

Assembly Meeting  
October 31<sup>st</sup>, 2007  
7:33PM-9:31PM

**Call to Order**

**Roll Call**

**Present:**

Executive and Staff: Executive and Staff: President Horstein, Vice President Martin, Chief of Staff Neville, Public Relations Director Rotz, Finance Director Osolin

Legislatures: Speaker Cassata, Deputy Speaker Graham, Secretary Mason, Senator Bixby, Senator Thorgesen, Senator Nippa, Senator Moore, Senator J. Krug, Senator Anders, Senator Cail, Senator Broderick, Senator Ruscitti, Senator Miller, Senator Campbell, Senator T. Krug, Senator Decker, Senator Griswold

Ex-Officios: ARH, APAC, BSU, PRIDE

Student Trustee: Ryan Cekander

**Absent:**

Executive and Staff: Programs Director McKenna

Legislatures: Senator Long

Ex-Officios: ALAS

**Approval of Minutes**

- I. Deputy Speaker Graham motions to approve the minutes.
  - a. Senator Miller seconds.
  - b. Motion passes unanimously.

**Approval of Executive Session Minutes**

- I. Vice President Martin motions to move into executive session.
  - a. Senator Griswold seconds.
  - b. Motion passes unanimously.
- II. Senator Ruscitti motions to approve the executive session minutes.
  - a. Senator Anders seconds.
  - b. Motion passes unanimously.
- III. Senator Miller motions to move out of executive session.
  - a. Senator Ruscitti seconds.
  - b. Motion passes unanimously.

## Administrative Reports

- I. President Horstein's report:
  - a. He thanks everyone that came out to the memorial service for David Hirsch.
    - i. He thanks Vice President Martin and Jill Camper for organizing the event.
  - b. He met with two property managers: SAMI and Young America.
    - i. They said they were willing to move back their sign dates to January.
    - ii. They can not do this until all of the apartment leasers do that, though.
  - c. The Constitution Commission is moving forward in full force.
    - i. For this to happen, however, SGA will need to collect 2,000 signatures from students.
    - ii. There will be an SGA campaign in the future.
  - d. He attended a meeting this morning with the Neighborhood Association of Normal to talk about town-gown relations.
    - i. They want to do a service project that will benefit a problem area.
  - e. He will be meeting with Dr. Longfellow to discuss the standards of professional behavior next Friday.
  - f. He attended IFC's meeting last week.
  - g. He encourages people to look for people willing to fill in SGA's open positions.
  - h. Senator Anders wants a sign for CAST students to fill the position.
    - i. President Horstein says he will look into it.
- II. Vice President Martin's report:
  - a. Today SGA and UPB coordinated a memorial service for ISU David Hirsch.
    - i. He thanks those that were in attendance.
  - b. He looks forward to showing the final SGA website and to present to the Assembly the bill for our approval of the website.
    - i. He thanks Katy and Alaina in the Student Affairs office and Jacob and Julie for all of their work from IWSS.
    - ii. Senator Miller was nice enough to go through the entire website to inform them of any grammatical errors, which he appreciates.
  - c. Some people may have received an email from others about interest in some External Committees.
    - i. He asks that people defer them to the new SGA website for up to date information or to email me.
    - ii. On the website now are the latest committees open with descriptions and any pertinent information along with an application.
    - iii. Within the next couple of weeks he hopes to hand President Horstein the list of Student Elections Committee members.

