

The Council of Student Leaders
September 19, 2011

- I. Call to Order- Kambrell Garvin
- II. Roll Call- Ashley Sineath
- III. Minutes/Approval of Agenda-
 - a. Approved
- IV. Committee Reports
 - a. New Organization Charters
 - i. Financial Planning and Investment Club
 - 1. Chartered
 - ii. Winthrop University Student Advocates of the Arts (WUSAA)
 - 1. All forms of art. Advocating for the arts in the community and education.
 - 2. Chartered
 - b. Student Allocations
 - i. Two interviews took place last week
 - ii. Interviews this Friday- Applications due by Wednesday
 - c. Political Action (Meet: Tuesdays in Digs at 6:25 pm)
 - i. Retreat Overview
 - 1. Voter Registration Drive
 - a. Table this Thursday from 10:30-1:30
 - b. Table Next Thursday as well
 - 2. Letter Writing Campaign
 - a. To lower tuition costs and money for higher education in South Carolina
 - b. Discussing what to include in main letter outline and it's structure
 - 3. Anyone is welcome to help out with this committee!!
 - d. Student Empowerment (Meet: Mondays at 6:30 pm in Digs)
 - i. Retreat Overview
 - 1. Recycling bins for Courtyard, Legal Aid Program research (Free 30 minutes with attorney), Customer Service Survey
 - ii. Recycling Bins at Courtyard- filling out work request form
 - iii. Dates and timeline set up for survey next semester
 - e. Campus Engagement (Meet: Monday after CSL meeting Digs)
 - i. Homecoming Pep Rally November 7, 2011 (Time and place TBA)
 - ii. Working on Social Media for CSL- Twitter and Facebook
 - iii. Environmental Program (Around November)
 - 1. Topic: Ecological Footprint of a College Student
 - a. Contact: Chris Johnson (new sustainability coordinator)
 - b. Inviting him to CSL meeting to discuss
 - iv. Spirit Day moving from Friday to Wednesday (Maybe Thursday?)
 - f. Campus Safety (Meet: Fridays at 2:30 pm 2nd Floor Digs)
 - i. Met for first time last Wednesday

- ii. Trains in front of UP and Courtyard
 - 1. Recognizing the problems and what needs to be done
 - iii. Campus Safety Walks in order to recognize what can be changed to make the campus more safe
 - iv. Some sort of initiative for students to be more alert on campus (“Walk Safe”)
- V. Old Business
 - a. Voter ID Resolution (Presentation)
 - i. PowerPoint Presentation
 - 1. Discussing how this affects each of us
 - 2. Beginning in 2012 or earlier, SC voters have to have a current SC driver’s license, identification, or military ID
 - 3. Looking into the hurdles that College students might have to go through in order to vote
 - b. Clubs and Orgs Fair
 - i. Thanks to everyone who came out!
 - c. CSL Retreat/Follow-up meeting
 - i. Expectations, Dates, and Programs
 - d. New Member Elections
 - i. 10 new members!
 - e. Induction
- VI. New Business
 - a. Code of Conduct
 - i. Sending out email with potential changes to the Code of Conduct
 - ii. New sections to be added
 - 1. Dealing with Violations
 - a. Some were outdated and/or missing
 - b. Adding definition for “bullying” and “violations of privacy”
 - c. Would be helpful to get more input from students for clarity
 - b. Additional Student Parking
 - i. Temporary student parking
 - ii. Gravel Lot by Digs used to have student parking
 - 1. Putting short term parking in that lot for students to be able to check mailbox, get a quick meal from Digs, etc.
 - 2. Do not abuse this! It can be taken away.
- VII. President’s Report
 - a. Response to student group (Think! Speak! Act!)
 - i. Many student concerns
 - ii. President’s Office answered every questions detailing why things are done the way they are done on our campus
 - b. College Town Action Plan
 - i. Group if city leaders, business leaders, and Winthrop University
 - ii. Update
 - 1. Widening White St.

- 2. Working on sidewalks on Cherry Rd.
 - c. Work Study/Pell Grants
 - i. Loss of Work Study
 - 1. Reasoning- goal was to make up the difference from last year because they had too many students working last year
 - ii. No more Summer Pell Grants
 - iii. 40% of all students at Winthrop are Pell Grant eligible
 - 1. (Letter Writing Campaign)
- VIII. Open Floor
 - a. Kambrell's Announcements
 - i. Passing out nametags! All CSL members wear nametags on Mondays!!
 - ii. Sexual Awareness Program
 - 1. Program and speaker
 - 2. Bringing in a play, debriefing at end, working on cultural event status
 - 3. Living by the Dedication for Excellence
 - iii. Student Empowerment
 - 1. Recycling bins (Dedication for Excellence)
 - iv. Get your CSL t-shirts
 - v. Shanique- Dining Services Rep (Meetings once a month) Wednesday at 12:00
 - vi. CSL workroom has a printer now!
 - 1. Can use your print quota there
 - b. Anti Hazing Week
 - i. Sunday at 2:30 Stand Up Stand Out- open to all campus
 - ii. Common Time in Digs- signing a No Hazing pledge
 - c. War Meeting Wednesday 6:30 pm Upstairs Digs
 - i. Program with Delta Sigma Theta on Wednesday 8 pm SAC
 - d. RAINN Day on Thursday, September 22
 - i. Common Time- Costume Contest- Rain boots, umbrella, or dress as a rain drop
 - ii. Need judges for costume contest
 - e. NAACP 26th-28th events in Plowden at 8 pm each night
 - f. WU Ambassadors info session this Wednesday at 5:00 pm in Joynes
 - g. Orientation Leader meetings coming up! Facebook group!
 - h. Common Time Tomorrow- speaker talking about Federal Reserve
 - i. Check DSU website for events this week!
- IX. Adjournment- Kambrell Garvin

Compiled by,

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