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Meeting Minutes for October 13, 2014

I. Meeting is called to order at 7:03 pm

- a. Moment of Silence observed for our Quaker Traditions.
- b. Inspirational Quote
 - a. “Nobody cares if you finish first, Walk with Courage, Run Fearlessly, Finish with Strength”- Susan G. Komen Foundation
 - b. Read by Senator Jones

II. Mission Statement

- a. The ASWC Senate, as the governing body of the Associated Students of Whittier College, is dedicated to the betterment of the college as an institution and as a member of the broader community. The Senate shall assist on-campus clubs and organizations in creating, promoting and implementing dynamic programs and events that involve students and add value to their educational experience. This body will act as an open forum for students to voice their opinions and desires, always keeping the best interests of the ASWC in mind. In all of its actions, the Senate will serve the students first with integrity, dedication, responsibility and humility.
- b. Read by Senator Perez

III. Roll Call- Secretary Ramirez

- a. **Present:** President Esquer, Vice President Duarte, Treasurer Carlson, Director Allman, Director Rashid, Senator Vargas, Senator Santacruz, Senator Reyes, Senator Atoyan, Senator Guzman, Senator Butler, Senator Perez, Senator Kenny, Senator Murillo, Senator Lendvai, Senator Duong, Senator Meuwissen, Senator Smith, Senator Jones, Senator Hovertsen, Senator Boynton, Senator Kimbell
- b. **Absent excused:** Senator Perez, Senator Romero, Senator Santacruz
- c. **Unexcused:**

IV. Minutes Amendment/Approval

- a. Motion to Approve Minutes from September 29th – Senator Butler
 - a. All Minutes will be posted on Org-Sync, under “ASWC Files”

Personnel Issue

- b. Social Justice Coalition Senator Perez
- c. Working on getting the rest of e board

V. President’s Message- President Esquer

- a. Attended the Faculty Meeting it went well, they would like someone from senate to attend faculty meetings
- b. Attending State of the College Address Friday at Noon, senators are welcome to attend

VI. Treasurer’s Report- Treasurer Carlson

ASWC ACCOUNTS	
Executive Budget Balance:	\$ 10,000.00 est.
Reserve Account Balance:	\$ 26,496.07 est.
Total Funds Allocated:	\$ 59,352.60
TOTAL ASWC FUNDS:	
• <i>General Fund:</i>	\$30,496.40 est.
Total Requests Pending:	
• <i>First Readings Pending:</i>	\$450.00
• <i>Second Readings Pending:</i>	\$150.00
RELATED ACCOUNTS	
Program Board Account:	\$31,000.00 est.
Media Council Account:	\$ 33,285.00

VII. Constituent Reports

- a. **Senator Perez**
 - A. E-board has been established
- b. **Senator Boynton (Freshman Class Council President)**
 - A. FCC held first meeting working on getting bean bag covers

- c. **Senator Kenny (Off- Campus Rep)**
 - A. Parking problems continue to arise
- d. **Senator Romero (Off-Campus Rep)**
 - A. Trying to figure out parking situation
- e. **Senator Perez (Off-Campus Rep)**
 - A. Nothing new to report
- f. **Senator Meuwissen (Student Body Rep)**
 - A. Nothing new to report.
- g. **Senator Smith (Student Body Rep)**
 - A. Student was complaining about being forced to sleep in dorm
- h. **Senator Hoversten (Student Body Rep)**
 - A. Trying to get office supplies in the 24-hour lounge.
- i. **Senator Jones (Student Body Rep)**
 - A. Concern on access to upper level campus has been a problem to certain students with disabilities.
- j. **Senator Murillo (Residence Hall rep)**
 - A. Working with CIA to bring on campus workout activities
- k. **Senator Duong (Residence Hall rep)**
 - A. 6 pm Ball Basement Grand Opening
- l. **Senator Lendvai (Residence Hall rep)**
 - A. Wednesday, October 15th → Ball Basement Grand Opening
- m. **Senator Reyes (SAAC rep)**
 - A. Getting ready for homecoming and midnight madness at 9 pm
- n. **Senator Atoyán (SAAC rep)**
 - A. Nothing new to report
- o. **Senator Kimball (Inter-Club Council)**
 - A. Nothing new to report
- p. **Senator Perez (Social Justice Coalition)**
 - A. Working on getting first official meeting set where any services clubs are welcome to begin process to switch over to be governed by SJC.
- q. **Senator Guzman (Inter-Society council co chair)**
 - A. Nothing new to report
- r. **Senator Butler (Inter-Society council co chair)**
 - A. Dub sync on Friday
 - B. Thursday Penns have a fundraiser
 - C. Thursday Franklins have a fundraiser

