

Minutes January 17, 2005

I. Call to order

II. Attendance

III. Reading and Accepting of the minutes, Warner, seconded Wendling

IV. Senate Business-COSGA-contact immediately, the longer you wait the more it costs
Executive Report-Abbie Tang has gotten an internship and had to resign as sec of media, became over extended. Put education first which is what we expect. Reads the letter from Abbie Tang, motion for ovation

Alcohol Task force-recommendation for revision, reads recommendation, would like us to open discussion during new business, President Tribble accepted all recommendations; one thing that was looked at is because it will be considered a pilot semester. Open to questions

Sen. Deeley- wants to know whether or not there was a profit

Scheel-will there be alcohol at games

Egan-permitted in village retail only? Not in residential?

Bell that is correct

Simpson- what if you have consumed alcohol at the restaurants and came on to campus?

Bell – thinks that as long as you are not at risk or threatening someone else you would not be in trouble

Grace-confused about football games

Bell will get back to you how it is specified

Ruud-might be able to buy and sell alcohol in new SC?

Bell have not made policy on it yet when they reconvene.

Deeley-have we conducted Public Opinion?

Bell we have conducted town hall meeting and had senators pass them out

Deeley-what are the results?

Bell on aggregate levels students are in favor will get back to you

Close questions

Recommendation bc reviewing dif between resolution and declaration

Warner are they the same thing

Justice Word- has not been put in writing, for clarification it is up for interpretation

Bell recommends looking at Bylaws and clarify language on what they are and vote on it

Deeley will look over it for next session

Bell please use advisor, justice, and VP of senate

Update last week of March for tentative elections, board appointees almost done

Reminder- that grade checks are due, please print out or turn in name and student ID and OSL will check for us in case of privacy concerns

Email had attachments for committee members to fill applications for open senate seats

Discussion reminder about freshmen class academic achievement, overall numbers are disappointing. Would love to work with the senate

Grace-what is the problem?

Bell a large number of freshmen class is returning on academic probation

Cowan what are the numbers?

They vary however they are extreme

Creasman-over 250 on academic probation

Green-is committee for retention or improve grades

Bell it would most likely establish that there is a problem and then perhaps coming up with ideas to better numbers
 Layman-serves retention committee, they are working on the problem as a whole, if it's the same thing is it necessary?
 Bell if you would like to update senate and perhaps head student effort
 Eggenberger-CNU community lost a freshmen student who passed away , are starting scholarship fund in her name; set up table in Breezeway SGA sign up for shift
 Committee Reports-school transportation as parking services must go through athletic dept and scheduling
 Ruud-we have come up with red cross, perhaps battle of the bands
 Open discussion Warner, commends and fees are good idea, will it be open to all students
 Word should base it on the prize
 Grace base charge on prize
 Creasman-why even have a prize
 Simspon-young student bands want exposure and we could just say its for a good cause
 Ruud-are we still going to charge a fee
 Wendling only campus students? Who is the money coming from
 Grace agrees with Simpson and Creasman
 Deeley bands should perform for the sake of the cause, leave a donations box and patrons donate
 Cowan-recommended amount could work
 Green-title in itself would be the prize, perhaps CLOG could do a spread
 Wendling-to clarify there would not be admissions fee, maybe we can make a mock trophy
 Deeley-yearly event is a good idea, proceeds from merchandise in part should go to cause
 Wendling-
 Grace-details should go to scheel and Ruud, move to close discussion
 Ruud will not make final decisions until Farooq comes back
 Judkins-will anyone volunteer to help Deeley
 Warner-please go back to the ICA and ask if people will volunteer members
 Deeley would like people from clubs in question to contact him
 Creasman-question about ICA members serving on committee
 Word-no that cannot
 Deeley-wants to clarify exceptions
 Warner-clarify as long as they do not attend ICA meetings they may aid in committee
 Old Business
 New Business-
 Open discussion about Alcohol task force- Deeley thinks this is a mistake
 Cowan- doesn't believe that having it on campus will change whether or not people drink on campus
 Egan- agrees
 Ruud-illegal drinkers will not change
 Grace- they cannot take it out will be contained
 Warner-vendors in CNU village are third parties
 Bell catering might increase profits
 Deeley is afraid community will blame CNU for behavior and will damage it

Cowan-they can drink off campus if they are of age

Layman-Mary Wa. is an example of a school that does not have a bad reputation, might be harder to get vendors without alcohol

Morrison-second the fact that there are many who believe that part of being in college is being treated like an adult

Grace-move to close, wending

Deeley-would like to open discussion, seconded warner

Warner-would like someone to look into it

Deeley will write and then email to everyone too see what they think, then will have a proposal

Grace-make sure you talk to judicial branch, would also like to make a comment about freshmen, is important for us to really find out what is going on ,and should have a freshmen senator

Word thinks that it might be a problem to aid with wording for "declaration", Colvin agrees that it might be a crossing of powers

Deeley would ask for opinion not help in writing, wants to make sure it will write

Word would like it to go to Pres Bell first and then to her, keep the process as is

Deeley will do so

Motion to adjourn, seconded Grace