

**Minutes of the October 31, 2006
Student Government Association
Student Senate**

Call to Order

Time: 6:03

Location: 213 Davison

Absent Members: 21 (Abrams, Batton, Crow, Gibbons, Halwick, Haston, Hinton, Lowe, Shrouder)

Tardy Members: 1 (Matthew Pacobit)

Voting Members Present: 32

Approval of Minutes: The minutes from our last meeting on October 24 2006, were approved as a correct report.

Executive Reports

President (Smith): Next quarter will be more of an execution of ideas and betterment of SGA.

Vice President (LaCaze): Meet with the Supreme Court and there are 2 openings for Supreme Court, taking applications stop Nov. 15, 2006 this way they can take them until quarter break. The USA readership program will provide 300 papers each day?? Monday at 8:00 there will be papers given out in Tolliver, student center and GTM, need 1 or 2 students to take surveys to see what the LATEch response is like. Very simple, Will begin small and can get bigger and this program should be very beneficial. Also the Supreme Court has made changes to the election code and these can be amended by the senate. Student Technology fee board; there will be a library committee meeting and we would like to improve the study rooms in the library if you would like to help please let Matt know. The Supreme Court should post last Supreme Court meeting minutes soon.

Secretary (Eaton): Everyone has been doing well with their office hours please put completed time cards in completed time card box.

Treasurer (Lewis): Election deposits are available during Treasurer Office hours; this is the last week for loans.

Advisors Report: None

Executive Department Reports –

Community Service: Megan Dronet, R U ready? Meeting for this committee Thursday at 9 pm.

Up Til Dawn Thursday 5-9

Christmas kick-off in the city of Ruston- need volunteers to work from November 16-18.

Senator Reports

Junior Class – World Series is still going on. Tonight at 6, Nov. 1st at 6, Nov. 2nd at 6 this will be the last game until February.

Sophomore Class- Thanks to all who helped with the mentoring events last week, they were a great success! We have been putting together a grant proposal. Come by the office and put together an evaluation about last week's event.

Freshmen Class – no report

College of Administration and Business – no report

College of Applied and Natural Sciences – no report

College of Education- no report

College of Engineering and Science- no report

College of Liberal Arts – no report

AWS - no report

Housing – no report

IFC – no report

ISA – no report

KLPI- no report

MSO- no report

SAAC –no report

Panhellenic – no report

U Board – 10/31 7pm the Shining at TAC parking lot.
11/7 Laser tag in the Plaza

Unfinished Business

- A. Donations for Ms. Lisa Carter, give donations to Jenny Quinnilly.
- B. Resolution 06-07.01

There was a meeting with Mr. Oakes today, and he completely agreed with this resolution and also agreed with board recommendations and set it up like the student assessed fee board. Confirmed that 295,000\$ has been allocated to pay for the lights in the stadium. How will the board be made up? Once Dr. Reneau is addressed this will be decided. Spending would be approved by the board; the board was never set up and is supposed to allow things go through board. The allocated money, could the new board discuss this? This will be discussed with Reneau. Still within realm of questioning, it is a valid question. We want that to go before student board.

No further business

Discussion

Make a motion to send Supreme Court minutes to rules and regulations.
Call to question
Landry motions to close. Bowden 2nds

New Business

LaCaze moves to amend the previously approved amount for the spirit group competition so that there can be award money for two first and two second place winners. 1st Place, \$500 and 2nd Place 100
2nd by Brownsburger
Motion to close discussion Hogan/LaCaze
Motion passes with 1 abstention Sid Creamer

Landry moves to have a rules and regulations meeting Bowden 2nds
Call to question Landry/Hogan
no abstentions
motion carries, there will be a rules and regulations meeting set up by Mr.
Landry

Jared Regan is trying to get SGA involved in Holiday activities, thus Regan
motions to create a subcommittee under campus activities in order to work
on this, and he would like to open this committee to volunteers. Temple 2nds
this motion
Hogan calls to question. Owen 2nds
all in favor motion to create this sub committee passes
If you would like to be involved in this committee please come see Elaine so
she can write your name down.

Announcements

POI; if you want new business listed come see Mr. Babcock and get your
business on the agenda.

Caleb: Some things happening this month. The LATech theatre is showing
WIT in Stone starting at 7, if you would like to join anime ichiban club they
are having a meeting, Inca Son 7:30, and several other activities, please
refer to the campus activities calendar to see all events.

Nov. 6, basketball showcases 6pm and 8pm

Next senate meeting is our yearbook picture! Dress well. We will be taking
the individual shots for the website as well.

Adjournment

The Speaker of the Senate adjourned the meeting at 6:35 pm.

Next Meeting

November 7 ,2006 at 6pm in Davison Hall room 213.

