West Virginia University
SGA Meeting 1/22/2020, 2019-2020 Administration

I. Call to Order at 7:32PM
II. Reading of the SGA Mission Statement

“We, the students of West Virginia University, desire to preserve within our University and the Student Government Association, an atmosphere that helps to foster an open exchange of ideas with civil discussion, inquiry, and self-expression to help ensure that the personal freedoms and general welfare of the students within our University are protected, and to promote the principles of diversity and responsible self-governance.”

III. Roll Call

1. President Pro Tempore Rawson
2. College Senator Buggs
3. College Senator Clutter
4. Senator Cappadona
5. Senator Collie
6. Senator Cunningham
7. Senator Dashaun
8. College Senator Dillie
9. Senator Donnelly
10. College Senator Doran
11. Senator Edwards
12. College senator Givens
13. Senator Harman
14. Senator Helm
15. College Senator Hopen
16. College senator Hunter
17. Senator Ihlenfeld
18. College Senator Jalso
19. Senator Jones
20. College Senator Lyons
21. College Senator Matus
22. College senator Mcknight
23. Athletic Senator Nadeu
IV. Reading and Approval of the Minutes/Agenda

Vice President Matheny: The minutes from last week’s meeting have been posted. Are there any changes or edits that need to be made to those minutes? Seeing none I will now entertain a motion to approve the minutes.

College senator matus so moved

President pro tempore Rawson- second

V. Open Student Forum I

Vice President Matheny- Does anyone have anything to present for Open Student Forum I?

CoS Riggs- So the big 12 is working on a list to advocate for on Big 12 on the hill. I just wanted to see what ideas y’all had to be considered to be placed on this list. I just want everyones feedback on what we should prioritize or place on the list.

Senator Teufel- I think there’s an inconsistency in regards to mental health so I feel that’s very important.

College senator matus- Know before you go, like financial literacy and student loans

Senator Jones- There will be a social action kickoff event and panel in the blue ballroom next Wednesday 1-3PM. There will be a full discussion with non-profit organizations. This is espe-
cially interesting if you’re interested in starting a nonprofit or if you are in the honors excel pro-
gram. Food will be provided and I hope to see you there.

President pro Tempore Rawson- To any pre med students or anyone thinking of taking the MCAT
there’s a free online session at 9PM this Sunday I think for practice, I don’t know who sent me
the e-mail but its a good opportunity to get some pre training for those harder sections.,

VI. President’s Report –
President Dye- I apologize if this is lengthy I hope everyones having a good week and I hope
y’all enjoyed retreat a lot of good things came from retreat. Thankyou to everyone who came
out to our MLK day of service, it was a success. The breakfast was great. Something we talked
about a lot at retreat was our meeting informal and formal and how to improve that. We came up
with an idea on that and thats what we will be doing today. And im just going to go through
what’s going to happen from now on. We decided a hybrid meeting would be best so we will al-
ways meet formally like this and go through the agenda and this will include committee sessions
and it will be on you to vote if you want those or not on your judgement if its late and you don’t
want committee sessions you can vote that down. Everyone will be able to report on their com-
mittee. Legislation will be able to come forward every meeting. The mountaineer room will be
used and the committee that goes there every week will change. Theses sessions will be on the
agenda every meeting and can be voted down, like if it was 10 and wed had a long meeting and
y’all wanted to go home. If anything changes we will let you know there will be three commit-
tees in here and the others in the mountaineer room. What we are going to do is focus on pro-
gramming one week and the next week legislation and those will go back and forth. You should
still be working on those things outside of committee as well. There also seems to be confusion
about who was allowed to do what but you all have creative freedom to do what you wish in this
organization. SGA is not an event planning organization though we don’t plan parties. You can
do purposeful programming. The meetings will run like this, you need to submit whatever you
want to talk about to the chair to be put on the agenda. If everything is done this way, everything
is done orderly in committees, and we can get things done. I challenged everyone at retreat to
come up with the things you want done before the end of the year. If there’s bumps in the road
we can always make more changes. There won’t be a capped time on this so what we are asking
is that assembly member return to the U when you are done and once we have a full U we can
adjourn or whatever happens after that. Thats what’s going to happen, it’ll be different but I think
this will be awesome. I hope all of that was clear. Just a few things coming up. This month we
have a town-hall, next month our theme is going to be civic engagement and sustainability. Hay-
den Moran our local government liaison has been working hard on our voter registration drive so
thats after February. Green week will be in February as well with the following month is going to
be the election and SGA awareness and outreach so everything will be centered around that. Thats all I have, lets have a good meeting. In honor of MLK my quote for today is, “Commit yourself to the noble struggle for equal rights, you will make a greater person of yourself, a greater nation of your country, and a finer world to live in.” Dr.MLK

**VII. Assembly Reports/Executive Reports –**

**Assembly**

College senator Buggs- Just wanted to thank everyone who participated in MLK day, and they gave us a shoutout so thats cool. Id like to make this a yearly thing so if someone would like to work on that with me you’re more than welcome to.