- d. He asks if anyone is interested from the Association to serve on the Alcohol Awareness Task Force and/or Digital Citizen Advisory Committee.
- e. He passed a piece of paper around asking for people to write down their name and any committees that they are currently serving on and/or meetings they are attending that are not apart of their specific Senator duty roles.
  - i. This will help inform him what update forms he should be receiving and from who.
  - ii. The update form is also on the new website, so he asks anyone who has been going to meetings for committees that are not part of their Senator role to fill one of those out and please get it to him.
- f. He wants to remind everyone in the Association about Event Planning 101.
  - i. This was a tool created to help the Association plan events while making the process as easy to understand as possible.
  - ii. They will constantly be reviewing it to ensure that it is accurate and up to date with any changes, so everyone should make sure they are utilizing this valuable tool.
- g. He has been asked by the Executive Committee to create “standing devil advocate sessions’.”
  - i. He asks that everyone ensure their office hours are accurate on the sheet Tammy emailed back a while ago.
  - ii. These sessions will allow individuals to give resolutions, bills, and bounce ideas off of without having to schedule a devil advocate session a week in advance.
  - iii. Association members are still able to schedule those sessions but this is allow an extra way for members to have something go through a session to ensure the best product is being brought forward to the Association.
- h. The following individuals still have not filled out a Photo Release form: Student Body President Horstein, Senator Moore, Senator and Miller.
  - i. These forms are for the website and any printed materials so they can be used on the website.
  - ii. He will be sure to give one to the Ex-Officio delegates so we may use their photo.
  - iii. Ex-Officios should stay after the meeting to have their picture taken.
- i. He attended the Neighborhood Association of Normal meeting hosted by Steve Adams with President Horstein.
  - i. He thinks it is interesting hearing what citizens of Normal have to say about college students.
  - ii. There are definitely some things that Student Government can do to help be responsible neighbors.
  - iii. There are new laws that college students may want to be made aware of coming up at the start of the new year.

- iv. He will be working with President Horstein on some of his own ideas.
- j. He wants to ensure the Association that the Florida Benchmarking Trip Reports are coming along and will be distributed before Thanksgiving break.
  - i. These reports will be forwarded to the appropriate parties while additional copies will be made available for Association members to review in a binder in the Senator's office.
- k. He and President Horstein met last week and reviewed all of the platform issues that we ran on.
  - i. He thinks it was interesting to go back and reflect to see where we are today.
  - ii. There are now some projects that he will start working on and he would love to have some Senators assist him.
  - iii. Some of those projects include the following:
    - 1. Night Operations: reviewing the night operations policies, looking at peer institutions to see their late night check in policies to ultimately come up with a report to present to Vice President Steve Adams.
    - 2. Smoking policy: reviewing the smoking policy for the Town of Normal and to find out ways we can help encourage that policy around campus, such as moving ash trays the proper amount of feet away from the doors.
    - 3. Co-Curricular Transcript: looking into the possibility of adding a co-curricular transcript to ISU.
  - iv. If anyone would like to help assist him with any of these projects or some of his other projects, please contact him.
    - 1. He will also be sending out an email with this information.
- l. Senator Cail has been working extremely hard on the Registered Student Organization Catering Menu.
  - i. This menu offers catering options that are at a special price just for RSOs.
  - ii. She has been working with Gail from Catering and Arlene Hosea from Dining to make this happen since last years Administration.
  - iii. He hopes RSOs take advantage of this great menu and the Association will be promoting it over the coming weeks.
  - iv. The first day people can order off of the menu is Friday, November 9<sup>th</sup>.
  - v. He thanks Senator Cail for all of her hard work on this long project, but the outcome seems worth it.
- m. A member of the Student Education Association has invited the entire Association to attend a worthy event.
  - i. This Friday from 3-6 pm in the BBC Activity Room there will be a "Make College Affordable" event.
  - ii. Speakers from NEA will be present.

- iii. He would encourage any Association members who are able to attend for a little to go.
- iv. He did reply to her email and she would be thrilled if any members could go for even 15 minutes.
- v. If people do go, they should wear their nametag or SGA polo.
- n. Senator J. Krug asked if ELP members can help with his projects.
  - i. Vice President Martin says that they can.

