

Niagara County Community College  
Student Government Association Minutes

**Date:** March 10, 2022

**Call to Order:** 3:33 pm

**Pledge:** Done

**In Attendance:** Allyson Clark, Andrew Binks, Serena Spangler, Mia Montibello, Sonia Swann, Maurice Jackson, Sara Sallaj, Emily Seymour, Hunter Fry, Alexandria Webster, Jacob Tipton, Rafaella Palmeri, Jozlyn Fiorito, Heather Trumble, Jennifer Schwab, Julia Pitman, Bob McKeown, President Murabito, Shannon Gianquinto

**Excused Absence:** Elizabeth Sachs, Amanda Haseley, Bob McKeown

**Unexcused Absence:** Tre 'Ayona Giddens

**Guests:** Araianna Striffler, Ross Annable, Terry Gill

**Emily 3:34**

**Sara 3:35**

**Shannon 3:40**

**Public Comments:**

- Public safety:
  - Senator Sallaj-
    - Security cameras
    - Key fobs metal detectors
    - Campus safety after the fact
    - Visitor sticker
    - Set up a meeting regarding funds
  - Public Safety
    - NCCC has an open campus policy, as do most colleges
    - Many types of programs are offered on campus to people in the community
    - NCCC employs both unarmed and armed officers
    - Patrol the parking lot during the morning
    - Officers all around campus 3 to 4 times a day
    - Security concentrate in high volume areas
    - Manning of security stations at the doors
    - Determine the needs of students and employees as well as see if they want a locked-down campus
    - Key fobs people can still get in, too many entrances, limiting them would be problematic
    - Where would the budget come from

- Julia Pitman
  - Suggested a student's having a visible ID campaign

Rafaella 3:57 joined

Rena Left 3:59

- Ally
  - Takeaways:
    - Survey students and the facility before the conversation continues
    - There is more security presence than ever before
    - There is a space for a student representative at safety meetings
    - Have security host a PB&J Monday

**Minutes:** Approve meeting minutes from February 24, 2022 at the next meeting

**President Report:** (Allyson Clark)

- Allan Benjamin Resignation
- Ari
  - Freshman senator position
    - Andrew - Changes?
      - No security to deal with problems in housing
  - Secretary Swann is in favor
- Elections for the 2022-2023 SGA Board
  - Tabling in LC on April 25 & 26 from 11-1 pm
    - NFCI - 27 at NFCI during the 90's bash
  - Dates- April 25-27
  - Open to part-time and full-time students
    - Next meeting: how to open online students
- Meat Raffle
  - Tickets available from senators or in student life
  - donations
  - April 2, 2022
  - Doors open at 6 pm first drawing at 7 pm
  - Knights of Columbus in North Tonawanda
  - Proceeds to go to programming
- Resignation of Allan Benjamin

Raphaella left 4:15

Ari on the constitution committee

**Vice President Report:** (Andrew Binks)

- Bowling Bash 3/23 PTK
- GAC- Fully funded for convention

- Pride- Drag Show planning in progress
- Club workshop for club presidents 3/22 2-3:30
- Teachers Education Club reactivation

**Treasurer's Report: (Serena Spangler)**

- Budget requests are waiting for numbers to continue

**Student Government Event Coordinator Report: (Mia Montibello)**

- Galaxy hot plate event- very successful
- Michaela Paige- Tripp café and "Be You" events- were both successful
- Service for Slice- successful

**Student Trustee Report: (Maurice Jackson)**

- April 14, lunch with The Board of Trustees at 3:30pm
- Police Academy Graduation went well
- Next Board meeting will be March 22

**Senator's Report:**

- Senator Fiorito- Shuttle schedule
  - Needing an additional Bus
  - Not used enough regarding cost
  - Heather & Julia to bring to the next meeting
- Senator Tipton- service project- cleaning shelter
  - President Clark- Bringing Ross to the next meeting to discuss
- Vice President Binks- nonstudents using gaming lab
  - Christian and Heather will produce a policy

**Coordinator's Report: (Heather Trumble)**

- Will not be on campus again until March 28
- Let me know if there is something you want to see from APCA

**Athletic Director's Report: (Amana Haseley)**

- Basketball Nationals is next week
- Baseball, Softball, and Golf will start soon
- Wrestling all American Frankie 6<sup>th</sup> all American
  - 4<sup>th</sup> div 3

**Student Services Report: (Julia Pitman)**

- Registration begins when we get back from break
- SGA Awards Banquet- May 4 at 5pm in Dining Commons
  - Students are free
  - May invite two people at \$10 each
  - Nomination forms are available

**Committee Reports:**

- Constitution Committee- will be able to meet again

**Old business**

- None

**New business**

- Team bonding- 3/31 Tonawanda following meeting

**Good welfare:**

- March 31, 2022 at 3:30pm is the next SGA meeting

**Adjournment:**

- 4:50pm
- **Motion:** Senator Swann **Second:** Senator Fry **Motion:** Carried