### **Helena College Student Government Association Minutes**

Tuesday, March 25th, 2014

**Roll Call** President: Greta Pollock Vice President: Brittanie Schwedhelm

Business Manager: Shawn Palmer Staff Advisor: Elizabeth Stearns-Sims. Quorum has

been met. Meeting called to order at 12:10pm.

Attendees (Senators in BOLD)- Leesa Estey, Kirsten Mortimore, Ashley Strandberg, Tara Moltich, Christian Arp, Nicolas Caleb Turner, Cory Oestreich, Chris Bettis, Salina Ernst

Leesa Estey motioned to approve the minutes as written, Christian Arp seconded. Motioned passed.

### **Old Business**

**Two Lives at a Time Proposal** – Florence Crittenden project to pay for food; community project for \$1300. Vote (as written): 1-8-0. Brittanie Schwedhelm motioned 1000, Ashley Strandberg seconded, 5-5-0. Ashley Strandberg motioned \$800, Brittanie Schwedhelm seconded, 7-3-0, motion carried. **\$800** to be given to this proposal.

**Promise Playground Proposal** – \$250 proposed. *Vote:* 3-6-1, motion did not carry. Motion dropped.

**Student Funding Proposal** – \$900 needed to pay for test. *Silent vote:* 1 - 7 - 0, *motion did not carry and is dropped.* 

# **New Business**

**Nursing Proposal** – Tara Moltich, treasurer for HC nursing department presented the proposal. Requesting funds to attend the Nashville Nationals Convention for nursing. Support has been given from the MT nursing association, but still is in need for air fare. Tara wishes to start local chapter for the field; convention would help support that goal. \$650 requested. Personal fundraising done for MSN as a whole; asked local businesses for cash donations; will continue to complete donation request from St. Peter's. 8 people going, all are students. Knowledge received will go to HC nursing students.

**Power Tables** – previous legacy gift for both campuses. A proposal was made for 2 tables from the airport campus to be brought over to the ALCC (Donaldson campus). *Nicolas Turner motioned to move the tables, Christian Arp seconded. Vote:* 10 - 0 - 0, *motion carried.* 

**Highway Cleanup** – April 26<sup>th</sup>, call for volunteers. Will count as an event.

**Applications for Executive Council** – applications are available on the SGA website. Email to Josh Bennett by April 8<sup>th</sup>.

**March Mask-ness** – March 28<sup>th</sup>, 6-10pm spread the word. DJ and catering will be there. Call for volunteers for setup at 3 – 3:30pm and cleanup after event. *Ashley Strandberg, Christian Arp, Leesa Estey, Greta Pollock, Brittanie Schwedhelm, Kirsten Mortimore volunteered.* 

# **General Discussion**

**Budget** – \$4000 left in SGA budget (prior to meeting)

**Clothesline Project** – event going well, t-shirts are hanging up throughout the Donaldson campus to help stop sexual violence.

### **Announcements**

**Spring Luau** – April 17<sup>th</sup> at the airport campus, 11am-1pm. The Grill will cater this event. No committee needed.

Movie Day – Star Wars: a New Hope will be shown on March 27<sup>th</sup>; free popcorn provided by SGA Senate

Coloring Contest – Superhero themed; due on Friday, April 4th

**Counting Contest –** will have stations at both campuses

**Senate Scholarship** – April 14<sup>th</sup> deadline

Faculty Marshals – all 4 faculty members chosen accepted their duties

Next meeting is at the airport campus - Rm 205 at noon, April 1st, 2014.

Christian Arp motioned to adjourn, Salina Ernst seconded at 12:48pm.