**Student Government Association**

**Murray State University**

*Minutes***|** 10.27.21

**Come to order at 4:31 PM**

**Attendance: 42**

**Voting Members in Attendance: 30 members of senate**

**Quorum: (amount needed for votes) 25**

**Approval of last meeting’s minutes: Motion to approve last week’s minutes by Hunter Book and seconded by Ian Clark. Motion passed.**

Kade Gambill (CSI Office Coordinator):

* Group-Me code
* Bring back
* Ms. MSU Scholarship Pageant applications are due at noon. Each org can nominate up to four women. They must be at the mandatory meeting November 10th at 5:30.

Dining Services:

* Dining survey live until the 30th. Chance to win the smart TV. Interns have been giving out incentives at tabling.
* October birthdays being celebrated tomorrow night at Winslow.
* On Friday at 4pm, there will be a Halloween party at Winslow.
* Culinary Council is Monday at Racer Dining at 3pm. This is another way for feedback to be given about Winslow.
  + Notes from SGA: Cleanliness of Winslow. Make sure that things are being cleaned in a timely manner.
* There was a problem concerning the sot of a case of water at Fast Track. David Blank will check on this.
* Grubhub canceling orders: When Grubhub is canceled, there is a line out the door in order to the get the line through. If there an issue about it being processed even though the order is canceled, please contact Dining immediately and they will cancel
  + 270.809.4600 is the Dining Number.
  + [David.blank2@sodexo.com](mailto:David.blank2@sodexo.com) is David’s contact.
* Pumpkin carving contest happening currently. Vote on Instagram!

Auxiliary Services:

* College of Business Eatery is something new being looked at. They are looking at changing the menu. If you have ideas or concepts, bring those to the Culinary Council meeting (see above for time).

Facilities Management Representative:

* Gravel parking lot across from the Pike house. Is there any way it could be fixed? It has gotten worse over the last couple of weeks. This will be addressed.
* Do dumpsters have to be full for them to be picked up? Equestrian center trash doesn’t get emptied every time. This will be addressed.
* Sarah will highlight the locations of hammock poles on our social media.

**Executive Board Reports**

Ian Puckett (President):

* Congratulations to our Homecoming King and Queen, Walt Steely and Ellie McGowan!
* Free speech meeting/Zoom discussion on November 5th. This will be a discussion about free speech. It is a smaller meeting is to decide what should be done moving forward with administration present. Updates will be given to students after the fact.
* Students that have concerns regarding free speech are planning to hold a meeting about this topic. That meeting is in the works.

Molly Logsdon (Executive Vice President and President of Campus Activities Board):

* Frankenstein score will be played by the orchestra on 10/31 at 3pm.
* Rocky-Horror Picture show will be at 8pm on 10/31 at 3pm.
* Koozies on November 2nd

Amy Krazl (Vice President of Administration):

* Amya’s report: First Generation Celebration open to anyone.

**Branch Reports**

Ty Allen (Chief Justice):

* Flu shot clinic is tomorrow (Thursday) from 10-2 across from Chick-Fil-A.
* Mass email/mass text message regarding crimes
  + From a PR point of view: The more you tell people, the more panic there will be and the more damage that will be done.
  + The police only want to send out the emails if the suspect has not been apprehended. If a suspect has been apprehended, there will be no mass email/message.
  + Clergy Act: Legally, there are 90 days to respond to a crime on campus.
* Elaina: People need to know the Crime and Fire Log exists. Problem could be possibly resolved by talking to the news about doing a follow up article with this information.
  + The Calloway County Health Dept. posts every single crime that happens every day.

Chelsea Jones (President of Residential College Association):

* This Friday is the Halloween Trick or Treating from 5-8pm across all the Residential Colleges!
* Congratulations to the Homecoming residential college decorators. 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place winners were White, Clark, and Hart, respectively.

**Senate Chair Reports**

Chief of Staff:

* Committee assignment information: You will be assigned to committees for the rest of the year. You will rank your preference on a google form.
* You will serve on two committees! This is a mandatory requirement.

Publications and Public Relations:

* Jacob Fritts and John Foster: Spotlights!
* Take your headshot if you have not done that yet!

University Affairs:

* Blood drive signups: <https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1yP0VDd7AVqaG2osiodqMHgyJwjAk-AipVc1EducZ__U/edit?usp=sharing>
* If you have friends that would like to volunteer for the blood drive, please sign them up or give them the link!

Diversity and Inclusion:

* First Generation Celebration

Enrollment Management and Student Success:

* Public high schools have lifted mask mandates. There is no change in the university policy.
* Questions from the Freshmen Council provided to Exec Board.

**Motion to adjourn meeting by Hunter Book and seconded by Beau Osbourne Motion Passed. Adjourn at 5:07 PM.**