



BUCKNELL STUDENT GOVERNMENT
November 16, 2014 - Minutes

- I. Call to Order**
- II. Approval of Last Week's Minutes**
 - a. Approved
- III. Attendance**
 - a. 47/57 congress members present
 - b. 4/4 executive board members present
 - c. Advisors: Kari Conrad, Dan Remley
 - d. Guest Speaker: Mike Duignan
- IV. Guest Speaker: Mike Duignan, CAP Center Director**
 - a. LOL Series
 - 1. Working with clubs and orgs about management, rules and reg, media, IN Network, and transitions with purpose
 - 2. About 40 clubs have shown up
 - 3. 5 clubs have been certified
 - b. CAP Center
 - 1. Making it more "welcoming"
 - 2. Presence on Facebook even if notifications are annoying
 - 3. Adult trykes! Stop by to use it
 - 4. CAP Center open house on Halloween with snacks
 - 5. Appreciates student input and suggestions
 - 6. Trying to revive Uptown
- V. Updates**
 - a. Loren Jablon, President
 - 1. Busy week - Successful Campus Climate Panel, Diversity Leadership Summit, & Community Affairs Events!
 - 2. Town Gown Meeting
 - 3. Administration Meeting Tomorrow – 10 AM
 - b. Whitney Tatem, Vice President of Operations
 - 1. Exec Elections
 - 2. Debate – Mandatory Participation from BSG
 - c. Walker Brady, Vice President of Finance
 - 1. Weekly Update
 - d. CJ Moy, Vice President of Administration
 - 1. Superstar of the Week
 - 2. Plaque Vote to Follow

VI. Old Business

VII. New Business

- a. **Dunkin' Drive**, Public Affairs
 1. Set up by downhill and uphill entrances, 11-1pm Monday
 2. Suggestion cards/whiteboards
 3. Casual conversations with BSG members
 4. 12 boxes of hot coco, boxes of munchkins
 5. \$400 requested
 6. Vote – Approve: 45 *Passed* Deny: 0 Abstain: 2
- b. **Congress Incentives**, Public affairs
 1. Long sleeve shirts
 2. Leather portfolios
 3. \$2400 (overestimating cost to be safe)
 4. Vote – Approve: 41 *Passed* Deny: 4 Abstain: 2
- c. **Zero Waste Dinner**, Academic affairs
 1. Tuesday 18 November
 2. Bostwick cafeteria
 3. Subsidize meal for 30 non-first years to encourage participation
 4. Vote – Approve: 40 *Passed* Deny: 2 Abstain: 5
- d. **Executive Office Plaques**, VP of Administration CJ Moy
 1. Vote – Approve: 35 *Passed* Deny: 0 Abstain: 12

VIII. Fake Business

- a. **Dancing lobsters**, Office of the VP Admin
 1. Requesting \$500 to hire actual dancing lobsters for next week's final congress meeting
 2. Vote – Approve: 1 Deny: 46 Abstain: 0
 3. Motion failed, dancing lobsters will not be brought in
- b. **Presidential term limits**, office of the President
 1. Proposal to remove term limits and senior restrictions on the BSG President position
 2. Also cancel elections for the presidency
 3. Other exec board, class exec, and chair positions will be abolished
 4. All senate and house delegate positions will also be abolished
- c. **Adult tricycles**, Public Affairs
 1. Motion to order one giant tricycle for each member of congress
 2. This will be in addition to the long sleeve t's, leather portfolios, engraved bottles of Johnny Walker Blue, and puppies to be handed out.
- d. **Facial Hair Contest**, Pubic Affairs
 1. The congress member with the best facial hair will be voted on at the next congress meeting. Contest open to all BSG members. All.
- e. **Weekly challenge**: Draw a picture of Nigel Thornberry on a public whiteboard or chalkboard (library, classroom, LC, dorm door whiteboards etc) and send me a selfie of yourself with it. *Everyone* who submits by next Saturday night will be rewarded. No sharing drawings/cheating.



IX. Committee Reports

- a. Academic – Zero waste
- b. Advocacy – step two of campus climate panel
- c. Community – Made 20 baskets for Thanksgiving, sign up for the Victorian Day Parade
- d. Diversity – Successful luncheon, discussion about getting “diverse” involvement in diversity issues and orgs
- e. Judiciary – none
- f. ORB – Bisons First and Roots and Shoots approved as orgs
- g. Public – Dunkin Donuts drive Wednesday, BSG swag, Fast Food frenzy, massage chairs

X. External Committee Reports

XI. Class Updates

- a. Seniors – Bob Woodruff, finalizing senior tribute
- b. Juniors – finalizing flag design, Pizza Phi Fundraising
- c. Sophomores – switch from shirts to stickers or waterbottles
- d. First-years – made class crest

XII. Campus Pulse

- a. Tuesday another community dinner lead by Posse Scholars
- b. Zero Waste dinner
- c. Last football game this Saturday
- d. Mandatory Debate on Wednesday
- e. Cafsgiving this Thursday
- f. Thursday exec elections on the IN Network

XIII. Advisor Comments

XIV. Adjournment

- a. Bring in the dancing lobsters