

**THE RICHARD STOCKTON
COLLEGE
OF NEW JERSEY
STUDENT SENATE**

**Notice of Meeting
February 10, 2009
4:30 p.m.
G-wing Lounge**

Pomona, New Jersey 08240-0195 - (609) 652-4845

STUDENT SENATE MEETING
AGENDA

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- I. Call to Order/Roll Call
- II. Approval of Minutes
- III. President's Report
- IV. Committee Reports
 - A. Finance
 - B. Public Relations
 - C. Academic Policies
 - D. Student Government
 - E. Student Welfare
- V. Announcements/Comments from the Public
- VI. Adjournment

2008-2009 Student Senate Meeting
Minutes from
January 27, 2009

Presiding: Ashley Pero

Members Present: Brian Ackerman

Brian Brateris

Kevin Devine

Will Bl...

Precious Jemibewon

Melissa Gonzalez

Gentae Kemp

Dawn Leiser

John Livres

Frank Matthews

William Newkirk

Timothy Papp

Xochil Ramirez

Jamey Robinson

Sammy Sanchez

Danielle Sanzone

Sara Sterling

Tamika Thompson

Members Absent: Ingrid Jean-Gilles

Matthew Miller*

Gretchen Ramos*

Josh Spada*

Dyanette Williams*

*Notified Chair

Members Late: Jonathan Beloff

late were noted Jamey moved to approve the minutes of the December 2 2008 meeting

Motion Passed: 19-0-1*

Xilena arrived at this time.

President's Report: Ashley Pero

Stockton community that recently passed away: Dr. Paul Lyons, Professor of Social Work and Officer Maria Parziale of the Stockton Police.

Ashley then welcomed everyone back from break and thanked all that attended the Town Hall meeting. Ashley concluded by reminding senators that there are senate shirts missing that need to be returned.

Vice President's Report: Kevin Devine

Kevin welcomed everyone back and announced the next Inter Club Council meeting is set for Thursday, February 5, 2009.

Committee Reports: Finance

John announced that the committee set the schedule to evaluate the

Water Watch submitted a supplemental in the amount of \$1,847.44 to fund a training weekend. Tim moved to approve the supplemental, seconded by Jamie.

Motion Passed: 18-3-1*

*Senators Opposed: Jonathan Beloff, William Elmore and Danielle Sanzone

Senator Abstained: Ashley Pero

M.A.L.E.S. submitted a supplemental in the amount of \$886.15 to fund their 3rd Annual Scent of Romance Dance. Tim moved to approve the supplemental, seconded by Jonathan.

Motion Passed: 21-0-1*

*Senator Abstained: Ashley Pero

School Spirit

Danielle then reported on the Osprey's Nest fundraiser. The committee raised over \$500 for the boys in this carnival.

Danielle then reported that the committee discussed plans for the upcoming Spring Carnival. They created and submitted a proposal for the event to the Office of Student Development for approval.

Danielle announced that the committee discussed plans for continuing with the Club Capsules in the Osprey's Nest.

Public Relations

Xilena reported that the committee discussed ways of making the Student Senate more visible to the student body. They plan to develop programs for student leaders.

Xilena then announced that the Student Senate bulletin board in the lower G-wing gallery will be used to keep students informed on upcoming senate violence.

Student Welfare

Brian Brateris stated that he spoke with Don Woolley, Director of Plant Management and Housing Maintenance, regarding the completion of the double-track path lighting. Mr. Woolley told him that due to a delay he is still working on the lighting by arrival.

Brian Ackerman stated that he spoke to Terrence Herder, Director of Residential Life, about the construction in Parking Lot 7 and was informed that there is also a sign issue with the space. The issue was resolved and the sign will be covered within two months.

Lonnie informed him that they may be purchasing pool passes for students, and they are looking into transportation.

Tamika read the following e-mail from Donald Moore, Associate Vice President for Operations regarding the Alton Auditorium:

"We are pleased to announce the completion of the Alton Auditorium."

The facility has been completely transformed into a state of the art educational and performance space. I have attached a few of the shots of the space for your viewing pleasure, but please take a few minutes to drop by and visit. On the day of our next board meeting, President Saatkamp will be leading the Board of Trustees in a ribbon cutting ceremony to

The tentative date for the ribbon cutting is February 18th

Academic Deletion

Donna stated that the committee will be selling absolute zero as a fundraiser.

Dawn then reported that the committee will be holding a workshop on domestic violence. They would like to have a social worker facilitate a workshop.

Dawn then stated that she met with Joseph LoSasso, Registrar, regarding the problem with lack of lab time for students. Mr. LoSasso informed her that the college is planning to hire more staff.

Association of Community College Public Administrators, President, Student Development, welcomed the senate. She then gave a report on the skills and accomplishments gained from the weekend programs in the Argo.

Thomas O'Donnell, Assistant to the Dean, announced that the campus now has a Veterans Affairs office in G-223, which will be coordinated by Patrick Shields, Coordinator of Veterans Affairs. Tom asked the senators to help get the word out to the veterans on campus.

A representative from the Theatre Club thanked the senate for supporting their trip to the Kennedy Center American College Theatre Festival in Philadelphia. She then gave a report on the skills and accomplishments gained from the trip.

Patricia Krevetski, Director of Auxiliary Services, announced that the bus to the train station in Ansecon. She also urged students to continue to communicate their issues regarding services and that she will address them.

Robert Jackson, Associate Professor of Philosophy, announced that the Stockton Faculty Band will be having a concert on March 6 at the House of Blues in Atlantic City in memory of Dr. Paul Lyons. Members of the Stockton community can purchase tickets for half price. Professor Jackson asked the senate for help to publicize this event.

The College Center announced that there will be consultants on campus for five days for an expansion of both the departments will transition to the new College Center.

Cheri Miller, Emergent, welcomed everyone back. Cheri Miller thanked everyone for their help with the Love 4 Lots campaign they raised over the weekend. They will be using a new messaging system on Thursday.

Robin Gillespie, Senior Director of Dining Services, announced that they have added the Osprey's Nest for delivery service and that they now have sushi on the menu.

Alderman announced that a delay will occur for the meeting at 5:10 p.m.