III. Chief of Staff Neville's report:

- a. Her budget report of the month:
  - i. For Homecoming, \$1,200 was allotted.
    - 1. \$980.57 was spent.
    - 2. \$219.43 is left over.
  - ii. \$5,000 was allocated for promotional items.
    - 1. \$288 was spent.
    - 2. \$1,1712 is left over.
  - iii. \$2,230 was spent on apparel.
    - 1. \$269 is left over.
  - iv. \$30,888.00 is the balance to date.
- b. She wants to let the Ex-Officios know that \$4,000 is allocated for Ex-Officio co-sponsorships.
  - i. Ex-Officios should feel free to email her to schedule a meeting to talk about the money if they want to use it.
- c. Senators should feel free to schedule a meeting with her to discuss money that is left over or money for their events.
- d. She has recently been getting several budget requests.
  - i. She goes over reminding people how to receive money for the programs.
- e. Senator Miller asks what will happen with the winnings from the Homecoming Float.
  - i. Chief of Staff Neville says it is up to everyone.
  - ii. Vice President Martin says that there was a suggestion to buy presents for needy families.

IV. Speaker Cassata's report:

- a. He emailed everyone, and the calendars are due Friday.
  - i. People should have events, document or survey completion, and estimated goal dates.
- b. The Committee Chair meeting is this Friday at 3pm.
- c. If people have problems within the Association, they should feel free to approach him.
  - i. He keeps his calendar updated.
- d. Off-Campus Senator Samantha Perr has resigned.

V. Deputy Speaker Graham's report:

- a. She sent out the constituent contact report form to all the Senators.

- i. If people could fill those out with all of the constituent contact they have been receiving lately, it would help her.
    - ii. She would prefer to have the forms in by Monday afternoon.
    - iii. If Monday is too soon, get it to her within the week.
  - b. She thanks the On and Off-Campus Senators for their constituent contact events.
    - i. She wants everyone to know that she is aware of how fast the semester is coming to a close.
    - ii. The time to plan events is narrowing.
    - iii. Instead of scrambling to fit in two more events, she would rather people focus on one, well-thought out event that really engages the students.
    - iv. If people need help, she is here as a resource.
  - c. She, Speaker Cassata, and Secretary Mason are currently planning a retreat for only the legislative branch.
    - i. The purpose will be to focus on committees, constituent contact groups, and to have a place to brainstorm ideas for projects that individual senators can take on.
    - ii. Since this a senator retreat, she does not want the Assembly Officers to run the show.
    - iii. If anyone is interested in facilitating a focus group, planning an activity, or just discussing their ideas, she is more than willing to let the Senators help.
    - iv. She then asks how many Senators would be interested in this Retreat.
  - d. She wants to clear up some confusion about the line in the Executive By-Laws under the Student Body Vice President that states “To serve as the primary advocate in hearing, addressing, and advocating individual student concerns on a case-by-case basis.”
    - i. People should only approach Vice President Martin about how to respond to a constituent if they have already asked the Deputy Speaker.
    - ii. If she does not know how to answer the question, she will then ask Vice President Martin.

VI. Secretary Mason’s report:

- a. He will no longer allow RSO absences and Greek chapter absences to be excused.
  - i. They will now be unexcused.
- b. He would like people to still give him their reports during for the Assembly Meetings.
  - i. He would also like people to email them.
  - ii. It will help him to complete the minutes faster.
- c. He wants Committee Chairs and Coordinators to email him if there are any absences to their meetings.

- VII. Finance Director Osolin's report:
  - a. The BRC is having a mid-semester evaluation meeting on Wednesday, November 7<sup>th</sup> at 6pm.
    - i. This will be held in SSB 314.
    - ii. He is hoping that Business majors will attend.
    - iii. It will not last longer than one hour.
    - iv. They will discuss any progress that the representatives have had so far with their departments, any problems that may have arisen, and to figure out things they want to focus during second semester.
  
- VIII. Programs Director McKenna's report (read by Secretary Mason):
  - a. She has been working on Pack the Place.
    - i. She has meetings set up for this week and next week.
    - ii. She wants to have the dates picked by next week.
  - b. Care Packages are underway.
    - i. The calls from parents have been minimal and positive.
  
