

Helena College Student Government Association Minutes

Tuesday, April 1st, 2014

Roll Call **Vice President:** Brittanie Schwedhelm **Business Manager:** Shawn Palmer
Staff Advisor: Elizabeth Stearns-Sims
Quorum has not been met. Meeting called to order at 12:18pm.

Attendees (Senators in BOLD) - Cory Oestreich, Jim Wong, Nicolas Caleb Turner, Chris Bettis, Ashley Strandberg, Matt Horner

Matt Horner motioned to approve the minutes as written, Ashley Strandberg seconded. Motioned passed.

Old Business

Nursing Funding Proposal – vote needed for approval, but quorum has not been met. *Email vote to all senators by the business manager*

New Business

Scholarship Committee – call for volunteers before graduation/asap. Last committee of the semester for senator pay. *Jim Wong volunteered*

March Mask-ness – double attendance from winter ball. Catering, DJ, activities, and more chaperones. Thank you all senators who participated.

General Discussion

Machining Proposal – need to send all machinist students to Butte/Anaconda for field study (brief presentation given). 23rd April, presentation from Boeing - promoting machining program. Asking for \$1000 total for transportation and food. 27 (mostly students) going in total. *Placed on agenda for next week*

Recall student proposal – from Nicolas Turner, previous proposal requested \$900 for test. *Need new proposal by Friday, April 4th to be sent to Brittanie Schwedhelm.*

Announcements

Spring Luau – April 17th 11-1pm at the airport campus.

Executive council application – due by April 8th; voting will take place on April 15th. Nicolas Turner motioned to open vote to gen public, unable to do so with constitution as written. Senator drive was implemented at the airport campus but was not advertised well. Elizabeth Stearns-Sims mentioned breaking up email correspondence to be divided by department and campus; email is the major form of communication within the school. Comment on a constitutional amendment: have at least 1 person on executive council be from airport campus

Highway cleanup – April 26th, Saturday. Lunch provided afterwards. Approximately 1-2 hours of work.
Call for volunteers: Ashley Strandberg, Brittanie Schwedhelm, and Shawn Palmer

Coloring Contest – prizes are superhero themed. 1st – Captain American shield 2nd – Spiderman glove
3rd – Lego superhero. *Entries are due April 4th*

Counting Contest – located at the bookstore and at the airport campus at Colleen's desk. Lego blind bag
in the mix

Senate Scholarship – due April 14th. \$500 centered on specific needs, such as trade supplies and
computer

Elizabeth Stearns-Sims – volunteers needed to hide eggs for Easter. Also, Lexi Country's husband
passed away, donation from SGA requested

Next meeting is at the Donaldson campus - Rm 106 at noon, April 8th, 2014.

Nicholas Caleb Turner motioned to adjourn, Cory Oestreich seconded at 12:48pm.