

Niagara County Community College
Student Government Association Meeting Minutes

Date: 2/25/2021

Call to Order: 1:03

Pledge to Flag: Done

In Attendance: Miranda Fiore, Arianna Morales, Allyson Clark, Heather Trumble, Jennifer Schwab, Linsay Ewing, Mathius Oliver, Maurice Jackson, Julia Pitman, Shannon Gianquinto, Chris Tirella, Jacob Mancuso, Colin Lacki, Mikaysjiah Allen, Bob McKeown, Genesis Smith, Emily Seymour

Excused Absence: Amanda Hasley

Guests: Willam Brinson

Public Comments:

- Will Brinson – Coordinator Men of Merit program – 19–24-year-old men – partnering with Prenatal Care of WNY. Event March 8th – documentary in regards to the underground railroad in C161 from 12-1pm

Minutes: 2/11/21 Meeting Minutes Approved with 1 editorial change to capitalize the 3 c's in NCCC.

Motion: Jacob Mancuso

Second: Mathius Oliver

Motion Pass: Carried

Student Government Presidents Report:

- Zoom Hangouts
- SUNY SA
 - Higher Education Action Week
 - Met with Sen. Kevin Thomas and he agreed to advocate for the under representation of community colleges.
 - Speaker Series- Veterans Affairs was live streamed on Facebook Feb 25th at 7pm and highly encourages SGA to engage.
- Student Town Hall- Shoutout to Maurice Jackson, and Allyson Clark for being a great representation of SGA. Also thanks to all of the SGA members who showed support, asked questions and participated. Any questions that went unanswered will be answered in the upcoming week.
- Climate Survey- Make sure to do it! It was sent by SUNY, and will contribute to making NCCC a safer place.

Student Government Vice-President's Report:

- Club Updates- GAC has an anime screening March 5th from 12-4 in the SEL. GAC is also hosting a Gaming hangout February 26th from 12-4 in the SEL. Student life has partnered with the Black Student Union for the Risking Everything Screening on March 8th from 12-1. The Veterans Association will be co-hosting on our bi-weekly trivias and will have a America Beautiful theme on March 30th. NSLS fundraiser reached their goal during the townhall meeting. If interested to buy a coupon book, there are still more available, contact Allyson Clark and she'll grab one. They are \$25. The Business Club is doing elections.
- SUNY SA
 - Womxn's Task Force- A march will be held, and is under planning. Will try to incorporate female leaders from community colleges/ state colleges. If there are any female leaders on campus that you'd think will be interested please feel free to send them Allyson Clark's contact info.
 - ID Cards Resolution was passed. Will be used Fall 2021.
 - Spring Conference- Will be virtual, and has the option to send senators from SGA. If you're interested, the registration fee will be waived. There will be workshops for advocacy. Voices for change will be on a diverse track and will reach out to local communities that are underrepresented. If you have any proposals, feel free to send them. It will be amazing for students to participate.

Student Trustee's Report:

- Grant Activity
 - Used Coronavirus Relief for \$7 Million
- Updates on Vacancies in the President's Office
- Foundation Report- From the donations received in January.
- BOT Facilities Committee Updates
 - Pool Testing Hours have been extended.
 - Weekly Surveillance
 - The Cafeteria Project will be completed by fall semester. Esports Lounge should be done by May.

Treasurer's Report:

- Budget Forms Reminder
 - Due Date 2/25 NO LATER THAN 2pm
 - Meeting times by Club Reps with Finance Committee
 - 3/3 from 12pm-1pm
 - 3/5 from 1pm-2pm
 - 3/9 from 12:45pm-1:45pm
- All forms and meetings above are offered in a Hybrid format, virtually or in person

Finance Resolution 01-2021

Be it resolved to transfer:

From:

Theatre	3100	\$3,500.00
Art Gallery	3350	\$1,000.00
Professional Performances	3250	\$22,000.00
Theatre Tech	3450	\$3,500.00
Calendars	6250	\$2,000.00
Orientation	5300	\$4,500.00
Travel	6350	\$13,000.00
Major Artists / Speakers	5100	\$15,000.00
Club Contingency	5970	\$2,000.00
Co-Curricular Contingency	3980	\$1,500.00
Hospitality	6100	\$2,700.00
Teacher Education Club	5845	\$300.00

To:

Reserve	9010	\$71,000.00
---------	------	-------------

Rationale: To move funds to the reserve account to cover the fall shortfall.

Motion: Finance Committee

Second: Lindsey Ewing

Motion Pass: Carried

Student Event Coordinator's Report:

- Supermarket Sweep- Arianna Morales and Allyson Clark will be taking over. 10 people came to the last event on 2/23/21. That was a significant drop, usually bringing in 20-25 people.
- Game Night- 10 people attended, but they had a great time filled with laughter.
- Mardi Gras- Due to bad weather, 4-5 students attended.
- Upcoming March Snack CAB- Will be St. Patrick's themed. Going to up it to 50 students due to selling out quickly. Always have great participation.
- Among Us was great! Had 10 people participate. Should do again!
- Women's Empowerment Event will be held March 4th from 12-4 in the SEL. Students will be able to write letters to the women that inspire them.

Coordinator's Report:

- Brian Michel has submissions to colors.
- Award banquet will look professional and incorporate pictures and videos. It will be recorded so it can be streamed.
- Working with Tom Krieglstein to study a Clubs and Organization course online. This will help with recruiting and learning how to put together a club.
- Julia Pitman will check with the President to see what we can offer for the Talent show.
- We should soon write a proposal for the carnival stating how many rides will be there, how many people we expect to attend and ect.

Athletic Director's Report:

- It is an open weekend for Mens and Womens Basketball. People can't attend, but it will be live streamed.
- Virtual fitness classes are available.
- Fitness Center is open and restrictions have loosened slightly.

Student Services' Report:

- March 10th Pastoral Counseling will be held. 3 staff members hired by CRU will be in the mental house suite in the B-building Wednesday's 12-3pm. Will be advertised.
- No classes on March 2nd, shuttles will run on a holiday schedule. There will be a virtual recruitment held.
- Pool testing will be extended to 6pm.
- Plan to have 75% classes in person Fall 2021 depending on governor/SUNY approval.

Faculty Reports: No report

Committee Reports:

- Programming Committee meeting Wednesday March 3rd at 1pm.
- Student Wellness Committee March 1st at 3pm.

Old Business:

- Evaluations- Due on March 3rd no later than 2pm. Give constructive criticism in an assertive way.
- Event Attendance- Make sure to attend office hours. Try to participate in more events. Have to attend at least two in person and one online.
- Jill will put healthcare cards in mailboxes for students to fill out.

New Business: None

Good and Welfare:

- Weekly COVID Testing is mandatory. Only 72% of campus has been getting tested. Need to push for 100%.
- Stay Safe and Healthy everyone!

Adjournment: 1:53 pm

Motion: Jacob Mancuso

Second: Genesis Smith

Motion Pass: Carried