- IX. Public Relation Director Rotz's report:
  - a. She finished the electronic flyers for the website.
  - b. The appropriate people have been recognized for Redbird of the Month and Senator of the Month for both August and September.
    - i. The appropriate people have been recognized for RSO of the Month for August.
    - ii. These will be available for viewing on the website soon.
  - c. She designed the advertisement that was in the Vidette on Thursday, October 25<sup>th</sup>.
    - i. The ad was for various opening within the Association and will hopefully bring a wide variety of applicants to choose from.
  - d. This week she is writing a press release for the launching of the new website.
    - i. It will hopefully appear in the Vidette.
  - e. She is meeting with Programs Director McKenna on Monday to discuss plans for Pack the Place.
  - f. She will be creating a "flyer request" form.
    - i. They will be available for anyone who wishes to fill one out with specific information on an event they want to promote.
    - ii. This way she can design the flyers for events with the correct logos and information that will be printed out.
    - iii. It will also ensure a consistent look among Association material.
  - g. People should feel free to contact her to discuss promotion ideas for specific events.
  - h. She will also update the bulletin board later this week.
  - i. Senator Throgensen asks if committees need to go through her to make advertisements.
    - i. Public Relations Director Rotz wants people to go through her to at least check and approve advertisements.

- X. Advisor Olshak's report:
  - a. People should sign up for a mid-term one-on-one if they have not done so yet.
    - i. Advisor Zompetti will be passing around a sign-up sheet for those who have not signed up yet.
    - ii. People should also remember to fill out and turn in the self-evaluation form.
  - b. He is excited to hear people begin to discuss plans about next year and form tickets.
    - i. He does not want any of this planning to be done in the SGA Office or utilize any of SGA's resources.
    - ii. He also wants to remind people that their primary focus should be current SGA work because there is a lot more that needs to be done.
    - iii. People should feel free to contact himself or Advisor Zompetti if they want any help in discussing this.
  - c. People should look for Operations Manuals to come on Monday.
    - i. Technical issues with Kinko's have set them back a couple of days.
  - d. He gives kudos to President Horstein, Vice President Martin, and UPB for the David Hirsch memorial service put on today.
  
- XI. Advisor Zompetti's report:
  - a. No report.

## **Committee Reports**

- I. Civic Engagement's report- Senator Nippa
  - a. The New York Times Readership Program pilot will happen in the beginning of second semester.
    - i. SGA will be building their own marketing campaign.
  - b. Senator Broderick is working with Programs Director McKenna on Pack the Place.
    - i. She is also looking into the "Adopt-a-Street" program for the Association to be a part of.
    - ii. People should be on the lookout for resolutions and a calendar of community service.
  - c. Senator Griswold is working on the 11<sup>th</sup> Congressional Debate for November 12<sup>th</sup>, from 7-9pm in the Old Main Room.
    - i. She is also working on Voter Education Week.
  - d. Secretary Mason is developing his Diversity Week Program and working with several Ex-Officios.
  - e. American Democracy Project meets Friday.
    - i. He looks forward to presenting the council with what himself and Laura Weaver have planned as far of voter registration.



- II. Finance and Allocation's report- Senator T. Krug
  - a. So far this semester, the Fee Board has allocated \$16,731 out of a total \$55,000.
    - i. This leaves a remainder of \$38,269.
  - b. Hearing on September 19<sup>th</sup>, 2007:
    - i. Student Environmental Action Coalition requested \$280, and they received \$280.
    - ii. PRSSA requested \$2,475, and they received \$1,375.
    - iii. Interdenominational Youth Choir requested \$6,600, and they received \$5,900.
  - c. Hearing on October 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2007:
    - i. Pi Sigma Epsilon requested \$2,711, and they received \$1,156.
    - ii. Creative I.N.K. requested \$4,925, and they requested \$2,047.
    - iii. International House Student Association requested \$2,541, and they requested \$1,541.
  - d. Hearing on October 17<sup>th</sup>, 2007:
    - i. Illinois State Swing Dancers requested \$2,180, and they received \$618.
    - ii. Black Diamonds Dance Troupe requested \$500, and they received \$500.
    - iii. Crescendo Music Therapy requested \$17,286, and they received \$3,314.
  - e. He can send people the more detailed line-item breakdown of each RSO if they request it.
  - f. He sent the ex-officio co-sponsorship forms to the Assembly Officers.
  
