



Student Body Senate Minutes

Wednesday, January 29, 2020 at 7:00pm

Student Union, Case Study 2

- I. Call to Order** of the Student Body Senate of the Student Government Association of Oklahoma State University
- II. Roll Call**
 - a. Swearing in of New Senators, Supreme Court Justices, and Executives:
“I, *state your name*, do solemnly affirm that I will discharge to the best of my ability, the responsibilities entrusted to me, as an officer of the Student Government Association of Oklahoma State University”
- III. Pledge of Allegiance**
- IV. Approval of Minutes** of the Previous Meeting
 - a. January 22, 2020
 - i. Approved
- V. Guest Speakers and Student Concerns**
 - a. Emilie Tindle, N.E.W. Leadership Conference
 - b. Brianne McCan, O’Colly Reporter
- VI. Advisor(s) Report** – Dr. John Mark Day/Melisa Echols
 - a. **Melisa Echols**
 - i. New senators, if you do not have access to the computers in the SGA office, let Marcus or Noah know.
 - ii. If we have guest speakers or student concerns, any technology should be put away. We need to be attentive while they are speaking. If you are taking notes please use pen and paper while they speak.
- VII. President’s Report-** Kaitlyn Kirksey
 - a. Last Thursday went to Love Our Stillwater event about building a more vibrant community. We want to build a bridge between the OSU community and Stillwater community. Don’t be surprised if I ask you to promote events in Stillwater.
 - b. Met with all the college student councils and I think we started a great foundation to build a relationship with them. We want to build a relationship between SGA and the councils and we want to be engaged with them.
 - c. Application for President and Vice President is open now, it is due February 7. Be sure to share with constituents, we will not be engaging with the candidates up for election.
 - d. Intent to run dates are up, due March 1st for senators
 - e. Next Friday we will be hosting with NSO a group focused about welcome week and events for new students, please email if interested or want information, I will send out information, we really want student engagement and feedback, let your constituency know so we can have a good conversation.
- VIII. Vice President’s Report-** Kristen Ball
 - a. Mental health week committee applications due this week.

- i. This committee helps plan the week events, looking to see what Holland did and build off of it. We want to improve mental health on the campus.
- b. Last day to register to vote is next Friday.
 - i. We will be tabling about registering and helping people to that, be on the lookout for the sign up.
- c. Excited for the new events and programming we have going on.
- d. Green Student Initiative applications open, students are eligible for up to \$5,000 to do a green project on campus. Applications due March 1st.

IX. Floor Speeches

X. Unfinished Business

XI. New Business

XII. Recess for Legislation to be Forwarded to Committees

XIII. Executive Reports

a. Cabinet Executives

XIV. Supreme Court Report(s)

XV. Senate Reports

a. Committee Chairs

i. Budget – Ashley Schultz

- 1. Members I will be emailing you tonight or tomorrow.
- 2. Next meeting tomorrow at 5:30, meeting with a group tomorrow
- 3. Tell your constituencies that the budget app is open.

ii. CSO – Logan Hutto

- 1. Committee members see me after the meeting.
- 2. Not meeting tomorrow
- 3. Starting at noon next week.

iii. Internal Affairs – Aaron Carmichael

- 1. Sent an email out
- 2. Meeting tomorrow at 5 in SU 230.

iv. PAC – Noah Mead

- 1. Meet with me after so we can get information.

v. University – Luke Muller

- 1. First meeting will be on Tuesday (maybe) tba.
- 2. Ideas for legislation start emailing it to me.
- 3. Meeting with councils was a huge success, they are excited and they want to do a university Olympic event between colleges, we will be looking to sponsor that. There is a philanthropy aspect- there will be a point competition and whoever gets the most the money will go towards their philanthropy
- 4. We represent our constituents so I encourage you to reach out and talk to them about ideas or concerns and ideas. We want to build the bridge between us and our constituencies, we are here for them.
- 5. Carmichael: In regard to the meetings, do you think that would be good to make that happen every semester like in our bylaws?

