



Victor Valley College Associated Student Body

ASB Council
Meeting:

MINUTES

Opening Business:

1.0 – Call to Order: 1:07 p.m.

2.0 – Roll Call alvarez poa

Present: President Dustin, Vice President Brosowske, Treasurer Ballard, Senator Medina, Senator Feliciano, Senator Cruz-Hernandez, Senator Tirado, Senator Alvarez, Senator Kulasxa, Secretary Gempler, Senator Wasinger and Senator Perdomo

Absent: Foundation Representative Stacy, and Senator West.

Left Early: Senator Alvarez, Senator Kulasxa.

Guests: Lamuel Yellow House Jensen

3.0 – Agenda approval: (Brosowske/Alvarez) Wasinger moved to amend Item 6.3 to a discussion item, not voting item. MSC

4.0 – Minute approval: (Perdomo/Ballard) MSC with no corrections.

5.0 – Public Forum:

5.1 –No public today

Active Business:

6.0 – Unfinished Business:

6.1 – Approval of Funds NTE \$100.00 for Back to School Raffle: (Ballard/Kulasxa) MSC The back to school raffle is going to have supplies from the bookstore, and the money that is made from the raffle will be used for the next art competition in the spring.

6.2 -2012 Cinco de Mayo Committee Appointment: (Perdomo/Alvarez) President Dustin's choices for this committee are Senator Perdomo and Senator Cruz-Hernandez. Senator Perdomo mentions there were more people at the Cinco de Mayo meeting than any other year before. Senator Perdomo suggests that Senator Tirado be in charge of clubs, Senator Cruz-Hernandez to be in charge of the community clinic, and Senator Medina be in charge of the kid zone. Senator Perdomo notes that she will not be able to be part of Cinco de mayo like she was in previous years. Those on the committee are Senator Medina, Senator Perdomo, Senator Feliciano, Senator Tirado, Senator Cruz-Hernandez, Treasurer Ballard, and Secretary Gempler.



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6.3 – Independent Age Committee: Discussion Item: Senator Wasinger looked at the numbers, and the petition now has 101 signatures. Senator Wasinger wants everyone to commit to get 10-12 people every month, if each council member can do this, the petition will have 500 signatures by April. She will be working on a flyer that can be passed out to students during welcome week as well as posted in the Mac lab for the rush of IDs. The next committee meeting will be Wednesday January 4th, 2012 at 11 a.m. Available council should be at the meeting, as Senator Wasinger will be showing the Independent Age presentation. The committee plans on getting more interviews for the Independent age video. Senator Wasinger just reposted the link to the petition on her facebook page and encourages everyone else to re-link it on their facebook pages.

6.4 – 2012 Alumni Hall of Fame: Treasurer Ballard reported that the Alumni Hall of Fame happens Feb. 25th 2012. The foundation looks to A.S.B. for setup and decorating. Treasurer Ballard expresses that it is a great way to get to know people in the community. The foundation raises money for scholarships by selling tables at the event – Normally A.S.B. sponsors the Foundation by purchasing a table. This also allows an A.S.B. student to sit on the committee that decides which students get the scholarship.

7.0 – New Business

7.1 – Lateral position move of Student Advocate Gempler to Secretary: (Ballard/Tirado)
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7.2 – Back to School Spring 2012: ... Advisor Sewell questions the council, asking what their plans are for Welcome Week and the coming Spring semester. He asks, "Are we student Advocates? Do we want a street team? Do we want a variety of different Activities? We doing student raffles, hosting events, how are we going to make contact with our students?" He wants the council to start suggesting ideas, and work toward making these things happen. The Back to school event for the bookstore is Feb. 11th. RamRage is that Saturday. Students get a discount with the A.S.B. Card. There is a beauty pageant for the High Desert, which gives participants scholarships. Jan. 21st Travis Brass Band is playing for free in the gym. Advisor Sewell asks, "What do we want to do that is going to be fun for students? What kind of message do you want give?" He suggests the council see what other schools are doing for inspiration. Senator Medina wants to do an art show. He reminds the council to keep in mind the scheduling. If the events require a lot of participation, make sure that everyone can participate. The bookstore is going to be very busy, as well as the admissions office. Senator Wasinger suggests incorporating the sports teams, as well as different faculty, staff and services around the college in welcome week. This can be done by having booths for each of these groups, and having them do their own activity at each one. This will help reduce the fiscal responsibility of A.S.B. while still making an impact during welcome week. Senator Kulasxa suggests a campus tour, and a help center for new students. Senator Brosowske suggests inviting local mayors and



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congressmen. Advisor Sewell requests that each councilmember get together at least 5 questions to share with the students.

7.3 – Disciplinary Committee Recommendations: No recommendations

7.4 – Charter of Clubs: No charters

7.5 – Re-Charter of Clubs: No Re-charters

8.0 – President Dustin's Forum: President Dustin wants each council member to get at least 3 discounts for the discount list. He suggests having the sticker to make the process easier. He wants at least 50 discounts on the list. "Lets keep working together as a team. Things come up, and its understandable, but we are the ones sticking with it. How can we affect students – Help students, that is cost effective?"