- III. Programs and Recognition's report- Senator Bixby
  - a. They are working on getting the winners so far to be recognized.
  - b. They have made certificates and are working on t-shirts and the RSO of the Month plaque.
  - c. They are recognizing the Gala committee and the Steering Committee for their outstanding accomplishments during Homecoming.
  - d. The Random Acts of Kindness program is starting to be introduced to the RA's.
  
- IV. Policies and Procedure's report- Senator Moore
  - a. They finished the Student Elections Code.
  - b. They will be looking at the Executive by-laws next.
  - c. Next they will be looking at the Legislative by-laws.

### **Senator Coordinator Reports**

- I. On-Campus Senators- Senator J. Krug
  - a. The On-Campus constituent event occurred Monday, Tuesday, and Thursday of last week.
    - i. They received a lot of feedback from students.

- ii. It was an accomplishment just to let students know what SGA is.
    - iii. Some feedback received:
      - 1. People would like to see enclosed smoking areas and areas that are not by the garbage cans.
      - 2. Some students do not think that the Redbird Ride follows its schedule.
        - a. They also do not know where the Niteride comes and drops off.
      - 3. Students would like to see cameras in Watterson to prevent fires from starting.
    - b. ARH says that they caught the person the last time they set a fire in Watterson.
      - i. Advisor Olshak says that the person was caught due to a camera.
- II. Off-Campus Senators- Senator Thorgesen
- a. They had their first constituent contact event on October 29<sup>th</sup> at Milner Plaza.
    - i. They handed out cups, Frisbees, candy, and conversed with Off-campus students.
  - b. They are working on revising the off-campus housing survey.
    - i. It will be sent to the Executive Officers and Advisement Team soon.
  - c. They are in the process of setting up a constituent contact event for the month of November.
- III. Underrepresented Senators- Senator Long (read by Secretary Mason)
- a. They are planning multiple RSO “Round Tables”.
    - i. They want to get the presidents of related RSOs together to discuss issues relevant to their interest area.
    - ii. The first one will be for Fine Arts RSOs, and it will have a focus on marketing for their events.
  - b. They are also working on getting a bulletin board in the Student Involvement Center.
    - i. Space, however, is limited in that area.
  - c. They have been meeting with various RSOs and getting a lot of good feedback.
    - i. Many of the presidents are surprised that be contacted by SGA and are excited by our interest and support of their organizations.
    - ii. The website for RSOs is constantly being updated and added on to, so it makes contacting RSO difficult.
- IV. Graduate Senators- Senator Miller
- a. No report.

## **Ex-Officio Member Reports and Updates**

- I. Asian Pacific American Coalition (APAC)
  - a. They had another successful general assembly meeting.
    - i. They dressed up in costumes and carved pumpkins.
  - b. They have another general assembly meeting on November 6<sup>th</sup> at 7pm in Walker.
  
- II. Association of Latin American Students (ALAS)
  - a. Not present.
  
- III. Association of Residence Halls (ARH)
  - a. The Co-Rec soccer league had an amazing turnout.
    - i. They had 39 teams apply for 8 spots, so they are trying to reorganize it right now so they can include all of the teams
    - ii. They are not sure that that will happen this semester.
    - iii. They are going to do this again next semester because of the high turn out this semester.
  - b. They have another program this coming Tuesday at 7pm at the Normal Theater in town; they are screening the movie Lions for Lambs.
    - i. They are passing out screening passes now, and they will be in the ARH office until the day before the screening.
    - ii. If anyone wants a pass to go please let her know after the meeting.
  - c. The first Cultural Dinner of the year is next Tuesday from 5-7pm.
    - i. It is a GLBT theme and tickets were on sale in the dining centers until yesterday.
    - ii. If anyone still needs tickets to go, she might be able to get some more.
    - iii. Let her know if anyone would like to attend and they did not already purchase a ticket.
  - d. They just filled two out of the three missing spots on their executive board: the Publicity Chair and the unity Coordinator Chair.
    - i. They have a couple of people that are interested in the Dining Services chair.
    - ii. When they get that position filled they will have an entire executive board.
  - e. They had their blood drive in West Campus today.
    - i. It went well.
    - ii. The last blood drive of the semester will be on November 13<sup>th</sup> from 1-7pm in the Rosa Parks Room.
  - f. Room and Board Fee Review is going well.
    - i. If anyone has any suggestions for improvements within the Residence Halls please let her know.
  - g. Renovation Advisory Council has their next meeting on November 13, 2007.
    - i. They are touring Hewett, but cannot bring guests.
    - ii. People will be taking pictures of the process so everyone can see how things are progressing.

