

## **SGA Agenda**

January 22, 2019

- I. Call to Order – 1:05 PM**
- II. Verbal Roll Call**
- III. Approval of the Minutes – First: Dakota Bennett, Second: Kelly Godfrey**
- IV. President’s Report:**
  - a. Welcome Message: Thank you for participating in MLK Day of Service. It was a huge success!
  - b. Inspirational Quote of the Week: “One secret of success in life is for a man to be ready for his opportunity when it comes.” - Benjamin Disraeli
- V. Treasurer’s Report:**
  - a. \$14,790 in the budget
  - b. Budget proposals will be next Tuesday, January 29, 2019. Sign up with Michael Ecker-Randolph. Four spots are available.
- VI. Dean of Student’s Report:**
  - a. Dean Carpinelli sends his regards as he is absent from today’s meeting
  - b. Student life staff impressed with turnout for MLK Day of Service
  - c. Several career services activities and events are upcoming, which Felicia Garcia-Wedemeyer will discuss
- VII. Committee Report**
  - a. **SAB**
    - i. January 23 – Charleston Light Opera Guild – Mamma Mia dinner review at Administration and Extension Building at 7:00 PM. Seven spots are available. Use link in Student Life Weekly Digest to sign up.
    - ii. January 27 – Full Mamma Mia production at Clay Center in Charleston at 2:00 PM. Four spots are available. Use link in Student Life Weekly Digest to sign up.
    - iii. February 3 – Super Bowl Watch Party in B.E.A.R. at 6:30 PM. Qdoba will be provided.
- VIII. Organizational Spotlight**
  - a. **WVU Tech Gardening and Agricultural Club**
    - i. This organization learns about gardening and agriculture, hosts guest speakers, uses the greenhouse on campus, attends local farmers’ markets, participates in volunteer work at sites such as Harper Mills Rehabilitation Center and Piney Creek Watershed. The organization

hopes to help beautify WVU Tech's campus. The organization is still growing and welcomes everyone to join meetings in the library on Thursdays at 12:30 PM.

**b. Tech Alliance**

- i. This organization serves as a safe space for LGBTQ students on campus. The goal of Tech Alliance is to educate and be a positive example. Meetings are held every Tuesday that SGA does not meet in the Blue or Gold Room.

**IX. Old Business**

**a. MLK Day of Service**

- i. 232 students participated, 1044 hours were logged, which already matched number of hours logged last year, \$22,000 donated in service from the event, huge community impact.

**b. Cracks in walls of University Hall**

- i. No issue with foundation of the building, cracks are only in drywall

**X. New Business**

**a. Career Services Events**

- i. February 6 – Etiquette Dinner at Tamarack at 6:00 PM. Register no later than February 1. This events prepares students for how to conduct themselves when dining with employers. Terri Thompson will be the guest speaker.
- ii. February 10 – JCPenney Suit-Up Event. This allows students to take an additional 40% off purchased items in-store and online.
- iii. February 18 – 21 – Mock Interview Week. Dress up and bring copy of resumé for this event.
- iv. Sock giveaway – Attend four of eight Career Services event to win a pair of WVU Tech socks. Attend all eight events and receive two pairs of socks!

**b. Food Advisory Committee**

- i. Announcement by Treasurer Michael Ecker-Randolph of formation of committee.
- ii. Chef Devin willing to come to meetings so students can voice their concerns.
- iii. Michael Ecker-Randolph, Kieran Samarakoon, Navarre Campbell, and Madilyn Bodkin volunteered to serve on the committee.

**XI. Concerns of Student Body**

**a. Access to Learning Resource Center computer labs to access engineering software**

- i. Card swipe needed to get in computer labs and certain buildings on campus. Card swipes began at beginning of the semester. Students without a card with a chip can get one for free in the One Stop Shop.

- b.** Access to bottom floor of Carter Hall during middle of the weekday
  - i.** Only handicap-accessible entrance for Carter Hall
  - ii.** Issue will be looked into
  - iii.** Coaches have access at all times
- c.** Second reading of non-discrimination ordinance will be tonight at the Beckley – Raleigh County Convention Center at 6:30 PM.

**XII. Announcements**

- a.** Check the WVU Tech Calendar for upcoming events.
- b.** The basketball game on January 29 has been moved to Summersville, transportation pending.
- c.** Alternative Spring Break program will take place again this year.
- d.** Students can now apply for summer staff positions. Applications can be found at [students.wvutec.edu](http://students.wvutec.edu).

**XIII. Adjournment – 1:38 PM**