



BUCKNELL STUDENT GOVERNMENT October 19, 2014 - MINUTES

- I. **Call to Order**
- II. **Approval of Last Week's Minutes**
 - a. Approved
- III. **Attendance**
 - a. Congress: 50/58 present
 - b. Advisors: Kari Conrad and Dan Remley
 - c. Guests: Josh Hartman and IRHA
- IV. **Guest Speakers:**
 - a. **Josh Hartman, Director of Residential Education**
 1. IRHA President: Sarah Hayakawa
 2. Each hall council has exec members
 3. First meeting this Tuesday in Lari Dining hall
 4. Goal: create sense of community within each building + generate pride
 5. Collab. with ACE, BSG, CAP Center
 6. Conducted leadership summit for each hall council with training session and goal setting
 7. RA's are co-advising hall councils
 8. All meetings are open
 9. RA's still have money for programs; IHRA supplements this
 - b. **Josh Hartman & Dean Remley on Housing Options**
 1. Opening new residence hall
 2. Clumping class years and housing
 3. Downtown housing numbers sent out
 - a. Mixed reactions
 4. Next Fall Roberts is being destroyed
 - a. Renovation will take more than just one summer
 - b. Will not run out of beds because of this
 5. Changes to health need housing
 - a. Can't bring 3 friends along with you to gateway
 6. First one to email me a selfie with Loren from this week gets a prize. You must go up to her and take the selfie without explaining why, then run away immediately.
 7. Major shifts
 - a. Vedder and Smith will mostly be Firstyears; no more Lofts
 - b. South Campus Apts and Gateways will be for juniors and seniors (can't pull in sophs)

- c. Trax, kress, lari, harison, and lari cottage (res alum)
- d. Roberts closed for spring 2016
- e. Mods and affinity housing will be open to ALL class years
- f. Affinity housing and other will still be done pre-housing lottery

V. Updates

- a. Loren Jablon, President
 - 1. Update on Board of Trustees Weekend
 - a. Trustees want to work on student leaders and make leaders out of every student
 - b. Leadership training programs
 - 2. Update on Collegiate Readership Mailbox Stuffers
 - 3. Student Leadership & Media Luncheons
 - a. Monday, October 20 at noon
 - b. Results of e-vote
 - i. Passed
 - 4. Next Week's Guest Speaker – Dining Services (John Cummins, David Freeland) and Finance (Lori Wilson)
 - a. Requested Y-O-Y Sales/Foot Traffic Statistics
- b. Whitney Tatem, Vice President of Operations
 - 1. New Members!
 - 2. ORB Update
- c. Walker Brady, Vice President of Finance
 - 1. Student At-Large Committee Applications due on 10/15
 - a. Working on filling these by Tuesday
 - 2. No meeting because of Fall Break but will meet on 10/21
- d. CJ Moy, Vice President of Administration
 - 1. Scavenger Hunt Results
 - a. Winner: Alex Rosen
 - b. Runner-up: Shiqi Jiang
 - 2. Superstar: Alice Butler

VI. Old Business

VII. New Business

- a. **Discussion of Constitution and Bylaws**
 - 1. Make constitution less vague, less holes, clarify language
 - 2. Revote
 - 3. Running under old constitution which is a mess and new bylaws
 - a. Some contradictions
 - 4. Open for discussion
 - 5. Having one position per committee be blind application based
 - 6. Need to have proposed changes by next Sunday
- b. **Homecoming game water bottles**
 - 1. Public affairs – Mark Merino
 - 2. Working on logo
 - 3. Asking for \$600 / 500 bottles
 - 4. Motion passes: Approved: 48 / Denied: 0 / Abstained: 2
- c. ***~*~PanHel Halloween SpOoKtAcUIAr~*~***
 - 1. Community affairs – Taylor McCready
 - 2. Lollipop ghost crafts

3. Asking for volunteers
4. Asking for \$50
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VIII. Committee Reports

- a. Academic:
 1. TYPO applications
 2. Bring together students from Engineering/A&S/MGMT in an event
- b. Community:
 1. Sign up for Spooktacular
- c. Diversity
 1. Stop the Hate was successful
 2. Motion for diversity summit coming
- d. Public
 1. 3 new members
 2. Got quote for massage chairs
 3. Passed homecoming giveaway
- e. Advocacy:
 1. Set date for campus climate panel
 - a. Nov 11, 7-930 in Trout
 - b. Focus on suggestions in survey for themes
 - c. Greek/Non greek, dining, sexual harassment
 - d. IN Network, applications
 - e. Have dinner for panel, exec, committee, JBrav the night before
 - f. Motion coming next week
- f. Judiciary:
 1. New members chosen
- g. ORB:
 1. Finally got meeting time
 2. Approved 2 orgs

IX. External Committee Reports

- a. myBucknell Envisioning Team (Jablon)
 1. Hoping to have new portal up by next Fall
- b. Dining (Elaine Lac)
 1. Bison changes

X. Class Updates

- a. 2015 – Colin Hassell
 1. Sent out speaker list to Andy Hirsch
 2. Discussion on class gift
- b. 2016 – Connor
 1. Successful unity event
- c. 2017 – Nina Nevarez
 1. Fundraising with Pizza Phi
- d. 2018 – Pat Newhart
 1. First unity event this Thursday (take 2)

XI. Campus Pulse

- a. Humans vs Zombies starting this Friday

- b. Japan Society; make your own sushi at craft center
- c. Office of Admissions needs prospective student hosts
- d. Sign up for student calling
- e. BASA having lunch this Friday (its free)
- f. Concert this weekend

XII. Advisor Comments

- a. Looking for new exec members.....chat with DC if you're interested

XIII. Adjournment

- a. Bring in the dancing lobsters