# Spokane Community College Associated Student Government Little Bigfoot Room, Building 6 November 27, 2012 3:00 p.m.

### Call to Order

Meeting called to order at 2:59 p.m. by Jason Heath

## Attendance

Attendance taken at 2:59 p.m.

Jason Heath, Student Activities Chair	Present
Leila Hall, Director of Emergency Services	Present
Andy Duncan, Director of Student and Club Affairs	Present
Daron Williams, Director of Legislative Issues	Present
Nickole Morgan, Director of Administrative Services	Present
Kellie McCracken, Senator of Arts and Sciences	Present
Ryan Jackson, Senator of Technical Education	Present
Heather Cochran, Senator of Health & Environmental Science	Present
Juan Sanchez, Senator of Business, Hospitality, Info Tech	Present
Charlie King, Promotions Coordinator	Present
Alisha Womack, SAC Programmer of Participation Activities	Present
Angelica Feliciano, SAC Programmer of Issues and Awareness	Present
Jeremy Caudill, SAC Programmer of Comedy and Concerts	Present
Bruce Steele, SAC Advisor	

#### Prior Minutes.

Minutes for November 6 were approved by voice vote. Minutes for November 13 were amended and approved by voice vote. Minutes for November 20 were approved by voice vote.

### **Introduction of Guests and Club Members**

Sandy Barakat	ACC
Sean Womack	BSU
Brian Daily	Computer
Joe Barnett	Disc Golf
Karena Burns	DECA
Taylor Dewitt	Gamers
Michael Weston	LDSSA
Erick Herandez	NASO
Glenn Talmage	NSLS
Andrew Valenzuela	Outdoor
Anthony Bennet	Rho Beta Psi
Nick Craig	SANE

Chris Goyette	Car
Brad Laird	Players
Nic Krell	Woodsman
Rachel Retherford	Researchers

### Announcements

- Tree of Sharing
  - Presents should be turned in by December 3.
- Equity and Diversity
  - Attempting universal design for all new buildings and furniture.
  - Concerned with Green crosswalk.
- Student Handbook
  - There was a misprint in the Student Handbooks, Dead Day is on December 10.
- ASG Facebook and Twitter
  - Facebook: Spokane Community College Student Leadership
  - Twitter: @SCCASG1

Officer Reports Juan Sanchez, Senator of Proftech My Report:

- 1) <u>Students</u>: The biggest project I'm working on, along with the rest of ASG, is figuring out how to get students that are not in clubs more involved with their school and student government.
- 2) Smoking Conditions at SCC: After pounding the pavement and speaking with students, I decided to start hanging posters around campus to inspire student participation on this issue. My intent is to collect these posters during the second week of Winter quarter, use the suggestions hopefully written on the posters and generate a survey/poll for the students, faculty, and staff at SCC. With the survey results I can create a report for the Facilities Committee and hopefully begin the process for changing the smoking conditions at SCC. Also, recent marijuana legalization calls into question the proximity of (Based on the data I have gathered at this point, my guess is that SCC will have more covered smoke areas strategically located, and that the existing covered smoke areas will be re-located. The dream of a tobacco-free campus does not align with the student demographic at SCC).
- 3) <u>Multipurpose Field</u>: I am working with clubs to refocus the use of the field located north of Building 27 and adjacent to the soccer field. Initially, the Woodsmen's Club approached me with the intent of creating a field so that they may practice for their various events and competitions. I floated the idea to the Facilities Committee during the November meeting, and the recommendation was made that I look at the previously mentioned field. The Woodsmen's Club stated that the field would be appropriate for their use, and I recommended to other clubs

that the field be used. I am in the process of researching how difficult it would be to build or set-up club specific items for the field; the Woodsmen require a small storage shed to store equipment, Disc golf could set up some baskets, and Extreme Bocce could set-up a court. Additionally, there is a question about how these events would affect the business occurring in Building 27.

- 4) <u>Constitution Committee</u>: I am working with a group of ASG members to restructure the current ASG Constitution and Bylaws. I have been fortunate enough to speak with Advisors from other community colleges and reap the benefits of their experiences with constitution and bylaw revisions; ideally our struggles will be lessened through their insight.
- 5) <u>Club Interaction</u>: I have made it my purpose to be directly involved with the clubs I represent. I have been attending regularly scheduled meetings for some of the clubs in an attempt to bridge the gap between ASG and students. The response from clubs has been amazing. (One of the clubs was so appreciative of ASG presence that we got a tour of the facilities and I was inspired to join!). These meetings have also given me a chance to interact directly with faculty and address concerns that they have witnessed through their years of experience.

# Jason Heath, SAC Chair

Mission Statement: To assist the student activities programmers to provide the best possible programming and events for the student population while maintaining oversight of the Student Activities budgets and the content being provided in compliance with the CCS equal opportunity disclaimer.

# **Talking Points**

- During the early part of the quarter we as ASG found ourselves with a vacuum of leadership and were forced to use my position as an interim president of the ASG. I successfully directed the day to day operations of the office to work in an efficient and professional manner.
- In an effort to try to be more frugal with student funds I have worked with the programmers to create opportunities for students, local entertainment, and local speakers to be presented as opposed to spending \$2000 or more for nationally touring acts and guests. I have embedded this philosophy of use local and save money upon all of the SAC Programmers.
- In an effort to improve student life at SCC I have been analyzing and brainstorming ideas for the remodel of the "game room" in the basement of the lair and re-designate it as a student lounge that is better suited to the relaxation of the majority of the student body.

- I have been the voice of the SCC student body and this office to the CCS Board of Trustees, bringing back information and understanding from the district level to the student.

BSU	Snowball dance on December 14 from 8 PM to 11
	PM in the Lair. Admission without a book or toy
	donation is \$4.00 for a single person or \$8.00 for a
	couple. Admission with a book or toy donation is
	\$2.50 for a single person or \$5.00 for a couple. All
	toy and book donations will be donated for
	Christmas gifts to the childcare center at SCC and
	Spokane Martin Luther King Center.
Gamers	End of quarter party December 14, 8 am to 8 pm.
	Using \$200 of their budget for the Tree of Sharing.
Players	1 act festival next quarter, looking for scripts.
	Scripts need to be turned in to Adam Sharp by
	January 4, 2013. Will be the only college
	participating in Spokane's First Night. Performance
	at the Downtown library at 7, 8, and 9. The theme
	for the performance will be Twilight Zone.
Woodsmen	Sponsoring two families from the Tree of Sharing.
Speak Out	Donating \$299 to Peer to Peer/Got Your Six.

## **Club Reports**

New Business/Additions to the Agenda

### Ambassadors

### **PROPOSAL:**

Increase Ambassador budget by \$3,400.

#### **MOTION:**

"I move we approve to transfer \$1,900 from ASG contingency to Ambassadors " – Nickole Morgan

Seconded: Heather Cochran

#### AMDENDMENT:

"I move we revisit the remainder of the budget request no later than the fourth week of winter quarter." – Jason Heath

Seconded: Jeremy Caudill

## VOTE:

Yes: 13

No: 0

Abstained: 2

### AMENDED MOTION VOTE:

Yes: 13

No: 0

Abstained: 2

**Open Discussion** 

# Adjournment

3:41 by Daron Williams and Jason Heath