VIII. Committee Reports

- a. Administrative- Vice President Duarte

- a. Meeting Tuesday at 4:30pm

- b. Budget- Treasurer Carlson
 - a. Any questions about funding request come to my office hours

- c. Campus Relations- Dir. Rashid
 - a. Publication request form on org sync for events funded by senate to advertise more, must be sent a day prior to event if possible.
 - b. Governing body reps inform constituents if they want event published they can use the publication form

- d. Elections- Secretary Ramirez
 - a. Nothing new to report

- e. Program Board – Program Board Chair Allman
 - a. Color run will be taking place at 5pm on Thursday.
 - b. Family weekend is coming up!
 - c. Signing of the rock will be from 10am-4pm on Friday
 - d. 6 groups will be performing in Dub Sync
 - e. Poet Pit t-shirts will be given out after Dub Sync
 - f. Dub Sync winner will be performing at Homecoming Festival
 - g. Football game starts at 5pm
 - h. All info will be uploaded on Org Sync
 - i. Will be participating in City of Whittier Christmas parade
 - j. If interested in helping for color run attend PB meeting
 - k. Halloween movie night → Will be watching Ghost Busters

- f. Advocacy- President Esquer
 - a. Meeting at 12:30 this Thursday at the spot to go over student bill of rights
 - b. Will upload ASWC address and will be emailed to senators
 - c. Will also meet with President Herzberger this week.
 - d. State of the college in Arnold hall at noon attend if you can

- g. Culinary- Senator Jones
 - a. Meeting this Thursday in the senate office

- h. Environmental- Senator Santacruz
 - a. Planning with committee to work on email about goals and concerns they want to accomplish
- i. Student Feedback- Senator Meuwissen
 - a. Keys comment cards have been reviewed
 - b. Working on forum about science center and how it will effect students
- j. Commuter – Senator Perez
 - a. Commuter meeting will be rescheduled

IX. **Public Voice** - This is the portion of the meeting for anyone who is not on the table to address any questions, comments, or concerns.

X. **First Readings**

- a. Paragonian Rush
 - A. Planning a hike and then food stop.
 - B. Total requested for \$150.
- b. Thalian Rush
 - C. Funds will help secure event
 - D. Fundraiser has been done
 - E. Total requested \$150
- b. Metaphonian Rush
 - A. Event will be off campus.
 - B. Total requested \$150
- c. Sigma Tau Delta
 - a. Initiation meeting will take place October 15th will be open to those who get “tapped”
 - b. Requested amount \$250.

XI. **Second Readings**

- a. William Penn Society
 - A. Total amount requested \$150

XII. **Daily Calendar Considerations**

- a. Sigma Tau Delta
 - a. Initiation meeting will take place October 15th will be open to those who get “tapped”
 - b. Senator Kenny-motions to fund event in \$250

- b. William Penn Society
 - a. Total requested \$150.
 - b. Senator Smith- motions to fund event in \$150

XIII. Miscellaneous Business

- a. For card access issues see Director Allman
- b. Color Run support is greatly needed
- c. Search for new Dean and new director for Career Planning Center
- d. Firm is working to work with students help find candidates
- e. Anyone that has concerns or suggestions reach out to us during our office hours or after meetings... meeting will be a week from now
- f. Sobers- Why is the situation about student who doesn't want to sleep in dorm an issue
- g. Santacruz- It violates safety regulation
- h. Hovertsen- also it has to do with space issue
- i. Reyes- if there is a roommate problem that can be addressed
- j. Director Rashid- there are emergency rooms if completely necessary
- k. Butler- Residential Life can address this or suggest advocacy committee to learn about policies
- l. Boynton- we can work to help find a solution
- m. VP- our guest speaker left pamphlet about low cost treatment and facilities if interested they will be available after the meeting.
- n. Reyes- Women's volley game at 7:30 and Football game at 5 pm on Saturday
- o. President- bringing back senator of the month
- p. Dr. Sobers- campus safely email was sent out regarding parking starting Thursday certain parking spaces will be blocked
- q. KNS club winner of org sync, next week 6 weeks (15th to the 22nd) of org sync is about uploading pictures winner will get \$150 towards organization apparel
- r. Workshops on basics of org sync will be taking place this week.
- s. Director Allman- homecoming court voting will be happening this week

b. Announcements

- a. Motion to adjourn meeting -Senator Vargas
- b. Meeting adjourned at 7:56 pm by Vice President Duarte

Respectfully Submitted by Tania Ramirez, *Secretary of ASWC*