

Senate Minutes from September 17th, 2008

- 1) Call to order by President, Nate Kisselburgh – 8:02 pm
- 2) Motion to accept minutes of September 10th, 2008 – Passed
- 3) Attendance-

| Club | Absences | |
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| AAC | 0 | |
| AIGA | 0 | |
| Alfred Acapella Society | 0 | |
| Alfred Rugby | 0 | |
| Alfredian Dramatists | 1 | |
| Alpha Phi Omega | 0 | |
| Alpha-Helix Biology Club | 0 | |
| Alternative Cinema | 1 | |
| American Marketing Association | 0 | |
| Art Union | 1 | |
| Astronomy Club | 0 | |
| AU Hockey | 1 | |
| AU Skate | 0 | |
| AU Swing | 0 | |
| AU Table Tennis Club | 0 | |
| AUGR | 1 | |
| AURS | 0 | |
| AUTV | 0 | |
| AWE | 3 | |
| Baka! Anime Club | 0 | |
| Baseball | 0 | |
| BASIC | 0 | |
| Militant Illustrators Association (Comics Illustration Association) | | 0 |
| Creative Arts Therapy Club | 0 | |
| CSA | 1 | |
| DISC | 0 | |
| Drawn to Diversity | 0 | |
| Fencing Club | 0 | |
| Fiat Lux | 0 | |
| FNL | 0 | |
| Green Alfred | 0 | |
| Habitat for Humanity | 1 | |
| Hillel | 0 | |
| IEEE | 2 | |
| Institute of Managerial Accountants (IMA) | 0 | |
| InterVarsity | 0 | |
| ISSO | 1 | |
| JAM (Just Alfred Musicians) | 0 | |
| Kanakadea Yearbook | 0 | |
| LAN Club | 1 | |
| Lyceum | 0 | |
| Medieval Club | 0 | |
| Middle Eastern Dance Organization | 0 | |
| ODK | 0 | |
| Outdoor Club (Forest People) | 0 | |
| Pacific Rim | 2 | |
| Pet Pals | 1 | |

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| Phi Beta Lambda | 2 |
| Pirate Theater | 0 |
| Poder Latino | 0 |
| Political Science Club | 0 |
| Relay for Life | 0 |
| REPO | 1 |
| RHC | 0 |
| SAB | 0 |
| SAFE | 1 |
| Shades | 0 |
| Spectrum | 0 |
| Steppas | 0 |
| Student Athlete Advisory Committee | 0 |
| SWE | 0 |
| Taste Buds | 0 |
| Umoja | 0 |
| WALF | 0 |
| WIC | 0 |

4) Officer Reports-

Diversity Director, Elizabeth Tolson:

- There will be a trip to the Seneca-Iroquois National Museum on November 15th, 2008. Contact Craig Arno if you're interested in attending.
- Office Hours: 11:15am – 12:15pm Thursday

Finance Chair, Mark Williams:

- Is out of town due to a class trip
- Office Hours: 4-5 pm tomorrow (9/18/2008)

Publicity Director, Aura Severino:

- Voting cards has gone out, so design it and drop it off at Senate on September 24th, 2008 at the end of the meeting.
- Office Hours: 3:30 – 4:30pm Thursday

Treasurer, Mike Shaw

- Office Hours: 4-5 pm tomorrow (9/18/2008)

Secretary, Caretta Morris

- Don't forget to hand in your attendance slip at the end of each meeting.
- Office Hours: TBA

Vice President, Eric Walton:

- Buildings and grounds committee will be meeting next week at 7:30 pm.
- Office Hours: 1:30 – 2:30pm Tuesday

President, Nate Kisselburgh:

- Davis gym has been pushed back to May 2009.
- Movie update: 2 movies won't be showing on AUTV
- The idea of classes not being scheduled during Senate's meeting time is still going around to different academic department chairs

