.
- iii. Opening the event for clubs to sell items.
No discussion.

3. NEW BUSINESS

Items listed have not already been discussed once and thus are considered for approval by the Senate.

a. Spring Events

i. Welcome Back Week:

- 1. Invite Cheer Team to perform Tuesday 1/17/17
Postponed.

ii. Monthly Activities

b. Open MIC Nights

Postponed.

c. Action Item: CCA Grant request from Student Housing for \$750.48 for Coffee Conversations Event & Homeless Collaborative Membership.

*Senator Van Horne departed at 4:56 p.m.

Senator Salcido moved to open discussion on, “Action Item: CCA Grant request from Student Housing for \$750.48 for Coffee Conversations Event & Homeless Collaborative Membership.” This was Second by Manager Juarez.

Manager Juarez moved to previous question. This was second by Senator Salcido.

Roll Call Vote:

Manager Juarez: Aye
Senator Salcido: Aye
Senator Bernal: Aye
Senator Cortez: Aye
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The, “Aye,” have the majority. The motion passes.

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None.

5. ADJOURNMENT

In there being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 4:56 p.m.