Senator Donnelley- I realized there’s an error in my resolution in line 52 one of the resource centers wasn’t mentioned but it should’ve been.

College senator shoemaker- I just wanted to share with everyone the mid semester assessment is being worked on like our resolution said. Im also planning a Statler outreach so if you’re in Statler and want to help let me know.

Senator Jones- Thank you to the 19 people who filled out my doodle poll so far for the mvp training availability you have til midnight to feel that out its a great opportunity if the times available don’t work and its something your passionate about please let me know and we can figure that out. If some of those times do not work for you and you’re passionate about it comer see me and we will figure it out. Please fill out the doodle poll.

Senator Teufel- Senator Helm and myself are still working on the number of visits and services available at the Karuth center for students. When we know more you guys will know more.

Senator Zanablie- I had a meeting today with the Mr.Elington in charge of the lair and I asked if we could have the permanent Naloxone dispenser in the lair next to the fire extinguisher and he said its very feasible and could easily happen. He also okayed the trainings themselves.

President pro tempore Rawson- I sent a huge email out to professors last spring about mental health days and those that responded I’ve set up meeting times to speak on how we can bring this to fruition so ill be working very hard on that here soon.

**Executives**

Hayden Moran- We will be having our voter registration drive on February 6,7,10,11. There will be a doodle poll out soon to sign ups to come help any help would be appreciated.
CoS Mcdonald- November and Decembers executive reports are in the drive as well as all the others. I’m also working on a survey to begin transition documents ready with all the info on your position it’d be good to make these nice to give to the next administration.

Elections Chair- Just a general announcement, I sent out an email on Friday about the elections committee If you’d like to be on that reach out Id love to get started on that soon.

Adia Kolb- We were trying to have a focus group with the division of health and wellness before winter break but it didn’t happen but there will be one tomorrow at noon in the Potomac room. So if anyones interested in that I can get your name to Olivia, I have class in the middle of it but Im going to try and be there as much as possible.

Intern coordinator Williamson- Intern application is live and it’ll be live til Friday at midnight. Also, please let me know if you want an intern. I was also wanting to get everyone who has an intern together and go over the responsibilities of being a mentor. I sent out the link for moutaineer-thon it’ll be fun and its a good cause. Make sure you sign up for that. Thank you.

Hunter Moore- We’ve worked to get new video equipment, these will be uploaded to youtube.

CoS Riggs- I just wanted to remind the committee chairs we will be meeting briefly after the meeting.

Treasurer White- We are at 50,000 dollars remaining in our external budget that’ll go quick thats not a bad thing. So far we’ve awarded 70 grants I'm hoping to get 100. The meeting this week will be at 5:30 in the shanadoah room The internal budget we do have money left but get those requests to me as early as possible moneys tight, it always is.

VIII.Old/New Business–
Vice President Matheny- We will now move onto new/old business. I will now entertain a motion to consider AR-2019-10.

Senator Donnelley- Read AR-2019-10*

Vice President Matheny-Questions?
President pro tempore Rawson- I love this bill and with the mandates do you have a contact with someone from U visit? I think it’d be beneficial to do so.

Senator Donnelley- I have not, I plan on reaching out to someone at University relations though.

Senator Stuck- I was curious as to when these updates would happen.

Senator Donnelley- I was not given specific dates I was told they were supposed to come last Fall but if this were to be passed Id follow up with everything to see what’s being done.

Vice President Matheny-Questions? Okay we will now go into discussion.

Senator Donnelley- I move to amend Line 52 such that it reads “LGBTQ+ center, Women’s resource center, Center for black culture and research research on campus tours and campus resources”

College senator Buggs-second

Vice President Matheny- Discussion on the amendment? *Amendment passes *Discussion on bill ends. Motion passes. I will now entertain a motion to approve AR-2019-10 via roll call

College senator shoemaker-So moved

Senator harman-seconded

*Roll call taken

Vice President Matheny- This bill passes, I will now entertain a motion to consider AR-2020-01

President pro tempore rawson- So moved

Senator Jones- Seconded

Senator Zanabli- Read AR-2020-01*
Vice President Matheny-Questions?

College Senator Shoemaker- Do we know how many opiod related overdoses we had her last year?

Senator Zanabli- I do not know I was trying to find that information. I will.

Senator Donnelley- Do we currently have anyone at the university trained with Naloxone.

Senator Zanabli- There are trainings held on campus at health sciences like held by certified people but its so far away so id love to do one here in the lair. There are people in the public health department who are trained with it though.

President pro tempore Rawson- I want to preface this question by saying this is a well written resolution and very good for this area. Im concerned with the wording the beginnings of section 1 and section 2 needs a subject so uhm my question is like is their a department or person to put in to be more specific.

