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MINUTES OF THE STUDENT GOVERNMENT ASSOCIATION
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CALL TO ORDER

A regular meeting of the SGA was called to order at 5:00 p.m. by Vice-President Tara Higdon.

ROLL CALL

Absences included Jason Young, Nick Church, Mark Warren, David Minor, Hunter Stewart, Jarrett Sims, Chris Holland, and Eric Wilson.

READING OF THE MINUTES

It was moved to suspend with the reading of the minutes. Motion passed.

GUEST SPEAKER Gary Meszaros and John Osborne

OFFICER REPORTS

Rob Evans, President--President Evans welcomed everyone to congress. He met with Officer Audrey Spies of the WKU Public Safety Department last week, and they discussed future plans with the Student Escort Service.

Last Thursday was SGA's President for a Day promotion. President Evans thanked everyone who participated in passing out fliers and selling tickets. He also thanked Nick Church for serving as President for a day.

The campus clean-up was a big success. President Evans thanked all who attended.

The Regents meeting last Friday was canceled due to illness. It will be rescheduled for mid-March.

The COA will meet tomorrow night in DUC 349 at 6 p.m.

Tara Higdon, Vice-President--Vice President Higdon announced that the she is working on guidelines for all SGA programs to be passed to next year's administration.

She congratulated Nick Church for being selected as Coming Home King.

Greg Edmonds, Public Relations Director--Public Relations Director Edmonds announced for all visitors to please sign the visitor's list. He also encouraged everyone to bring guests.

Jason Vincent, Secretary--Secretary Vincent announced open positions on Congress. They include the following: two senior off-campus representatives, two junior off-campus, four non-

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traditional representatives, one graduate college representative, and openings in the following residence halls: East - one representative, Florence Schneider - one representative, McLean - one representative, South - one representative, West - one representative, New Co-Ed - one representative, Sorority Hall - one representative, Bemis - one representative, Keen - one representative, Central - one representative, and Barnes Campbell - one representative.

Secretary Vincent is currently working on plans for the SGA banquet which will be on April 25 at 5:30.

Brandon Rucker, Treasurer--Treasurer Rucker reported that the expenditures from the previous week totaled $314.20. This brings the account balance to $27,306.00.

Child Care Grants will be decided this evening during the regularly scheduled Executive Council meeting.

Organizational Aid interviews will be on March 2 from 3:00 - 5:00 and from 7:00 - 9:00. There were approximately eleven organizations that applied.

Points of Light nominations for February need to turned in by next Monday, March 6 in the SGA office.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

ACADEMIC AFFAIRS--Chairperson Stephanie McCarty announced that they have decided to write legislation about the LME-100 requirement for students re-entering Western; encouraging faculty to give mid-term reports in a student's major classes; the possibility of starting an SGA teacher of the month. They are working on getting these three pieces of legislation together.

STUDENT AFFAIRS--Chairperson Bonnie Newton announced that they are discussing a video project for SGA that will be produced by the Electronic Field Production class.

LEGISLATIVE RESEARCH--No report.

CAMPUS IMPROVEMENTS--Chairperson Jennifer Raffaelli announced that they discussed ordering the Kentucky flag. They will also be judging Adopt-a-Spots this week.

PUBLIC RELATIONS-- Chairperson Cindy Chiapetta announced that they will be putting Campus Line advertisements in The Herald. They will also be writing notes to students not in SGA to encourage them to come to the meetings.

STUDENT ATHLETIC--No report.

ACADEMIC COUNCIL

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

There were second readings of the following pieces of legislation: Resolution 95-2-S "Call Forwarding;" Resolution 95-3-S "Dogwood Avenue Crosswalk;" and Resolution 95-4-S "Big Red

Way Trash Cans." The first bill failed and the other two passed.

NEW BUSINESS

Congress members voted on the following people to fill open positions: Kaylyn Ashley - New Sorority Hall representative; Raymond Herrick - Senior off-campus representative; and Jeff Turner - Keen Hall representative. They were all accepted as a new members of SGA.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Public Relation Committee meetings will now be on Thursdays. Also, there will be no LRC meeting this week.

ADJOURNMENT

The meeting was adjourned by unanimous consent at 5:45 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted,

Jason L. Vincent

Jason L. Vincent, Secretary