Vice President Brosowske's Forum: Spoke with Ken Anderson, who will be working in the High Desert for Sharon Runner this week. He will be here tomorrow to help with the Strengthening our Community event. He wants the council at the college tomorrow to help with Ken Anderson and Sharon Runner's initiative.

9.0 – Council's Forum

9.1 – Senator Tirado: Senator Tirado says the Cans for Concert event went great. She wants to say thank you to everyone who was there, and those who participated. Overall, it was a great event. The church that received the donations were very thankful of the large donation made after the event. Something Senator Tirado has been working on is the Checklists. She typed up all the positions for all the clubs, noting who hasn't and who has attended the ICC meetings. She will be checking up who has the qualifications to be in clubs as officers. She also needs the clubs minutes, so she will be following up on that. She is getting all this ready so the council can make an informed decision when they decide to choose V.V.C. Club of the year. There is a Variety show this Friday and Saturday. Senator Tirado and VP Brosowske will be MCs. The event is free with an A.S.B. Card.

9.2 – Senator Perdomo: Jan 21st is the Travis Band performance. She needs help getting the word out. She finished the flyer for the Cinco de Mayo poster contest. She hopes to have them done today, and would appreciate if the council would help pass them out.

9.3 – Wasinger: Welcome to 2012. She wants to make the council is working on the petition. She says to start preparing - There are about 70 days left until the ASACC Conference. Again, emphasizing the need for signatures.



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9.4 – Senator Feliciano: Senator Feliciano says he is just glad to be back and ready to do work.

9.5 – Treasurer Ballard: Treasurer Ballard wishes the council a happy new year, and expresses how nice it is to see the council again. The computer that was in the VP and P office is gone which means all the financial reports are gone. She is praying to find it. NTR for financial reports.

9.6 – Kulasxa: Just got back from Vegas 2 nights ago. She is helping her grandmother move, so she will not be in the office all week. If you need to get a hold of her text/call or email. She agrees with President Dustin, the council needs to get more discounts. She also expresses there are eyes and ears everywhere. Its important to be good reps of V.V.C. and A.S.B.

9.7 – Secretary Gempler: Secretary Gempler expresses how glad she is to be back, and is thankful for the approval of her lateral position move. She looks forward to writing minutes for the council.

9.8 – Senator Cruz-Hernandez: Senator Cruz-Hernandez emailed her department chairs this week.

9.9 – Senator Medina: Senator Medina is working on the back to school raffle and the art competition as well as getting the events for Welcome week on paper.

9.10- Senator Alvarez: Senator Alvarez reports that the computer is in the fax room. The Mac in the executive council's office needs to be put back in the Mac room. It was suggested to take it out of there and put into the Mac lab. Senator Alvarez explained that when he went to Cal state longbeach, the school put up laminated flyers in the grass. He suggested the council can do this for the events. He hasn't had time to do the website. He is going to work on it this week as well as re-do the discount brochure template.

10.0 Advisor Sewell's Forum: Advisor Sewell encourages the council to set up a budget for Welcome Week. VP Brosowske needs to make appointments for ASACC. The council needs to secure appointments with Senator Boxer and Senator Feinstein. Next week the council should begin looking for students to fill the empty positions on council. The election schedule needs to be completed this week. He tells VP Brosowske to check with Deanna for the timeline. Elections start in march. Black history month – Martin Luther King Jr. event will be in the performing arts center from 3p.m. to 7p.m. The Campus will be closed on this day. Advisor Sewell complimented Senator Tirado for the Cans for Concert event and VP Brosowske for the congressional debate – both were done very well. Next



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week come up with 5 ideas/ 5 questions for welcome week. Finally Advisor Sewell suggests a back to school potluck/lunch meeting.

11.0 Financial Reports: NTR

12.0 Committee Reports:

12.1 Cinco de Mayo Committee – Senator Tirado reported that a lot of items on the agenda were tabled because people were not there. The committee wanted everyone to do a part instead of relying on one person, as they've done in the past. Senator Tirado agrees with Senator Perdomos comment about committee involving more than just two council members. VP Brosowske contacted the editor and chief of the Daily Press who said they would cover the event. The next meeting is Jan 12th 2012 at 12:00 p.m.

12.2 – Environmental Health and Safety committee - Jan 11th 9 a.m.

12.3 – Independent age – 11 a.m. On Tuesday Jan 4th 2012

12.4 – Technology Committee – Monday January 9th 2012

12.5 – Board Meeting – Next meeting is Jan 24th 2012 at 5 p.m.

13.0 Foundation Reports:

Concluding Business:

14.0 – Adjournment: (Tirado/Ballard) The meeting is adjourned at 2:16 p.m. The next meeting is Thursday January 12th 2012 at 11 a.m. Senator Cruz-Hernandez will chair the next meeting.