WITTENBERG STUDENT SENATE

SENATE MEETING AGENDA

On Tuesday, October 12, 2021 at 7:00p.m., in the Offices of Student Senate, the Student Senate Executive Board held a Meeting with the following persons present:

1. Call to Order/Roll Call:
	1. *Tardus: Chandran, Sharpensteen, Lightner*
	2. *in absentia: Wolfe*

# Minutes approved by:

Special Order:

1. Officer Reports/Goals: (10 minutes)
	1. **Thombs, President –**
		1. Need new suggestions for Witt Gold Restaurants
		2. Resolutions for change to the constitution last week
			1. Put out memo
		3. Potential ted talk event in the spring
			1. If you have any ideas let Emmanuel know
	2. **White, Vice President –**
		1. Homecoming was awesome! Huge shoutout to Sarah who helped me roll t-shirts and organize everything for homecoming! Also, huge thank you to all of those who threw out shirts too!
		2. Thank you to Casey for donating the pom poms! They were definitely a big hit!
	3. **Bell, Treasurer** –
		1. No report
	4. **Oliver, Secretary** –
		1. No report
	5. **Paazig, FSC** –
		1. No report
	6. **Adams, 2022** –
		1. Senior class cabinet will be hosting a tabling event (potentially in Hollenbeck or science?) to collect votes on what mission the senior gift should support: student access and scholarship or career exploration and outcomes. If we do not get votes, we have considered creating a doodle poll or something that we could send out to the class of 2022.
	7. **Golden, Public Relations** –
		1. No report
	8. **Sheriff, Diversity --**
		1. Meeting with Emmanuel to talk about Diversity Senator position
			1. Prepared an email for Jade, potentially having a bi-weekly roundtable
		2. Looked at diversity senator role
		3. Works in Diveristy house as part of position
	9. **Mazzulli, Student Organizations**—
		1. Starting to go over materials for position
		2. Understanding what my responsibilities are
	10. **Tarrance, RHA** –
		1. RHA is looking for a new secretary
			1. Got one!
		2. RA of the month nominations are going live soon and will be announced this Thursday (October 10/21)
		3. RHA’s next giveaway is a pair of headphones (Sony noise cancellation)
	11. **Buck, Greek** –
		1. If any student orgs want to watch the recording of the Love, Mom and Dad anti-hazing program I can get the recording for you
		2. There will be an all-fraternity anti-hazing workshop/training in November
	12. **Spencer, Green** –
		1. Campus Clean up was Thursday!
	13. **Chandran, AIA** –
		1. September 30th
			1. General Meeting (Cookie Decorating) 25pax
				1. Had a great turn out
				2. Cookie decorating was successful
		2. October 9th
			1. Crossroads at Homecoming
				1. Had 5 international dishes and 2 international drinks
				2. Successful, good turnout
		3. Upcoming: October 13th
			1. Mental Health Bingo
				1. AIA collaboration with union board and tiger counseling
		4. October 14th
			1. Hispanic Heritage Month
				1. AIA general meeting (movie and snacks TBD after confirming at exec meeting)
	14. **Sharpensteen, Witten ’Burbs** –
		1. Plan on holding a campus cleanup by the end of the semester
	15. **Blander, CBS**
	16. Soirée was successful
2. **Kuzilwa, Interfaith**-
	1. No report
3. **Wolfe, SAAC –**
	1. No report
4. **Lamb, GSDA –**
	1. Our Chalk Out Loud, event, co-sponsored by the Chapel, for National Coming out Day went very well!
	2. Partnering with Counseling center to have a succulent pot painting event
5. **Eckhert, 2023** –
	1. No report
6. **Bruce, 2024** –
	1. Working on a community outreach
	2. Tshirt swap fundraiser
7. **Lightner, 2025** –
8. No report
9. **Gill, Advisor** –
	1. University new anti-hazing policy has been sent out
		1. Law states any individual joining an university organization must participate in an anti-hazing program before joining the group
		2. Starting it during orientation
		3. Employees are mandated reporters and must be sent to law enforcement
	2. Covid updates
		1. Testing next week will be updated soon
		2. Last three weeks there were 0 positive test at testing
		3. Ohio numbers are going down
		4. Masks will be worn through the semester in academic buildings
		5. Get through fall break and look at those numbers to see if mask mandate will be reevaluated
10. Committee Reports: (5 minutes)
	1. **Paazig, Educational Policy** –
		1. Proposal for the Academic Advisor award
	2. **Adams & White, Events**-
		1. Stay tuned for more progress on more events on and please let me or Avery know if you have any ideas!!
	3. **Bell, Finance** –
		1. Vote on Shea Suggs joining Finance Committee during new business
	4. **Golden & Oliver, Outreach and Public Relations** –
		1. New Senate Logo
	5. **Thombs, Student Life –**
		1. Link for Transportation Shuttle Interest Form created
		2. Potential collab with UB for Spring Homecoming Court
11. Campaigns Reports
	1. **Truth Talk Thursday**
		1. No report
	2. **Build a Better Wittenberg**
		1. Held two hearings this past week
		2. Allocated $4,400 to LNI for the Greek Week Pack
		3. Allocated $800 to Campus Cupboard and the Hagen Center for the Little Free Pantry Project
12. Open Forum:
	1. What are the steps that have been taken to fill the open positions for class of 2025
		1. Emmanuel and/or Morgan will meet with the class president to go over the position and how they will go about filling up the cabinet
	2. Tshirt swap
		1. Get all of the orgs together to do a tshirt swap for witt shirts
		2. Bring out witt pd for education on the app and maybe do a pie an officer event too
		3. Let Mckenna know if you have any ideas
	3. Policy advisory committee
		1. There are 8-10 interested students for the committee will the committee meet soon
	4. Senior class gift
		1. Talked about once helping fund the accessibility to buildings
		2. Casey talked to finance and director of facilities about getting more details for electronic entry to buildings
	5. Question about tiger counseling – counselor aimed at underrepresented students
		1. Posted position in the spring but had no good candidates
		2. Hoping to repost soon
		3. Matt and Casey have been actively talking about this position
	6. When do we get to put our hand prints on the wall
		1. Never – the room is getting renovated
		2. Or not paint the walls with the handprints
		3. Maybe start doing plaques?
			1. One plaque per year
		4. Yearbook style picture
		5. Since painting the hallway maybe get plaques for past senate groups
		6. Senate wall in Shouvlin atrium since we’re donating money towards renovations
		7. Do we have a record system for student senate members past
			1. Presidents’ plaque
			2. Website has records till ‘90
	7. Can senate sponsor witt late night event
		1. Tiger fund
13. Old Business:
14. New Business:
	1. Swearing in of Regan Mazzulli
	2. Academic Advisor of the year Award
		1. Debate over amount of money for award or help with professional development
	3. Vote on Shea Suggs for finance committee
		1. Motion: Thombs
		2. Second: White
		3. Motion passed!
	4. How to collaborate homecoming court into the future with UB and Senate
	5. Create a student section for future games
		1. Maybe have a tailgate before that way people show up
		2. Code red
15. Announcements:
	1. Casey – “You all are awesome and doing a great job”
16. Adjournment:

Motion to adjourn: White

Second: Paazig