



Senate Meeting Minutes

Southern New Hampshire University Student Government Association
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Meeting Date: October 25th, 2022

Call to Order: A meeting of the Senate was held on 10/25/2022 at Southern New Hampshire University in Green Center 102A in Hooksett New Hampshire. The meeting convened at 5:06 PM, with President Matte presiding.

Absent:

- Senator Logan Mock
- Senator Marian Roqueortega

Early Departures:

- Senator Casswell – 6:15 PM
- Senator Douglas – 6:45 PM

Approval of Minutes:

- A *Motion* was moved by Senator Gosselin and seconded by Senator Caswell to approve the 10/11/2022 Minutes.
 - *Motion Passed* 8-0-0

Guest Speaker:

- None

Officer Reports:

- President Matte *
 - Homecoming Recap
 - Tie Die Event Went Well
 - SNHU Awards
 - Don Wanted to Come and Visit Us
 - Policy and Procedure
 - Four Senators one from each committee
 - Ryan and Stephanie Chair Committee
- EVP of Internal Affairs Barrett +
 - General Updates
 - Don't forget about Homebase
 - Questions / Comments / Concerns



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- VP of External Affairs +
 - CAPE Co-Sponsorship
 - A *Motion* was made by Senator Douglas and seconded by Senator Carbone to approve the CAPE's Co-Sponsor request of \$500.00 and five volunteers.
 - A *Motion to Amend* was made by Senator Lisciotta and Senator Cantania to change the volunteer request from five to two SGA Members.
 - Volunteers: Senator Douglas and Lisciotta
 - *Motion Passed* 5-0-3
 - *Motion Passed as Amended* 5-0-3
 - Office of Student Involvement Co-Sponsorship
 - A *Motion* was made by Senator Lisciotta and Senator seconded by Senator Cantania to approve the Office of Student Involvement's Co-Sponsorship Request of \$500.00
 - Events Examples
 - Tricker Treating
 - Physic
 - A *Motion to Amend* was made by President Matte and Senator Lisciotta to change the volunteer request from five to zero.
 - *Motion Passed* 8-0-0
 - *Motion Passed as Amended* 7-1-0
- VP of Marketing and Publicity *
 - Penmen Pride Event Sign-Ups Week 9
 - CAPE Meeting
 - Senator Caswell
 - Environmental Club
 - Senator Disilva
 - Penmen Press
 - Senator Douglas
 - Weekly Bingo
 - Senator Carbone
 - Penmen Pride Event Sign-Ups Week 10
 - SASE and ISS Castle Frankenstein
 - Senator Dasilva
 - CAPE Meeting
 - Senator Caswell



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- Radio SNHU Event
 - Senator Cataina
- Death Cafe
 - Senator Dasilva
- ISS Fair
 - Senator Douglas
- Environmental Club
 - Senator Dasilva
- Penmen Press
 - Senator McNamara
- Weekly Bingo
 - Senator Lisciotto
 - Senator Douglas
- ISS Career and Insider
 - Senator Douglas
- Karaoke Night
 - Senator Carbone
 - Senator Tolson
- VP of Budget and Finance Bibeau
 - Next Budget and Finance Meeting – IGC Conference Request
 - Next Budget and Finance Meeting – Radio SNHU Capital Request
- VP of Student Advocacy Oza
 - Nice Job Team with Celebration of Light

Public Comment:

- None

New Business:

- New Club Recognition
 - Robotics Club
 - Events to include All SNHU Students and Local High School Students
 - Robotics is not a degree offered at SNHU but is a minor
 - Build and create new things
 - Trying to make it a degree program in the future
 - Trying to encourage people to try it.
 - Currently meeting but not official
 - Robotics Minor is very popular
 - Trained in SETA Safety Protocols



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- A *Motion* was made by Senator McNamera and seconded by Senator Carbone to Recognize the SNHU Robotics Club as a Student Government Association Club and allocate a new club budget to them.
 - How much funding is provided was asked by Senator Gosselin. President Matte responded that in our constitution there is a set number given to new clubs. If they use it all they can apply for an additional allocation.
 - *Motion Passed 7-0-1*
- Aviation Club
 - Focus on Planes / Pilots / and Communication Tools
 - Focus on Safety
 - How to tell people about aviation
 - Work with SACA and other Aeronautics Club
 - A *Motion* was made by Senator McNamera and seconded by Senator Dasilva to Recognize the SNHU Aviation Club as a Student Government Association Club and allocate a new club budget to them.
 - *Motion Passed 6-0-2*
- ASGA Presentations
 - Senator Lisciotto – Kind Words
 - Senator Douglas – How to Connect
 - Senator McNamera – Overview of ASGA
 - Vice President of Student Advocacy Oza – Tabled to Next Meeting
 - President Matte – Tabled to New Meeting
- Community Assistance Thanked SGA for Co-Sponsorship Funding

Unfinished Business:

- Executive Vice President Barrett is working again this school year with the Associate Dean of Students to head up a Sodexo Committee. He is looking for Senators and Community Members to join this committee. – In Progress
 - The Following Senators Expressed Interest
 - Senator Douglas
 - Senator Lisciotto
 - Senator Gosselin



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- Senator Cantania
- Senator Carbone
- First Meeting is Wednesday 10/26/2022

Committee Reports

- Tabled to next meeting due to time constraints.

Advisor Comments: Jay Tifone

- None

Announcements:

- None

Snaps

A *Motion* was moved by Senator McNamera and seconded by Senator Lisciotto to adjourn the meeting at 7:02 PM. Motion passed 6-0-0.

Adjournment: The Senate meeting was adjourned at 7:02 PM



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****Do not sign unless in presence of a public notary for document to be notarized.****

Ryan Barrett
Executive Vice President of Internal Affairs
Student Government Association

Date of Approval

Tarnya Carrier
Business Analyst
Student Government Association

Date of Approval

Public Notary:

State of New Hampshire

County of _____

Signed or attested before me on ____ day of _____
in the year _____ by *Ryan Barrett* and *Tarnya Carrier*.

(Signature of notarial officer)

(Date)

(Seal, if any)

Notary Public, State of New Hampshire

My Commission Expires _____