



I. Call to order

The meeting was called to order at 6:32 PM.

II. Roll Call and Introduction of Guests

III. Approval of the Minutes

a. October 24, 2006

Chris Olson motioned to approve the minutes. Dani Potillo Seconded. Samantha Croce abstained.

IV. Vice President's Report

As part of the SGA we are looking for student leaders to buy a Thanksgiving basket for a family in need. Think about if you would rather bring in a particular item or rather donate a portion of the \$50 and have someone go out and buy all the items. General Assembly is this Sunday, November 5, 8:00 PM, Williamson Hall. Dean Annis will be speaking on the proposed new college. There will be excellent food.

V. President's Report

Christian spoke with James O'Hara, Vice President of Enrollment Management, about the proposed Westminster logo. He would like to form a smaller discovery committee and meet with the designer. He will let you know more as more becomes available. The Middle States Forum is this Thursday, November 3, 11:30 – 12:30 PM, Playhouse. This would be a great opportunity to gain knowledge about the college and university.

VI. New Business

a. Community Standards Board Nominations

Today we confirmed some of the members nominated for the Community Confirm Standards Board. There were a total of nine students nominated and four accepted. The next step is to have the Senate approve these nominees. The Community Standards Board is a group of students that

are selected to be hearing officers concerning someone's disciplinary action and sanctions, depending on degree which ranges from 5 (the least) to 1 (the greatest). There are a total of two or three formal hearings a year from the Westminster campus. They will go through proper training and will be open to be called for hearings in the future. These four people include:

- Shane – Dani Portillo motioned to accept Shane Magargal pending the constitution approval to become a member of the Community Standards Board. Jackson Williams seconded and one person abstained.
- Matthew Rendulic – Sara Noble motioned to accept Matthew Rendulic as a member of the Community Standards Board. Chris Olson seconded.
- Devin Carr – Sandy Wilson motioned to accept Devin Carr as a member of the Community Standards Board. Chris Olson seconded.
- Matthew Walters-Bowens – John Fitzgerald confirmed the nomination of Matthew Walters-Bowens pending the constitution approval to become a member of the Community Standards Board. Jackson Williams seconded.

Will send individual letters stating acceptance.

Chris Olson motioned to table nomination until Matthew Walters-Bowens and Shane Magargal were proven eligible by the constitution. Daniel Garrick seconded. The motioned was declined by a 4 to 12 vote.

VII. For the good of the order

T-shirts – Dani Portillo proposes a jersey style shirt with a squirrel logo. “Senate, in a small room with big tables.” Kelly Cosgrove had offered to draw the design.

Each Senator and Executive Board member filled out a questionnaire from the counseling center about the possibility of a wellness program.

Shane Magargal had some questions about the new college. It was suggested for him to come to the GA meeting this Sunday and ask Dean Annis.

Parking situation – you can get information (license plate numbers exe), there is no process for students to ticket other students. We are asking Senators to help patrol.

VIII. Committee Breakouts

IX. Committee Reports

Activities – picked a date for Make It Happen Day, November 8th. Make It Happen will be everywhere all day long and not just one central location. The idea is to post signs everywhere and get feed back. An email will be sent out with more detailed information. Leading up to the annual drag ball the activities committee wanted to look into the possibility of sponsoring a spirit week. Wanted to improve the practice rooms with the various RSO's adopting a practice room and being responsible for the upkeep and maintenance. They would like to do the Gong Show again and are currently looking for a date.

Facilities – had very in depth discussion of what the University is already aware of. Next week they will have a more thorough report of what the university is actually addressing. Using the primary function of awareness committee they plan to focus on simple things that can create a better standard of living for student and improve their overall experience. For example: clocks, practice rooms, bike access for non-Dayton, and Ithaca residence. Starting to outline what needs to be done.

Awareness – plan for the bulletin board includes – ¼ weekly event. ¾ theme - goals, accomplished. They would like to create a Senate logo. Maybe the Senate squirrel. Plan to utilize the advertisement opportunities on the campus TV's. Plan to reinstate the suggestions box and promote it more to people. Incorporate the Westminster shield. Another idea for the bulletin board is to have quotes from famous people that have said something about Westminster. Facebook advertising.

X. Adjournment

The meeting was adjourned at 7:57 PM. A motion was made by Chris Olson and seconded by Samantha Croce.