SGA Meeting August 23, 2022

1. **Call To Order - 1:05 PM**
2. **Organization Roll Call**
   1. **All present**
3. **Approval of Minutes –** 
   1. **Minutes approved at 1:07**
4. **Inspirational Quote of the Week**
   1. “I am ALWAYS doing what I cannot do yet. In order to learn how to do it.”- Vincet Van Gogh
5. **President’s Report**
   1. 1:07 – Happy to be back, final year at tech, this will be one of the best years at Tech
6. **Treasurer’s Report**
   1. 1:09 - ~$46K
   2. Look for budget proposals soon
   3. Startup funds should be out for those that are registered
   4. Allotted $350 to kickstart the organization for the year
   5. A form to extend to $500 is available
7. **Dean of Students Report**
   1. Dean Sands is not present
   2. 1:10 - Mike will speak instead
   3. Welcome back, happy to see everyone here
   4. Encourage Orgs to start trying to do stuff in evenings or on weekends as people may not be going home on weekends as much (resident halls are fuller)
   5. Encourage everyone to go to the involvement fair to see what organizations are available
   6. 1:12 - Thanks to Mauro for organizing the first service project of the year
8. **Committee Report**
   1. Student Activities Board
      1. 1:13 First Wed of every month is craft day, starting in Sept, first is making your own buttons
      2. Weekly bingo, day is still undetermined
9. **Old Business**
10. **New Business**
    1. Involvement Fair
       1. 1:15: Thursday from 1:00 – 5:00 in the E-lab parking lot
       2. In the same vein as Spring Fling
       3. Has inflatable stuff (jousting, bungy seat thing) and maybe a rock wall
       4. Organizations will need to sign up directly with Mike by evening (8/23)
       5. SGA will have a table with a QR code for senator nominations
    2. Senator Elections
       1. Senator elections will take place 5th sept – 9th sept
    3. Student Organization Manual Meeting 1:00 PM August 30, Life Sciences 200
       1. Will go over the student org manual
       2. Covers how to run an organization, promote, get bank account etc.
    4. Faculty committee appointments
       1. Some committees need students to help make decisions
       2. Just need to attend meetings and provide input
          1. They meet at different intervals
       3. Old List:
          1. Academic affairs
             1. Governs the functioning of Tech, working with administration
             2. Needs a representative from both colleges
             3. Allison Facemire (LCNCE)
             4. Trevor Morrison (BHSS)
          2. Academic appeals
             1. Deals with issues with grades
             2. Needs 4 representatives, 2 from each college
             3. Carmin Carmino (LCNCE)
             4. Daniel (BHSS)
          3. Academic Awards
             1. Leadership awards and other end of the year awards
             2. Seniors shouldn’t be on this committee or must forego awards
             3. Address next meeting
          4. Athletics
             1. Discuss different aspects of athletics (Probably)
             2. 1 male, 1 female
             3. Kaleb Cole (M)
             4. Alexis Zalinski (F)
          5. Convocation
             1. Plans elements of the graduation ceremony and first year convocation
             2. Meets once every other week as May approaches
             3. 1 from each college
             4. Thomas Loescher (LCNCE)
             5. Jacob Hanson (BHSS)
          6. Library
             1. Any SGA Student
             2. Elizabeth Lowe
          7. Loans, Grants, Scholarships
             1. Alison (LCNCE)
             2. Wait till next meeting for BHSS
          8. Student Code of Conduct
             1. Thomas Loescher (LCNCE)
             2. Wait till next meeting for BHSS
          9. Student Conduct Board
             1. 9 total students needed
             2. Mauro Mamenta
             3. Elizabeth Lowe
             4. Kaleb Cole
             5. Luke Reynolds
             6. Sam Miller
             7. Thomas Loescher
             8. Trevor Morrison
             9. Emily Lemaster
             10. Jacob Hanson
          10. Student Grievances
              1. 3 Students
              2. Kaleb Cole
              3. Thomas Loescher
              4. Sam Miller
11. **Concerns of the Student Body**
    1. 1:39 When will budget proposals start
       1. Executives will discuss that after the meeting
    2. 1:39 Can we get more free stuff
       1. All of our events have free stuff
       2. What is meant by this?
          1. More dorm supplies
    3. 1:40 Has there been a change in who runs facilities
       1. A) No (as far as Mike knows), but the person who handles room requests has changed
       2. Something wasn’t done that should have been done
       3. The building behind the Tech Adventure House, will be a rock climbing area for on campus, should have been done last week, but hasn’t been done, can we get a time line for that?
    4. 1:44 Since they’re adding kitchens to dorms, can students not have a meal plan
       1. no
12. **Announcements**
    1. 1:44 Tech Alliance is doing a clean water initiative and are taking cases and jugs of clean water and donating them to people across Southern WV
    2. 1:45 SAB is going to try and do a haunted house on campus, any other student orgs that wish to help, reach out to Mike to work with SAB
13. **Adjournment**
    1. **1:45**