# Student Assembly Minutes February 24, 2014

# 1. Call to Order and Roll Call

# 2. Old Business

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- Confirmation of new 2017 representatives
- Leah Parker
- Cesar Renero
- The new representatives are confirmed
- Meredith Bonham: Thursday's drill
- Everyone should practice what they would do in an active shooter situation
- Outdoor sirens will be activated
- If you are outside, take shelter inside
- If you are inside, close the door and blinds, stay silent and away from windows until the "all clear" is announced
- Raise awareness of this type of situation
- Max Schnidman: funding discussion and possible language
- Codified ways to regulate discretion we use when funding organizations
- Food and entertainment are two very expensive and controversial
- Recommended maximums for funding meals (though not mandated)
- \$8 per student if food is central to the event; \$4 food is not a central part of the event
- What does "central" mean? Ex: Is food central to the Super Bowl event?
- Change \$4 to \$5 if food is not a central part of the event
- Motion to pass food policy regarding funding passes
- Lia Parker Belfer: Y
- Ryan Ong: Y
- Felipe Garcia: Y
- Patrick Bedard: Y
- Alexandra Rudow: Y
- Libby Chamberlin: Y
- Tara Huggins: Y
- Grant Meglis: absent

Marla Marquez: absent

Gipper Gailor: Y

Catherine Cooper: Y

Savannah Alvarado: Y

Chip Sinton: N Sara Nolan: Y

Abigail Armstrong: Y Austin Engros: Y

TC Topp: Y

Jordan Zeng: absent

Jose Olivares: N Jeremy Mathurin: Y Matias Wolansky: Y

Farzad Khosravi: Y Pheobe Greenwald: Y

Bowin Lee: Y

Hunter Sobczak: Y Leah Parker: Y Cesar Renero: N

Andrew Fischer: Y Alex Hollister: Y

Benjamin Schafer: Y

# 4. Funding

Amount remaining prior to Student Assembly meeting 2/24: \$12,694.43 Rollbacks: \$136 from SLU

Total requested from Spring 2014 budget (excluding holds): \$12,662.88 Total recommended from Spring 2014 budget (excluding holds): \$5497.78 Amount remaining if recommended funding passes 2/24: \$6742.14

Funding for \$1027.14 for CSA passes Funding for South Asian Students Association passes Funding for La Vanguardia is denied Discretionary funding discussion will be tabled for next week The rest of funding passes

- Notes:
- When requesting stickers, please see the Hamilton College printshop@hamilton.edu
- When submitting proposals, click the box to receive a copy of your

<sup>\*</sup>See attached funding document

report, that way you can make edits to your proposals.

# 5. Committee Reports

- Constitution
- Funding codes revision discussion (see above)
- Cultural Affairs
- Cultural food truck series
- Facilities
- Climbing wall update: \$300 spent each year to update holds on the climbing wall
- Staff appreciation day planning this week
- Meeting this week is later in the week, not on Tuesday
- Food
- Met last Friday and discussed glutton-free options and labeling things clearly
- No meeting this week
- Health and Safety
- Meeting this Wednesday at 8:00pm in Sadove
- Better lighting in certain spots at night
- Philanthropy
- Super-smash bros tournament fundraiser
- Talks about Silent Auction
- Social Traditions
- Beginning to plan a sports tailgate
- Meetings now at 8:30pm
- Student Interests
- Successful "Student Interests Coffee Hour" on Sunday
- Had meeting at 4:00pm today
- Collect remnants of umbrella-share program
- Technology
- Meeting this Sunday at 5:00pm in Sadove

### 6. Announcements

- Sadove Mural Artists had to reschedule but will be at next week's meeting
- STOP Day is on February 26

Write cards to thank donors who help fund Hamilton after tuition money runs out