



Student Body Senate Minutes

Wednesday, February 6, 2019 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 30, 2019**
 - i. Approved.
- V. Guest Speakers and Student Concerns**
 - a. **Camp Cowboy**
 - b. **Chris Barlow, Director UHS and Interim Director UCS, and Joseph Dunnigan, Coordinator of Counseling**
- VI. Advisor(s) Report – Dr. John Mark Day/Melisa Echols**
 - a. **Melisa Echols**
 - i. Any new senators who I have not seen, I would love to hear what you want to do this semester.
 - ii. President and Vice President candidates are allowed to start campaigning. The election is March 12 and 13.
- VII. President’s Report- Chase Blevins**
 - a. Needing two people to attend the OSGA Congress which is March 8-10. Hotel and registration will be covered by SGA. You will be voting on legislation, if interested contact Chase.
 - b. Joint session is next Wednesday, and I will be talking about initiatives for this semester.
 - c. Better Angels- no cost workshop which is on February 16. It is taking an equal number of right-leaning and left-leaning individuals to have a mutual understanding discussion. If interested let me or Melisa know.
 - i. Patton: Where is the OSGA?
 1. OKC.
 - ii. Hutto: What were the dates?
 1. March 8-10
- VIII. Vice President’s Report- Vanessa Wiebe**
 - a. It’s on Us Week: Zach Kensinger has been a huge help this week. For those who have not come to events for Its on Us you should be disappointed, we have had great events and not a lot of senators attend, and no one is spreading the word. How can

we expect constituents to come if you as their Senators won't come. Please come tomorrow to the Walk and also benefit night on Friday at the Curty Shack. this is a great way to show your constituents that you care. Also share post on social media platforms

- i. Hickey: Is it true that El Vaq has extended the benefit night for night?
 - 1. Yes, and that money goes to Wings of Hope.
- ii. Ventris: What are the times for the Curty Shack benefit night?
 - 1. All night.
- iii. Kaleka: Anyone who buys Curty will 10% go or do you have to say SGA?
 - 1. You don't have to say SGA, it is anyone who buys.

IX. Unfinished Business

X. New Business

a. S19BL002: A bill providing co-sponsorship funds to the Black Graduate Student Association.

- i. Crane: What date is it on?
 - 1. March 2nd, registration cut off is February 15. If you don't register before then you can still show up!
- ii. Roll Call Vote
 - 1. 44 Yes, 0 Against, 0 Abstentions
 - 2. Passed.

XI. Recess for Legislation to be Forwarded to Committees

XII. Executive Reports

a. Cabinet Executives

XIII. Supreme Court Report(s)

XIV. Senate Reports

a. Committee Chairs

- i. Budget – Jessie Hickey
 - 1. Confusion on application so will be meeting with Melisa. We will be seeing a few bills in our upcoming meeting. You will be getting an email from me about where the location of the room will be.
- ii. CSO – Mason Martin
 - 1. Will be seeing groups next Senate.
- iii. Internal Affairs – Noah Murphey
 - 1. Meeting tomorrow at 5pm in 470b I have a piece of legislation we will be discussing. Will also be discussing what we want to accomplish and would love to have everyone come out.
- iv. PAC – Misael Hernandez
 - 1. PAC did not meet this Monday.
 - 2. Did upload a file to add things to recommend to the city in the GroupMe.
 - 3. Meeting Monday at 4pm.
- v. University – Stephanie Rojo
 - 1. Didn't meet this week.
 - 2. Will be meeting Tuesday to plan President and Vice President debates and we will be planning those in accordance to voting dates.
 - 3. Meeting will be in 470a on Tuesdays at 5pm.
 - 4. Heald: Do you have a clear picture of how the debates scheduling might go?

