

Senate Minutes from April 15th, 2009

I. Call to order by President, Amos Mainville – 8:01 PM

II. Motion to accept minutes of April 8th, 2009 – Passed

III. Attendance

Club – Absences

AAC – 0

AIGA – 0

Alfred Acapella Society – 0

Alfred Rugby – 0

Alfredian Dramatists – 0

Alpha Phi Omega – 1

Alpha-Helix Biology Club – 0

Alternative Cinema – 0

American Marketing Association – 0

American Society of Mechanical Engineers – 0

Art Union – 0

Astronomy Club – 0

AU Hockey – 0

AU Skate – 1

AU Swing – 0

AU Table Tennis Club – 0

AUGR – 1

AURS – 1

AUTV – 0

Baka! Anime Club – 0

Baseball – 0

BASIC – 0

Brick – 1

Militant Illustrators Association – 0

Chemistry Club – 0

CRAP Committee – 1

Creative Arts Therapy Club – 0

CSA – 0

DISC – 0

Drawn to Diversity – 0

Fencing Club – 0

Fiat Lux – 0

Financial Management Association (FMA) – 1

FNL – 0

Green Alfred – 0

Habitat for Humanity – 0

Hillel – 1

Historical Film Society – 0

IEEE – 0

Institute of Managerial Accountants (IMA) – 0

InterVarsity – 1

ISSO – 0

JAM (Just Alfred Musicians) – 1

Kanakadea Yearbook – 0

Knitting and a Movie – 0

LAN Club – 1

Lyceum – 1

Medieval Club – 0

Middle Eastern Dance Organization – 0

ODK – 1

Outdoor Club (Forest People) – 0

Pacific Rim – 0

Pet Pals – 0

Phi Beta Lambda (PBL-FBLA) – 1

Pirate Theater – 1

Poder Latino – 0

Political Science Club – 0

Relay for Life (Colleges Against Cancer) – 0

REPO – 1

RHC – 0

SAB – 0

SAFE – 1

Shades – 1

Spectrum – 0

Steppas – 0

Student Athlete Advisory Committee – 0

SWE – 0

Taste Buds – 1

Umoja – 0

WALF – 0

WIC – 0

Robot Club – 0

AU Yoga Club – 1

IV. Officer Reports

- Diversity Director, Matthew Brown:
Office Hours: Thursdays 3:30–4:30 PM
Please stop by during office hours to talk about anything!
Lil' Alf had egg decorating contest and two of the eggs had derogatory remarks on them. Our mission is to provide equal treatment to everyone and these kinds of acts will not be tolerated.
- Finance Chair, Ann Halbert-Brooks:
Office Hours: Thursday 7–8 PM
Final Budgets were sent out to club emails. If you have any problems opening them, please email Ann at AEH1@alfred.edu or during her office hours.
- Publicity Director, Akeem Caballero:
Office Hours: Wednesday 11:15 AM–12:15 PM
Don't forget to sign up for a booth on Hot Dog Day
- Treasurer, Sam Schuman:
Office Hours: Thursday 7–8 PM
Please follow the directions when doing check requests
- Secretary, Peter Nyitrai:
Office Hours: right after Senate
Please do not use Acronyms for attendance purposes
New way for recording attendance. Each club must sign out before the end of the meeting or else they will be counted absent.
Any other ideas for keeping attendance besides the old way please see me during my office hours or email the senate account.
- Vice President, Kevin Kostyk:
Office Hours: Monday 12:10–1:10 PM
Apologizes for missing the past two senate meetings
- President, Amos Mainville:
Office Hours: Tuesday 1–2 PM

V. Old Business – none

VI. New Business

- Special Allocations Request from Kevin Kostyk for Bowling Nights on Friday and Saturday. The senate executive board would like to have bowling nights for students by cutting the costs for bowling from \$2.75 a game to \$1.50. The executive board would pay the rest of the cost and would be a monthly bill like the Hornell Area Transit. Initial Budget request is for \$175 for trial run for the rest of the semester. Questions were brought up about transportation, the benefits to everyone on campus, and if this will be the same amount used each year. The allocation was voted on and passed.

- In McLane, we would like to have an equipment rental station at the fitness center desk for student to rent basketballs, footballs, tennis rackets, etc. It would be by giving your ID card to the person working at the desk and getting any equipment you want. If you have any suggestions on which equipment you would like to see, please email the senate account with your suggestions

VII. Open Forum

- Since the special allocation was passed for the fencing club, when will the fencing tournament occur?

VIII. Announcements

- Spectrum is having a Day of Silence this Friday. Stay quiet all day long as a demonstration against those who cannot speak or who are constantly bullied or harassed
- The Caribbean Student Association has an event this Friday from 3PM-7PM at the Bandstand across from the fire hall. There will be Caribbean food, music, performances, games and prizes
- Residence Hall Council still needs to fill some executive board member seats. Contact Zach at zjg1@alfred.edu for more information.
- King Lear will be playing from April 22-25 at 8PM in Miller. Please get tickets. For more information, email performs@alfred.edu.
- Relay for Life raised \$17,300 between Alfred University and Alfred State for cancer research. Thanks to all that helped!
- Anyone that wants to be in the Mud Olympics must have at 5 people for the event. The first 20 teams will be accepted. Please see Tricia Debertolis if you would like to sign up
- SAB is hosting The Tallest Man on Earth with Red Cortez Friday night at 10PM at the Terra Cotta. Please be there! There will be the comedian Marianne Sierk performing at the Knight club this Saturday at 10PM.
- Fiat is looking for a sports editor. Email Tom Fleming or the fiat account to apply.
- Alfred Disc is having their shirt and tie game after honors convocation on tucker field at 7PM. Everyone is welcome to play.
- There will be a Break the Silence party from 4-5PM on Friday in the Multicultural suite. Clubs should be signing up for booths for Hot Dog Day. Please sign up for a booth at Purple and Gold Days as well.
- The Alfred Accapella Society is hosting the Sexy Pitches concert on April 19th at 7PM in Holmes Auditorium. It should be fun!

IX. Adjourn – 8:19 PM