- h. GLACURH, their regional conference, is November 9-11th.
  - i. They are taking 10 delegates and 2 advisors to the conference at Saganaw Valley in Michigan
- IV. Black Student Union (BSU)
- a. They had their Boys and Girls event yesterday.
    - i. They had lots of candy.
  - b. On October 23<sup>rd</sup> they had an event with UPB.
    - i. It had a good turnout.
    - ii. People that live on-campus addressed some issues that people with diversity in the dorms.
    - iii. They will be following up this issue.
- V. People Realizing Individuality and Diversity through Education (PRIDE)
- a. They had their Halloween party today.
  - b. They are having Sex Toy Night on November 7th.
    - i. They are having a speaker come in for this event to answer questions.
    - ii. It will be informative.
- VI. Student Trustee Cekander's report:
- a. Report was not provided.
  - b. Please see Student Trustee Cekander for more information.

### **Information Items**

- A) Senator Moore motions to add the Student Elections Code to Information Item E.
- a. Senator Miller seconds.
  - b. Motion passes unanimously.
- B) Deputy Speaker Graham motions to add Race to Your Space Resolution to Information Item F.
- a. Secretary Mason seconds.
  - b. Motion passes unanimously.
- C) Resolution Authorizing SGA to Participate in Canvassing the Campus- Deputy Speaker Graham
- a. She wants SGA to be out with the gazebo every two weeks.
  - b. It can be used to collect signatures or give surveys.
  - c. It is mandatory for every to be out in the gazebo for three hours every month, or every colored space.
  - d. Senator Griswold asks what happens if everyone picks the first day and no one does the second day.
    - i. Graham says there can be slots with first come, first serve.
    - ii. Graham says they are on different days of the week, so it will probably not be a problem with people's class schedule.

- e. Public Relations Director Rotz asks if people get to pick what time they sign up.
    - i. Deputy Speaker Graham says there will be a sign up sheet.
  - f. Chief of Staff Neville asks if it will be an absence if people do not go, or if it is office hours.
    - i. Deputy Speaker Graham says it would be up to the Secretary
  - g. Deputy Speaker Graham motions to move this into Action Item A.
    - i. Senator Thorgesen seconds.
    - ii. Motion passes unanimously.
- D) Redbird of the Month September Resolution- Senator Bixby
- a. She says that she thinks Tricia Berryhill deserves this award.
  - b. Speaker Cassata motions to move this into Action Item B.
    - i. Senator Ruscitti seconds.
    - ii. Motion passes unanimously.
- E) SGA Website Bill- Vice President Martin
- a. Vice President Martin goes over what is in the new website.
  - b. Speaker Cassata motions to move this into Action Item B.
    - i. Deputy Speaker Graham seconds.
    - ii. Motion passes unanimously.
- F) Benchmarking Trip Debrief- President Horstein
- a. President Horstein apologizes for not having this ready.
    - i. He was sick last week.
  - b. President Horstein motions to postpone this until the next General Assembly Meeting,
    - i. Senator Decker seconds.
    - ii. Motion passes unanimously.
- G) Student Elections Code- Senator Moore
- a. Senator Moore goes over all of the changes made.
  - b. Advisor Olshak says he does not think people should be prohibited from wearing tshirts in classrooms.
    - i. Senator Nippa agrees.
      - 1. It is an infringement on free speech.
  - c. Senator Nippa asks if they are getting rid of the endorsements.
    - i. Senator Moore says that he will look into it.
  - d. Advisor Zompetti wants Senator Moore to meet with Rick Lewis.
    - i. Last year, they allowed paper ballots for special accommodations.
  - e. Advisor Zompetti says that it may be a good idea to think of making elections the first week of April.
  - f. ARH says to check with Housing about talking making announcements in the dorms.

