

## Senate Meeting 2/6-06

- I. Call to Order: 5.25 pm
- II. Attendance: Absent: Senator Diggs
- III. Reading and accepting of the minutes:
  - i. Senator Jaeschke: Move to waive and accept minutes
  - ii. Unanimous consent
- IV. Senate Business
  - i. Representative Lacy: ICA Liaison: Presidents club is meeting tonight, ecology club
  - ii. VP Grace: print off grades for requirement.
- V. Unfinished Business
  - i. Justice Brooks: Bill, no excused absences, Constitution allows excused absences. You have 2 absences to use at your discretion. How to handle: if your first absence is being sick, can be excused by writing a letter.
- VI. New Business
  - i. Five minute recess to read over bills.
  - ii. Senate Proposal 01:06
    - i. Senator Pearisich: Why not make a proposal to allow alumni of the university to have student discount rates
    - ii. Senator Bailey: Move to open discussion
    - iii. Senator Jaeschke: If we drop alumni rates, how will we make up the shortfall that we would otherwise miss out.
    - iv. Senator Bailey: Have the makers of the billed looked into this?
    - v. Senator Pearisich: Discount rates hurt someone, help alumni out.
    - vi. Senator Stump: Could bring in more alumni, bring in fundraisers,
    - vii. Senator Jaeschke: Center for Arts could set own prices? Own entity?
    - viii. Sgt. At Arms Dermer: We have no power to alter this, this is voice of students
    - ix. Senator Jaeschke: Move to change wording, "All CNU alumni should receive"
    - x. Senator Bailey: How to tell if people are alumni
    - xi. Senator Greene: We have alumni association
    - xii. Senator Bailey: you have to have your name put on it.
    - xiii. Senator Pearisich: No longer charging to become part of alumni association
    - xiv. President Farooq: Still a fee, just reduced, contacted someone to understand why we do have discounts
    - xv. VP Grace: have a limit, to as how long it is allowed

- xvi. Senator Greene: Move to extend debate
  - 1. Senator Bailey: Second
  - 2. 17-2-0
- xvii. Senator Rankin: Good wording, we can amend right now and vote on it.
- xviii. Sgt. At Arms Dermer: Move to amend wording "CNU alumni should receive discounted prices on admission. . . ."
  - 1. Unanimous consent
- xix. Move to vote
  - 1. 16-0-0, act passes
- iii. senate proposal 02:06
  - i. Senator Pearisich: Modification to the dress code in Senate Meetings. Pretty straight forward.
  - ii. Senator Greene: Motion to open discussion
    - 1. Senator Jaeschke: Second
    - 2. Unanimous consent
  - iii. Senator Greene: somewhat strict, escorted out. . .
  - iv. Sgt. At Arms Dermer: may appear strict, but this bill is more liberal as to what you can wear. Sgt. At arms is suppose to have these powers.
  - v. Senate Jaeschke: Clarification: clause four: how CNU club logos create conflict: we are all leaders, should all expect to be in other clubs, leadership
  - vi. Sgt. At Arms Dermer: new student government, not suppose to be dealing with matters dealing with clubs, representing study body, by wearing club logos, definitely conflict of interest.
  - vii. Senator Mascia: actually a good bill, no pajama bottoms, want cohesion, and do not want conflict between clubs.
  - viii. Senator Greene: Who would be judge to "low-cut," proud to be part of organizations
  - ix. VP Grace: May be thinking about other club, no logos, does not take it out of our mind.
  - x. Senator Mascia: should be proud of organization, don't want to start conflicts with other organizations, a little thing to ask
  - xi. Senator Andrews: Wearing organization shirts, no problem in wearing them at meetings. Should be allowed to express who you are, and who you associate with. It shows expressing school pride, shouldn't take it away.
  - xii. Senator Stump: No type of warning system, didn't have time to change, pull out of meeting because they are wearing a sweatshirt?
  - xiii. Senator Greene: that's not the answer
  - xiv. Sgt. At Arms Dermer: Cant define every little thing, everyone seems to be harping on point c., change that and solve that problem.
  - xv. Senator Greene: Move to strike section 1-c, clause 4 from the bill