- Marcy from the book store can give you a hook up if you ask her about it. She has catalogs for retailers where you can get trinkets and other items at a CHEAPER price (get on that-remember to ask Marcy first).
- We would like to bring the health inspector to speak about things like violations of health. We would also like to bring in other such people. Tell us what you think.
- Office Hours: 1:30 – 2:30pm Tuesday

5) Old Business-

- Food Committee report with Sam:
 - There's a standing station in Ade because people were stealing bread.
 - Oven baked stuff tastes better than fried things, so more of that.
 - Res life will be checking rooms for stolen items and people will be fined. We spend about \$10,000 because of thefts each yr.
 - Suggestions for new meal ideas and such should be brought to the food committee or John Dietrich.
- When is Treasurer training?
Treasurer training will be announced after the memo has been sent to move the clubs funds into their accounts. It should be happening soon.

6) New Business-

- Possibility of sending minutes through Alfred Today without the attendance portion (so it can fit).
- If your club meets in Davis gym you need to e-mail Senate who you are, how often you meet, what you do, and the meeting times so we can accommodate an alternate space for you when Davis goes.
- October 29th, 2008 will be the Breast Cancer Awareness Day. Please contact Resident Life if you or your club would like to help out. They are trying to get everyone on campus to wear PINK on that day, get people to make a giant AU on the football field, etc.

7) Open Forum-

- We have extended the deadline due to popular demand on the voting cards. It will be due September 24th, 2008 at the end of the next Senate meeting.
- It's not fair that people messed up the club attendance and some clubs would like a blank slate. Speak to the secretary about this.
- Dude stood up about an idea of making it mandatory that clubs have a blog so that other clubs can know what their club is about.
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8) Announcements-

- From now on when you get in you will be required to write down your announcements in the binder that will be on the table in the back before every senate meeting (in order to obtain accurate information).
- WALF show schedules will be posted on the window tomorrow and will be sent out in e-mails.
- Please fill out the Fiat survey online about voting and only vote once. Thank You ☺
- Alpha Phi Omega will be selling brownies on TONIGHT Main Street at 10 pm in front of Hair Care. They are giving out FREE milkshakes TOMORROW on the third floor of Powell between 10:45 am and 1:30 pm (or until the things finish).
- Astronomy club meets every Wednesdays after Senate.
- Hillel's having a bagel lunch on Sunday at 11 am at the Hillel house.
- Archery club will be meeting at 4 pm on Saturday by the big TV in Powell to walk over by Jericho field.
- American Marketing Associating is starting an advertising program so that you can SELL your clubs. Single semester advertisings are \$20, both semesters \$35, special events are \$5 per advertisement.
- Resident Hall Council meets every Tuesdays at 7:30 pm in McNamara. They encourage at least one person from each dorm to attend these meetings.
- This is Family Weekend. Look for a list of events in the event book-which are located ALL over campus.
- The Year Book advises that every club should take photos of meetings and events so they can go into the yearbook and a submission date for these photos will go out soon.
- AU Political Science club will be doing a lot over the next week so watch out for them and get some free stuff when you stop at their table.
- Fencing club meets on Wednesdays from 5-7 pm (it's awesome if you are interested in fencing).
- Green Alfred reminds you that the Focus mugs are only \$2-3 and the water is free, so save plastic bottles buy a mug and get free water refills ☺
- SAFE meets tomorrow at 4 pm. The meeting will be about living wage and conditions in Allegany County and what can we do to help stop it.
- Pirate Theatre's first show will be October 4th, 2008 in Holmes auditorium.
- Shades have a **voter registration** table TOMORROW Thursday 18th, 2008 from 11 am to 7 pm and on Friday September 19th, 2008 from 11 am to 3 pm.
- Stop by and draw pictures for Habitat for Humanity in Ohio. For further information contact Callie Rimmel. Also the international house is doing Alfred's first ever IHOP...contact Callie for more information.
- The American Marketing Association will be having a Bake sale on Friday September 19th, 2008 from 3-6 pm and on Saturday from 9-12 pm.
- The movie channel orders come in tomorrow afternoon and some of our license will expire at night, so there will be no movies between 12-3.

9) Adjourn – 8:33pm