- a. Going to reach out to the candidates to figure out scheduling
- b. Constituency Reports**
 - i. **Jessie: Off Campus has an open seat, if you know of anyone let Jessie know and she can send them an application.**
 - ii. **Martin: Greek counsels left for international conference for sorority and fraternities.**
 - iii. **Hutto: EHA and Human Sciences are merging, this is a huge move and they are optimistic of it. It will be long drawn out and it is for the best of the colleges.**
 - 1. **Martin: Do you know what they will name the college?**
 - a. **No, they are calling it new college or FRED.**
 - 2. **Hickey: Did they talk about what the fees will look like?**
 - a. **They did not discuss those with us. Dean Wilson is optimistic, but I am not sure about the funds. You can send me an email and I will talk to them and get the answers because they want the students to know about it.**
 - 3. **Grambling: Has anything been officially moved over?**
 - a. **Nothing has been officially done yet. The Dean stepped down to faculty and he is planning on resuming his roll and so right now both colleges are under the same Dean.**
 - 4. **Martin: Is this coming from upper administration?**
 - a. **Based off my understanding it has come down from upper level management and the Deans have discussed it. This has been something that has been talked about in the past so they colleges are going to be bridging the gap.**
 - iv. **Rojo: A lot of us went to the Greek event last week and the councils gave a background on their council and what they are doing to have diversion and inclusion and working to promote that on campus. You can ask the Greek senators that were there and we would be happy to answer any questions.**
- c. Other Senate Reports**
 - i. **Liaisons**
 - 1. **OSU Tulsa – Yuki Clarke**
 - a. **No report.**
 - 2. **OSU Institute of Technology – Amanda Botts**
 - a. **Got in contact with IT SGA senator and waiting to hear back from him.**
 - b. **Career Fair as talked about at the past Senate meeting.**
 - 3. **OSU OKC – Logan Hutto**
 - a. **I have sent six emails with no response.**
 - 4. **GPSGA – Jessie Hickey**
 - a. **They are holding an informational session tomorrow.**
 - 5. **FRC – Ashley Gin**

- a. Still discussing campus projects for semester.
- b. Any ideas, let us know.
 - i. Botts: Do you think that FRC would be interested about the water crusade at the Colvin?
 - 1. Maybe, we are discussing a water fountain recommendation.
 - ii. Albright: What about campus lighting?
 - 1. Improving lighting on different areas on campus.
 - iii. Rojo: would FRC like to work with university committee?
 - 1. Yes .

6. OU – Jessie Hickey

- a. No report.

ii. Representatives

- 1. Board of Regents for A&M Colleges – Marcus Heald
 - a. Next meeting March 5.
- 2. Board of Regents for Higher Education – Joshua Fisher
 - a. Next meeting March 27.
- 3. Faculty Council – Ashley Schultz
 - a. First meeting is next Tuesday

d. Vice Chair’s Report – Jaden Kasitz

- i. If there are questions about office hours, contact me, not Holland. Sign your name by your slot where the paper is by the mailboxes (on the small table by Erica’s desk). If you want to change your time permanently or did different hours this week, that is what the blank space is on the sign in sheet. Sign your name and write what you did.

e. Chair’s Report – Holland Gray

- i. Joint Session will be next week in Case Study 2 at 7:00pm, attire is business casual.
- ii. If you aren’t assigned to a committee, let Holland know.
- iii. If you have not went through an orientation, let Holland know.
- iv. Let me know your thoughts and opinions on Mr. Halvorsen’s visit (NYT Rep).

XV. Announcements

- a. SAB Applications closes Friday.
- b. Homecoming Steering Applications due Friday.
- c. Order of Omega, Greek honor society, applications due February 26 at 5pm.
- d. Show up to Its on Us events.
- e. Support groups that come for budget request so show up to their events!
- f. Will be going to Burns house March 15.
- g. Don’t forget that Cowboython event is February 16.