- xvi. 14-2-0 motion passes
- xvii. Senator Greene: still no clarification on low-cut.
- xviii. Senator Jaeschke: Move to close discussion
- xix. Unanimous consent
- xx. Sgt. At Arms Dermer: move to vote
- xxi. Senator Salemme: Move to roll call vote
- xxii. Vote: 8:9:1 proposal fails
- iv. Senate proposal 03:06
  - i. Sgt. At Arms Dermer: RA boards and posting policies, there is no such posting policy for RAs, this bill is basically asking for standards of decency be created for the campus. Any RA can post anything, should be set standard
  - ii. Senator Jaeschke: Move to open discussion
    - 1. unanimous consent
  - iii. Senator Greene: what power do we have to levy over this, RA doing his on Big O speech, what line to you make
  - iv. Senator Jaeschke: Point of information: Sgt. At Arms: every RA has to show proposal to hall direction, and residents have say in RA's board. System can regulate itself
  - v. Sgt. At Arms Dermer: Speaking with Mr. Roeder: the impression is that it all gets reviewed, its after the fact; we cannot make this law, this is a recommendation by the senate to Mr. Roeder, saying yes we do need a set standard. It seems to be a double standard for posting on campus, but not for this
  - vi. VP Grace: this is strictly in the residence halls
  - vii. Senator Blunt: This is limiting freedom of speech, we are all grown ups and college students, all responsible
  - viii. VP Buckely: CNU SGA posting policy doesn't even apply to residence halls, have to get it approved by hall director.
  - ix. Mr. Scheel: this is not a reasonable bill, should not be voted upon
  - x. Senator Hamm: trust RA's judgement
  - xi. Sgt. At Arms Dermer: made sure that board was changed. Fairly positive, does not reduce freedom of speech, speech is different than smut. Parents coming to visit the halls, in a federally funded school, with kids, not user friendly.
  - xii. Senator Greene: Motion to close discussion
    - 1. 14-1-0
  - xiii. Sgt. At Arms Dermer: Move to vote; Roll call vote
  - xiv. Vote: 2-14-2 proposal fails
- v. Proposal 04:06
  - i. Senator Rankin: only one change machine on campus in Santoro, should have another change machine in order for easier access for change.
  - ii. Senator Hamm: Move to open discussion
    - 1. Unanimous consent
  - iii. Senator Hamm: Have it linked to flex account?

- iv. VP Grace: not the point can rob money from parents
- v. Senator Jaeschke: Asking for full second one? Or move first one
- vi. Senator Rankin: preferably have a second one, one on each side of campus
- vii. Senator Jefferies: horrible to walk around wall to get to change
- viii. VP Grace: add one to current student center
- ix. Senator Rankin: Typo chain to change
- x. Senator Salemme: Apostrophe change on forth line
- xi. Senator Rankin: Move to change those typos
- xii. Sgt. At Arms Dermer: Second
- xiii. Unanimous consent
- xiv. Senator Salemme: Point of inquiry, new change machine here,
- xv. VP Grace: to get the machine in current SC, then to move SU
- xvi. Move to close discussion
- xvii. Unanimous consent
- xviii. Senator Pearisich: Move to roll call vote on proposal 04:06
- xix. Unanimous consent
- xx. Vote: Unanimous consent: proposal passes
- vi. Senator Jaeschke: Move to open discussion on committees
  - i. Second, vote: everyone except Jason, and Allen
  - ii. Senator Rankin: Pedestrian safety committee: Promote marketing, to get live strong bracelets to promote pedestrian safety, have pedestrian safety week, activities, VDOT, (Jessica reporting)
  - iii. Senator Greene: Dining service committees: saw plans on new student union, learned about dining services, have a survey in next several weeks.

## VII. Blurts outs/ Ups

- i. Port Warwick Busses, being looked into
- ii. Library completed in Winter '06
- iii. Walls will be taken down once SU is completed
- iv. Stop sign by suites, is now put up
- v. Ferguson Center and hot rooms: looking into it, some of space not intended to be used, not in budget to put in a/c's
- vi. Overhead projectors put into a lot of classrooms.
- vii. Warwick, losing a lot of parking space, trying to use parking deck for commuters. Check where else commuters can park
- viii. Blurts
  - i. Senator Pearisich: advertisements to Playboy magazine; our mailing list marketed?
  - ii. Mrs. Eddlemen: we do not solicit mailings, usually student is affiliated

## VIII. Meeting Adjourned: 6.38pm