- H) Resolution Authorizing SGA to Participate in Race to Your Space- Deputy Speaker Graham
- a. They want to meet with constituents and get feedback about parking issues.
  - b. They want to have the gazebo out.
  - c. Participants fill out the survey to participate.
    - i. They race their cars to the one space.
    - ii. There will be Papa Johns Pizza.
  - d. She sits on the Parking Advisory and Transportation Committee.
    - i. She will take the necessary steps to
  - e. Senator Ruscitti motions to move this into Action Item D.
    - i. Senator Anders seconds.
    - ii. Motion passes unanimously.

### **Action Items**

- A) Resolution Authorizing SGA to Participate in Canvassing the Campus- Deputy Speaker Graham
- a. Senator Miller motions to debate.
    - i. Senator Moore seconds.
  - b. Senator Cail offers a friendly amendment.
    - i. She wants the event to not be mandatory for classes.
    - ii. Secretary Mason says that he does not count classes as absences.
    - iii. Advisor Zompetti says Policy and Procedures should look into this.
    - iv. Deputy Speaker Graham denies the friendly amendment.
  - c. Senator Miller is concerned about the attendance because of her job.
  - d. Vice President Martin says that all on-campus jobs cannot change their hours because they are set.
  - e. Advisor Zompetti and Vice President Martin think that Policy and Procedures need to take this on immediately.
  - f. Speaker Cassata and Advisor Zompetti says that the absence would not be counted until after the second date, so the new amendment by Policy and Procedures would be in affect.
  - g. Deputy Speaker Graham says she will always let people know of the event at least two weeks ahead of time.
  - h. Chief of Staff Neville wants to know if she can make the events at night.
    - i. Deputy Speaker Graham says she wants them in the day.
  - i. Motion passes
- B) Redbird of the Month September Resolution- Senator Bixby
- a. Senator Decker motions to debate.
    - i. Senator Griswold seconds.
  - b. Senator Bixby reads the resolution.
  - c. Speaker Cassata offers a friendly amendment to take out the second to last "Therefore."
    - i. Senator Bixby accepts

- d. Motion passes unanimously.
- C) Bill Approving Student Government Association Website
- a. Vice President Martin reads the resolution.
  - b. Senator Broderick motions to debate.
    - i. Deputy Speaker Graham seconds.
  - c. No debate.
  - d. Motion passes unanimously.
- D) Resolution Authorizing SGA to Participate in Race to Your Space- Deputy Speaker Graham
- a. Senator Miller motions to debate.
    - i. Senator Moore seconds.
  - b. No debate.
  - c. Motion passes unanimously.

### **Passing of the Gavel**

- A. Senator Griswold says that the November 12<sup>th</sup> Congressional debate will get rid of an excused absence or make an unexcused absence into an excused absence.
- B. Chief of Staff Neville thinks that Public Relations Director Rotz did a great job on the bulletin board.
- C. Vice President Martin encourages people to go see the new website.
- D. President Horstein says that in February he will be delivering a State of the Student Union Address.
  - a. He wants people to be completing projects.
- E. Advisor Olshak reminds people to sign up for midterm one-on-ones 24 hours in advance.
  - a. He encourages ex-officios to show up.
- F. Deputy Speaker Graham congratulates Senator Cail on Creative I.N.K.
- G. Deputy Speaker Graham thanks people for helping them out with the Race to Your Space event.
- H. Deputy Speaker Graham has an SGA Assassination Game.

### **Adjournment**