September 22, 2020 – Unofficial SGA Meeting

San Jacinto 218

Start Time: 5:30 pm

Facilitator: Trevione Wilson, President of the Student Government Association

I. Call to order
   a. 5:36 PM

II. Roll call
   a. Quorum has been met

III. Approval of the minutes from Last Meeting
   a. Last meeting minutes have been approved

IV. Officer reports
   a. President Trevion Wilson
      i. Resource Guide
         1. Working with Reliable Copy Co. and almost complete
         2. Will be an electronic copy and then eventually be a hard copy
         3. Looking to schedule a meeting with Brandy to possibly get them passed out during orientation
         4. Need to get price (approx $50) approved by Todd
      ii. Voice the Vote
         1. Drive the Vote: shuttles will take students to the Jefferson courthouse for early voting
a. Sign-up for Drive the Vote will be put out Wednesday

2. Registered 40+ people at first registration event

iii. Transparency Template

1. Will reflect what SGA is doing
2. Will include: projects, upcoming dates, contact info, etc.

iv. PR and Student Engagement Committees

1. Caleb Love is the Head of the PR
2. Maurio Stevens is the Head of Student Engagement

b. Vice President Jasmine Patin

i. Mentorship Program

1. Launches at the end of this month/beginning of next month
2. Goal: to increase retention rate in underrepresented students

ii. Looking to begin a new project

iii. Study with SGA

1. Hoping for a better turnout with usage of the committees
2. Possibly get Chick-Fil-A at the next one
3. Goal: get student connections and foster academic success

iv. Pro Tempore Position

1. Working closely with Alexia to fully utilize the position

c. Sec.-Treasurer Taliah Belcher

i. SGA Website Access

1. Will be posting meeting minutes, current projects, contact info, etc.
2. Currently working with a Senator on an SGA FAQ page
   ii. Reached out to Ms. Flosi about the Sustainability Committee
       1. Will be helping with a Sustainability Badge Program
       2. Will be meeting to discuss how recycling can be reestablished on campus

V. Senator reports
   a. None

VI. Old business
   a. Speaker of the House Voting
      i. Destiny John will be the Speaker of the House

VII. New business
   a. None

VIII. Open forum
   a. Caleb:
      i. Q: Why can you not promote letters in Dhall Lawn anymore?
         1. A: You can but you have to request them prior to an event you are having
   b. Jasmine (NAACP):
      i. Proposal: Change requirements for how police are assigned to events
         1. Possibly have police only at social events and not at educational events

IX. Advisor Comments
   a. Involvement Fair moved to the Recreation Center
b. Resources if you want to start a new program on campus
   i. Co-sponsorship fund can cover up to 50%
   ii. CAB can cover up to 50%
   iii. Find out more info at LU Hub or contact Morgan Pulliam

   c. Reach out to Todd if you need help with projects or with contacting Staff
      i. Email: tshaver@lamar.edu

   d. The Montagne Center will be a voting site

   e. For team building events (rock wall, s’mores, etc.): Contact Eric Johnson

X. Announcements

   a. Voter Registration Event: September 23 at 5 Pm - 7 Pm at Involvement Fair
   b. Drive the Vote: Look to social media for dates
   c. Follow SGA on social media to stay up to date on all our events
   d. “No Means No” Event: Thursday at 6:30 PM in the SSC Ballroom
   e. Every other Tuesday visit the church (across from Maes) for free lunch
   f. Campus Hours: Feel free to let SGA know about events going on so we can support

XI. Adjournment

   a. Adjourned at 6:09 PM