Student Government Association
February 24, 2011
General Assembly Minutes

1. Call to Order
   a. 5:40 pm

2. Reading and Approval of Minutes
   a. X

3. Invited Guests
   a. Birk Wilkison and Charles Miles here to discuss a forum for executive board elections.
      Location is TBD. March 7th debate Monday at 7 pm. Hopefully the event will be in the Harris
      room.

4. Open Forum
   a. X

5. Executive Officer Reports
   a. President – Derek Trimm
      i. X
   b. Vice President – Nicole Munoz
      i. X
   c. Treasurer – Roger Frigstad
      i. 
   d. Secretary - Xavier Johnson
      i. Archive has been updated with all of the minutes from the past
      ii. Alcohol at Chili’s Meeting went well, all things look good for passing alcohol at Chili’s
      iii. Parking and Traffic meeting was Monday: with the new parking changes we are
           awaiting to see the results of how parking has been affected and we are going to be
           making changes as necessary
   e. Executive Senator- Jason Hensley
      i. Excellent meetings, we have a Student Affairs concealed carry legislation coming up
         next meeting

6. Standing Committee Reports
   a. Academic Affairs – Chris Weldon
      i. X
   b. Business Affairs – Victor Hinojosa
      i. Working on the same things except we are getting more research done. Natalie is
         setting up meetings and gathering research
      ii. We will be getting locks in the business building
      iii. We will be doing surveying to see what foods students would like to see on campus,
           as well as future plans for the downtown campus.
      iv. Natalie is requesting that anyone interested in meeting with Texas State about their
          food card program, meet after general assembly
   c. Student Affairs – John Boone
      i. We finished off with Shanty Shack, there are still canned goods in the office. Nicole
         will be taking those out of the office later tonight.
      ii. Major/Minor Fair- right now we do not have a lot of participation, we only have a
          few departments. If you did not hear your major listed please contact your
          department chair.
      iii. The Family Association will be handing out the two $250 scholarships.
iv. Will be drafting the concealed Carry Bill for being put on the table next week. Kort has a draft of the bill that can be used as well.

v. Taking up an issue with Housing and GLTBQ issues. Will be working with her on taking care of that.

d. University Advancement – Lacy Guaderrama
   i. Have been working on the same concerns, working with the development office at UTSA and with Alumni funding the Green Space and the Band Stand, but someone has mentioned that they are willing to donate $10,000.
   ii. The go-green subcommittee has mentioned they are willing to do stuff with packaging from Aramark
   iii. Working on the side walk, bike rack, and the sustainability forum

7. Committee and Senator Reports
   a. University Life Awards- Natalie Watts
      i. We have tons of decorations, and centerpieces, we need some help so if any style minded people want ot get involved please help out. Navy Blues, Purples, Silvers and Lilacs and orchids will be the main flowers. We have white orchids with purple in the center.
   b. SGA Banquet- Cassie Gonzalez
      i. If you want to be a part of banquet meet with me after the banquet. We are working with Who’s Who so we can pool resources and save some money.
   c. Public Relations – Sam Garcia
      i. Will be making flyers and posters for elections, we will be giving out information on how to vote.
      ii. Went to FIESTA UTSA meeting, it will be the same as BEST FEST, the meeting is April 8th. We need ideas for best fest.
      iii. CAB is having their annual salsa cook off. They just handed out forms yesterday.
      iv. We are making flyers posters etc for elections. Executive officer positions should not help as much but senators need to be there.

8. Advisor Reports
   a. John Montoya
      i. Excellent that we have saved money and planned all of our events well.
      ii. We have and opportunity and Student Government is hosting What’s Up Wednesday which is the first Wednesday of every month which is an opportunity for us to promote elections and University Life awards which is March 2nd. You will want to wear your polo and bring you’re a game.
   b. Barry McKinney
      i. Central Florida won the best campus event. UTSA unofficially got second place.
      ii. University Life Awards are coming up. As student government leaders and leaders on campus you should be the first ones to step up and nominate your organizations, other organizations, and or individuals or yourselves.
      iii. If we used our energies on student government events rather than Facebook events, remember the things you say reflect on this organization and other organizations as well. Build someone up rather than tearing someone down.
      iv. There are three meetings left in this administration and seven left before the end of the year.

9. New Business
   a. None

10. Announcements
a. Jordan Bittner- they hear nothing about 1604 events until after the events have occurred. Most of the downtown organizations are not in organizations on the downtown campus. We are going to try to get organizations to table at the downtown campus.

b. David Yang- We got our butts kicked in dodgeball, if there are any girls we would love for you to come out.

11. Adjournment
   a. Meeting adjourned
      i. 6:41pm

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