XVI. Informal Discussion

XVII. 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 6:00pm on February 11, 2019 by Holland Gray, Student Body Senate Chair (sgasenate@okstate.edu) 405-744-7555

Last Name	First Name	Attendance	
Carmichael	Aaron	present	1
Gin	Ashley	present	1
Ventris	Jacob	present	1
Munholland	Wyatt	present	1
Curtis	Riley	present	1
Crane	Kayleigh	present	1
Martin	Mason	present	1
Rojo	Stephanie	present	1
Hernandez	Misael	present	1
Kensinger	Zach	present	1
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Tindle	Emilie	present	1
Botts	Amanda	present	1
Hickey	Jessie	present	1
Mead	Noah	present	1
Jdiobe	Muwanika	present	1
Heald	Marcus	present	1
Burger	Jacob	present	1
Kaleka	Franklin	proxy	1
Terry	Zach	present	1
Clarke	Yuki	proxy	1
Kironget	Laura	present	1
Fisher	Joshua	present	1
Murphey	Noah	present	1
Ludvigson	Phillip	present	1
Dougherty	Payton	present	1
Dennis	Isaac	present	1
Smith	Lauren	present	1
Schultz	Ashley	present	1
Compean	Lexi	present	1
Patton	Eden	present	1
Muller	Luke	present	1
Taylor	Truitt	present	1
Auer	Jacob	present	1
Degner	Cooper	present	1
Kasitz	Jaden	absent	0
Dumbauld	Callie	present	1
Dowers	Kylie	present	1
Hackler	Bailey	present	1
Hendrick	Taylor	present	1
Hutto	Logan	present	1
Slater	Rachel	present	1
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Mikell	Jazmyn	absent	0

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Evans	Grant	present	1
Smith	Samuel	present	1
Albright	Michael	present	1
Gramling	Justine	present	1
Van Duser	Tyler	present	1
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Current Meeting Information	
Simple Majority	24
Two Thirds Majority	31
Two Thirds of Senate	18

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Last Name	First Name	Vote	For	Against	Abstentions	
Carmichael	Aaron	y	1	0	0	1
Gin	Ashley	y	1	0	0	1
Ventris	Jacob	y	1	0	0	1
Munholland	Wyatt	y	1	0	0	1
Curtis	Riley	y	1	0	0	1
Crane	Kayleigh	y	1	0	0	1
Martin	Mason	y	1	0	0	1
Rojo	Stephanie	y	1	0	0	1
Hernandez	Misael	y	1	0	0	1
Kensinger	Zach	y	1	0	0	1
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Hickey	Jessie	y	1	0	0	1
Mead	Noah	y	1	0	0	1
Jdiobe	Muwanika	y	1	0	0	1
Heald	Marcus	y	1	0	0	1
Burger	Jacob	y	1	0	0	1
Kaleka	Franklin	y	1	0	0	1
Terry	Zach	y	1	0	0	1
Clarke	Yuki	y	1	0	0	1
Kironget	Laura	y	1	0	0	1
Fisher	Joshua	y	1	0	0	1
Murphey	Noah		0	0	0	0
Ludvigson	Phillip	y	1	0	0	1
Dougherty	Payton	y	1	0	0	1
Dennis	Isaac	y	1	0	0	1
Smith	Lauren	y	1	0	0	1
Schultz	Ashley	y	1	0	0	1
Compean	Lexi	y	1	0	0	1
Patton	Eden	y	1	0	0	1
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Auer	Jacob	y	1	0	0	1
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Dowers	Kylie	y	1	0	0	1
Hackler	Bailey	y	1	0	0	1
Hendrick	Taylor	y	1	0	0	1
Hutto	Logan	y	1	0	0	1
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Albright	Michael	y	1	0	0	1
Gramling	Justine	y	1	0	0	1
Van Duser	Tyler	y	1	0	0	1
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If Majority

PASSED

If Two Thirds

PASSED

Current Meeting Information	
Simple Majority	24
Two Thirds Majority	31
Two Thirds of Senate	33

Current Vote Information	
Votes Left For Majority	-20
Votes Left for Two Thirds	-13
For	44
Against	0
Abstentions	0