

Murray State Student Government Association

MEETING MINUTES 9/7

Come to order: 4:30 pm

Approval of minutes: Motion to approve by Cole Wyatt; seconded by Grady Ward.

New Business:

- Appointments to fill vacancies
 - Senator at Large Luke Wyatt
 - Education and Human Services Senator Olivia Heinzman
 - Hester (RCC) Senator Colson Thomas
 - Richmond (RCC) Senator Piper McClain
 - Clark (RCC) Senator Nate Ragland
 - Motion made to slate as is by Micheal Arnal-Brown; seconded by Grady Ward.
 - Slate is installed as is; 23 votes in favor, none opposed.

Old Business: None to report.

Guests/University Committee Reports:

Brock Rydecki (Assistant Athletic Director):

- Email <u>msu.gameday@murraystate.edu</u> to reserve a spot for your organization to tailgate. You can arrive at your spot beginning at 3:00 on Saturday; the team will walk on field around 4:00.

Nico Yantko (Athletic Director):

 "Students set the tone for game day"--get out on game days and bring the energy. On Fridays, wear blue and gold in support of the Racer sports teams.

Dr. Bob Jackson (President):

Absent from meeting. Making preparations for the Board of Regents retreat and meeting.

Dr. Don Robertson (Vice President of Student Affairs):

 Racer Day is this Saturday, September 10th, from 12-4; greet prospective students kindly and be sure to show your racer pride.

Jeanie Morgan (Advisor to SGA and Student Organizations):

 SGA offices are temporarily moving into the commonwealth rooms (3rd floor of Curris; through double doors) on Tuesday, September 13th. If you are available, come help move things to the new office.



Kade Gambill (CSI Office Coordinator):

- Student Organization registration was due September 8th—you must be registered to nominate for homecoming king and queen. Nominations are due Tuesday, September 13th.
- Student Organization is on Wednesday, September 21st.

Dining Services:

- Offices moved to old hotel rooms behind the Barkley room (3rd floor).
- Celiacs awareness event at Winslow on Tuesday, September 13th—all gluten will be taken off the menu for either lunch or dinner (TBD).
- September birthdays event on Thursday, September 15th.
- Another dining pop-up will be on Monday, September 19th–Billionaire Burgers (gourmet burger and waffle fries).
- Retail takeovers will be happening every Wednesday in T-Room with different concepts and local businesses. Next week there will be pizza, breadsticks, and salad. Takeovers at Sub Connection will take place during its regular operating hours; takeovers at Tres will only take place during lunch.
- Culinary council meeting Monday, September 12th in T-room.

Auxiliary Services:

- QR code magnets placed around campus for students to scan and view emergency procedures set in place.
- P3 presentation at Board of Regents Retreat on September 8th–artist renderings should be shown next week for upcoming plans.

Facilities Management Representative:

- Safety tour around campus took place on Wednesday, September 9th. There is money being applied to exterior lighting projects on campus. 20 new light poles are being installed on the great lawn (by the clock tower).

Executive Board Reports

Ellie McGowan (President):

- Board of Regents retreat on Thursday, September 8th; meeting on Friday, September 9th.
- First home football game this Saturday, September 10th; Racer Walk will begin around 3:45 pm.
 The route starts at entrance B of CFSB Center and ends at the football field.

Gabe Maynard (Executive Vice President & President of Campus Activities Board):

- CAB information night September 14th at 6 oclock; Barkley Room

Jacob Fritts (Vice President of Finance): No report.

Claudia Sweeney (Vice President of Administration): No report.



Branch Reports

Sydney Harper (Chief Justice):

- There was a last minute emergency hearing on Monday, September, 5th.
- There are two J-Board vacancies open; applications are available on the website.

Nicholas Novotka (Residential College President):

- NRHH (National Residence Hall Honorary) accomplishments will be announced as they come up. They give "of the month awards"; we submitted 27 at the campus level.
- Consent Rocks event Saturday, September 17th from 1-3 on the Hart lawn
- ISO and RCA collaboration event Friday, September 9th at 7 oclock on Hart lawn
- September 14th residential college pride day Carr Health Lawn; RCA will be having a salted caramel cupcake fundraiser.

Senate Chair Reports

Chief of Staff- Isaiah Pruitt:

- Email if you have not been assigned a committee.

Publications and Public Relations- Shana Lucking: No report; getting logged into the social media accounts for SGA.

University Affairs- Beau Osborne: No report.

Elections Ways and Means- Hanna Scott:

- SGA freshman senate candidate meeting was held on Tuesday, September 6th; there were 6 applicants. Voting will be held Monday September 6th-Tuesday Sept 7th.

Diversity and Inclusion- Amya Ferguson: No report.

Enrollment Management and Success- Emma Gage:

Freshman council applications are on the website and flyers are posted around campus with QR code.

Government Relations- Conor Washburn:

- Recent Bills: Senate Bill 295 & House Bill 411.

Motion to adjourn meeting by Austin Randolph and seconded by Grady Ward. Motion Passed. Adjourn at 5:15 pm.

