

Student Government Association

Senate Meeting

February 24, 2009

6:30 Meeting called to order by Chair Drinkard

6:31 Prayer led by Senator Tatum

6:31 Pledge of Allegiance led by Sergeant at Arms Senator Barnett

6:32 Mission statement recited

As representatives of Troy University we commit to excellence in leadership through service, enthusiasm, and Trojan Pride.

6:32 Roll called by Secretary Hooper

Quorum present

6:33 Chair recognized Karli Jeter, STARS Coordinator

Higher Education Day will be March 5th. We will depart from Trojan Center at 7:30 on chartered buses and return by 2:00. Senators are asked to all bring at least one guest, but encourage others to attend as well. The theme will be "Don't let the lights go out on Alabama..let our stars shine." Please make signs and continue to encourage students to attend.

Chair recognized Adam Turnipseed to speak about Collegiate Legislature. Turnipseed expressed that it is an opportunity to learn and improve leadership skills and learn about bills. This year the theme is "I heart C-Leg." It is March 5-7th. Please contact William Fillmore for registration information.

6:43 Broke into Senate committees

6:44 Meeting called back to order by Chair Drinkard

6:40 Committee Reports

Senator Rana-Academic Life

Committee is still researching effectiveness of Teacher evaluations.

Senator Ash-Student Welfare

No report

Senator Angstadt-Constitution and Rules

No report

Senator Soltis-Student Life

Committee is working on a way for organizations to not have to pay for using on campus facilities when having food.

Senator Finerty-Publicity

No report

6:47 Docket

Senator Angstadt made the motion to remove the Constitution and Rules of the Philosophy Club off docket. The motion carried and the Constitution and Rules of the Philosophy club will be recognized.

7:06 New Business

Senator Earman made the motion to discuss the pros and cons of switching to hanging decals for vehicles parking on campus versus the sticker decals.

Senator Caudle made the motion to discuss the pros and cons of adding a ban on skateboarding on campus to the Oracle.

7:06 Executive Announcements

President Parr

No report

Vice President of Campus Activities Davis

The Outstanding Women of the Year will be informed this week.

Secretary Hooper

The SGA Banquet will be April 14th. The attire is semi-formal.

Please refer to the Constitution for information on unexcused absences. Two tardies to meetings or two office hours not worked results in an unexcused absence.

Please remember to make signs for Higher Ed Day.

Director of Elections Harrison

Please remember to work the elections at the designated time.

Please inform candidates that their campaign materials should be taken down immediately.

Chair Drinkard

No report

Freshman Forum Directors

No report

International Student Forum

Will be attending Higher Education Day.

7:24 Meeting adjourned