- a. They want to meet a couple times a semester to continue the bond that has already started. We haven't set anything in stone but we would need to talk to them and finalize meetings with them.

b. Constituency Reports

- i.** Hutto: Name is now the College of Education and Human Sciences.
 - 1. Kirksey: How do you feel about the new name?
 - a. I do feel a little left out, but the faculty members of aviation didn't reach out but we are still in the college.
- ii.** Allen: OCSA is having a Renter's Fair, it is on Facebook and Twitter.

c. Other Senate Reports

- i.** Liaisons
- ii.** Representatives
 - 1. Board of Regents for A&M Colleges – Vacant
 - a. Nominations
 - i. Nathan Dethloff
 - b. Hickey: Motion to close nominations and elect Dethloff by acclamation.
 - c. Dethloff new representative
 - d. No report
 - 2. Board of Regents for Higher Education – Logan Hutto
 - a. No report
 - 3. Faculty Council – Ashley Schultz
 - a. No report
- d.** Vice Chair's Report – Noah Murphey
 - i.** Members of university committee, if you didn't receive a second email from me, the time for the university committee is Tuesday at 6:30, if that interferes let me know.
 - ii.** Proxy policy: One is for senate and One is for committee
 - 1. Senate are due on Wednesday at 6:30, has to be filled out by you and late will not be accepted.
 - 2. 2 absences and you can make up 1 absence with 4 extra office hours other than your monthly office hours.
 - 3. Office hours start next week.
 - 4. Chairs don't forget to reelect vice chairs.
- e.** Chair's Report – Marcus Heald
 - i.** We will finish up orientation next Wednesday.
 - ii.** Higher Education Day, February 11 if interested talk to Noah Mead, if interested with meeting with legislation let us know ASAP
 - iii.** Schultz: Does it have to be your local representative
 - 1. Not necessarily

XVI. Announcements

- a.** Secretary Wiebe: Committee proxy forms are yellow, senate proxy forms are white. Please make sure you fill out the correct form.
- b.** Allen: Last Monday marked 19 years since we lost 10 lives. It altered a lot on this campus. We are a cowboy family and a lot of people don't understand that at other places. That was shown very clearly 19 years ago. Takes some time to think about how quick life is and take time to understand that we have something special here.
- c.** Schultz: If you are in budget see me after the meeting.

XVII. Informal Discussion

XVIII. Adjournment

This agenda shall not be construed as preventing: The introduction of new legislation not listed, the reconsideration of any motion of the immediately preceding Senate meeting, or any regular procedural motion or any motions by an appropriate majority which allows the introduction and final consideration of Legislation in the same meeting so long as that legislation is listed in this agenda. Posted at 7:00pm on date February 3, 2020 by Marcus Heald, Student Body Senate Chair (sgasenate@okstate.edu) 405-744-7555

Last Name	First Name	Attendance	
Gin	Ashley	present	1
Hoelting	Daniel	present	1
Milton	Alex	present	1
Dethloff	Nathan	present	1
0	0		0
Koenig	Kirsten	absent	0
Walker	Cody	absent	0
Slagle	Craig	present	1
Marchy	Robert	present	1
Scalmanini	Mark	present	1
Hickey	Jessie	present	1
Murphey	Noah	present	1
Boyd	Hunter		0
Carmichael	Aaron	present	1
Jdiobe	Muwanika	present	1
Mead	Noah	present	1
Allen	Garrison	present	1
Harrison	Rustin	present	1
Swearingen	Cody	present	1
Taylor	Melissa	absent	0
Zlatnik	Adam	present	1
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Schultz	Ashley	present	1
Gibbs	Trent	present	1
Kent	Eliza	present	1
Martin	Kristen	present	1
Dennis	Isaac	present	1
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Ochsner	Audrey	present	1
Muller	Luke	present	1
Bonham	Rio	present	1
Dowers	Kylie	present	1
Reichenberger	Jaci	present	1
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Hutto	Logan	present	1
Anderson	Craig	present	1
Slater	Rachel	present	1
Burks	Elizabeth	present	1
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Norgaard	Aaron	present	1
Taggart	Jace	present	1
Wilson	Dallas	absent	0
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Meeting Information	
Majority	17
2/3 Majority	23
2/3 of Senate	15