Senator Zanabli- Like a dispenser like create dispensers in those areas. Theres like different people Ive been in touch with.

Senator Harman- With the proposed training will there be any certification?

Senator Zanabli- When I did it I got a certification but I will ask the person in charge. Its not only important because you'll learn how to use a naloxone but it will remove stigma from the issue. I feel the training is important on an education level.

Senator Harman- It says that you’re trying to get them in the lair have you talked to our friends in the RA association about training.

Senator Zanabli- Ive been in contact with them yes.

Vice President Matheny-Seeing no more questions we will go into discussion.

Senator Pressley- I like the idea of it being in the residence halls but I wouldn’t feel comfortable administering it as an RA because the good samaritan law doesn’t cover me.
Senator Teufel- When you are trained does it counteract that or protect you from a law suit

College Senator Dillie- Its almost as though the more training you have the more high of a standard you have, negligence doesn’t protect you.

College Senator Matus- We are talking about saving lives I think that you’re worried about being sued because of preventing someones death your heads in the wrong place. We are talking about saving lives not getting sued.

Senator Stuck- I know this isn’t the same thing but as a lifeguard if someone is unconscious we must administer life saving treatment we take them not being able to deny it as them saying yes.

Senator Zanabli- I heard that very recently someone overdosed on heroin and passed out in the mountainlair garage, I feel like it’d be very helpful and the lair is a good location for it.

College senator Hunter- Is line 65 supposed to say cross contamination?

Senator Zanabli-Yes Ill fix that

Vice President Matheny- Seeing no more discussion I will entertain a motion to table.

College senator shoemaker- So moved

College senator Buggs- Seconded

Vice President Matheny- I will now entertain a motion to consider AB-2020-01

Senator Cappadona- So moved

College Senator Nash- Seconded

Senator Pressley/President Pro tempore Rawson- *Read AB-2020-01
Vice President Matheny- Questions

Senator Teufel- Will SGA be paying for the business cards?

Senator Pressley- I don’t think so because those will be printed out

College senator Buggs- What’s the time frame for the event?

Senator Pressley- Its from 3-7PM

Senator Donnelley- What do we do with the shipping?

President Pro tempore Rawson- We just wanted to have the first reading now because its so soon, but with the final reading we will have the exact prices.

Vice President Matheny- Seeing no more questions is there any discussion?

President Pro tempore Rawson- Just wanted to say we will include the exact time of the event and this prices thank you.

Senator Pressley-We were advised to kind of have things like how important lube is, consent, how to use a condom, and steps to safe sex on there so just let me know if y’all have any ideas on how you want that let me know.

President Pro tempore Rawson- I dont think we have the steps with us but we made them at retreat; step one is consent, step two is condom, step three lube, and step four I don’t think we have step four but haha

Senator Donnelley- The authors should develop those outside of the meeting and put it on the bill for approval

Senator Matus- there should be an intermediate step between consent and lube, we will chat after this
Senator Teufel- It'd be beneficial if you guys come up with a few ideas and go ahead and see what everyone supports the most and then insert it into the bill.

Vice President Matheny- Seeing no more discussion I will entertain a motion to table.

President pro tempore Rawson- So moved

Senator Donnelley- Seconded

Vice President Matheny- This motion passes.

President Pro tempore Rawson- I move to form an ad-hoc committee named the governing documents review committee and this committee shall be comprised of President Dye, AG Satterfield, myself, College senator shoemaker, Senator Cunningham, Senator Helm, and Senator Ihlenfeld.

Senator Teufel-Seconded

Vice President Matheny-Motion passes. I will now entertain a motion to recess for executive committee sessions.

Senator Donnelley- So moved

College senator Dillie- Seconded

Vice President Matheny-Motion passes, break to committee sessions and whenever you’re wrapped up we will re-convene

IX. Open Student Forum 2

Vice President Matheny- Does anyone have anything to present for Open Student Forum 2?

Adia Kolb- We talked about doing a skin health event before spring break with cookies and beachballs to be handed out. Wed like to partner with the rack and distribute recipes with the
food they’re giving out with samples. Hydration stations with well wvu on weekends on high street.

Victoria Teufel- Anyone interested in women empowerment week let me know we are discussing dates and other details.

Dom- We talked about women empowerment week as well we were think March 17th. Stickers buttons pens all that stuff if y’all have ideas let me know. It’d be the week after spring break. Apart from that we need a slogan we came up with some ideas Mountain-Hers, A women worldly, things like yes she can, Herstory, If you guys have suggestions better than that let me know. Kevin has the P for E assembly will and the positivity assembly bill.

Treasurer White- If you have your SGA gear money get that to me please.

President pro tempore Rawson- If you want the word document for your legislation just contact me I always keep it

Senator Harman- I have a schedule conflict every Wednesday at 7:30 because of my RA position I may be here late or absent sometimes. I just wanted to apologize for the situation.

Meeting adjourned : 9:32