



Murray State Student Government Association

MEETING MINUTES 1/29

Come to order: 4:30 pm

Presenters/Guests:

- Athletics
 - Tuesday, February 4 men's basketball game against Drake
 - There will be a raffle for 2 pairs of Ja Morant shoes

Branch Reports

Piper McClain (Chief Justice):

- No report

Jaylon Taggart (Residential College President):

- Thank you to everyone who came to our opening general body last Monday
- Next week's meeting in this room (Barkley Room) on Monday @5pm
 - We will be tackling a lot of legislation, senators please report back to RCCs
 - There will also be a regional business conference next week so we won't open registration for this until 2 weeks from now

Weekly Random Club Selection

Senator at Larges Selected:

- Lyda Grace Osborne and Montana Bates

Club Selected:

- Archery Club

Director Reports

Cesar Villeda, Senator at Large and Club Reporter of The Week:

- The club reached out and emailed us: "I'm not 100% sure when our next meeting but we try to do one a month, our club is founded on conservative principles but are not limited to only republicans in our club."
- The next meeting will be discussing when they can table

- Also discussing who to bring on campus to speak

Nathanial Hunt, Election Ways and Means:

- On February 20th the form for elections will be closing
 - That same day we will have a meeting about election rules and whatnot
 - We have a few vacancies that I am now in charge of
 - 2 college senators
 - 1 business senator
 - Let me know if you would like to fill these positions!

Miracle Schmidt, Enrollment Management & Student Success:

- We are currently brainstorming an individual freshman senator meeting
- The next freshman council meeting will be next week.

Alex Parham, University Affairs:

- No report

Silas Jackson, Government Relations:

- Next Monday and Tuesday Brendan and I will be lobbying for the university
- We also have a bill today for our student senate

Maggie White, Chief of Staff

- Random club selection report (see above)

Officer Reports

Brooklyn Williams (Vice President of Finance):

- \$1500 in registration fees for Ms. MSU
- Important lobbying is going on for nursing and vet school, so keep an eye out!

Ali Khatib (Vice President of Administration):

- No report

Maggie Blazina (Executive Vice President & President of Campus Activities Board):

- Thank you to everyone who came to the magician event!
- February 4th we will be giving away free beanies in Curris
- There will be a murder mystery event in March
 - March madness going on during that
 - The temporary date is March 25 but we may change that, we will keep you updated
- Caab is open to any of you if you have any ideas just text or email and let me know!

Brendan Hawkins (President):

- He sends his regards and is disappointed he can't be here
 - Excited about the vet bill
- He will be in Frankfurt on Thursday and next week assisting with this bill
- If you need anything addressed or have any questions email and let me know!

University Committee Reports

President's Office, Dr. Bob Jackson:

- No Report

Student Affairs Office, Dr. Don Robertson:

- Welcome back everyone good seeing you guys!
- Campus Lights were amazing
 - 88th production, oldest running musical in the south
 - If you didn't go i recommend you try to see it next year
- Saturday is a big day!
 - Admitted student kickoff
 - 700 people on campus
 - Welcome them to campus!
 - We also have presidential scholarship interviews going on
 - About 100 students on campus for that
- Racer nation orientation
 - Over 850 students have now registered for orientation
 - Great indicator for coming here
- Passing this resolution is a very big deal, need all the support we can get

MSU Police, Chief Ryan Orr:

- No report, give us a call if you need anything!

Facilities Management, Mr. Jason Youngblood:

- No Report

Dining Services:

- New marketing manager
- We are looking to collaborate with all of you!
 - SGA showcase on the 4th of February
 - We will be showcasing a new catering menu

Auxiliary Services, Mr. David Looney:

- If need anything or have any questions direct them to Andrew Orr

Advisor to SGA & Student Organizations, Kade Gambill:

- Partnered with recruitment office for admitted student kickoff for an sga logo on the back of t shirts at kickoff
- New SGA laptop program
 - If you break a laptop you can sign up for a loaner laptop for a week or a semester if in need
- Campaigning Rules
 - Do not campaign before meeting with Nate
 - You don't want to get disqualified!
- Magician Event
 - AKA sorority highest turnout at magician
 - Joanna odom won the prize congrats!

Announcements:

- PRSSA hosting rebate night tomorrow night
- PRSSA conference being held on Paducah's Murray State campus if interested!

Old Business:

- Senate bylaw changes tabled
- Waiting for senate bylaw changes until Brendan comes next meeting

New Business:

- Resolution 8925j1 advocating for expansion for educational programs and research designations in Kentucky.
- Second by Grady Ward
- Motion passed

Motion to adjourn meeting made Miracle Schmidt and seconded: Montana Bates

Motion Passed. Adjourn at 4:49 pm.