

## SGA MEETING MINUTES

10-12-20

### Attendance

Officers	Sophomores	Juniors	Seniors	Sponsors
Caroline	Dinali	Chinonye	Jamya	Mr Barry
Marie	Zoi	Eugene	Carson	Mrs McMaken
May	Ava	Elbread	Joe	
Nathan	Tatiana	Sinmi	Cole	
Joy	Destiny	Sanju	Cary	
Ella				

### Pledge of Allegiance

### Opening Statements

- Quote of the Day “No matter how hard the past you can always begin again” - buddha

### Parliamentarian, Ella Nichols

- Assembly Updates- Dr Allen from UAB will be doing part two of her diversity training this Tuesday for assembly. This is on zoom and the link was sent out in an email. Announcements need to be sent to Ella before the assembly and will be posted on the All School’s Team.
- SGA Calendar- Ella will put all SGA and activities dates and deadlines on a calendar for more structure.

### Sergeant at Arms, Nathan Kim

- New Pi Store Operations- Pi store will open with Covid Guidelines. We decided to have Pi Store open from 8:50 - 9:25 to make way for study hours. The table will be out in the hall besides instead of the little corner to help with social distancing. There will also be two reps running pi store every night. One rep will act as a cashier and enforce social distancing and mask wearing in the line and the other will get food and place it in a basket to be picked up. Gloves and germ-x will be used.
- Elbread wondered about a virtual Pi Store option but Nathan said it would be too complex. Pi Store is generally for cravings and an order form may make Pi Store have less customers.

- Mrs McMaken says that if anything is put on floor it has to get approved by maintenance. Mr Barry said we cannot do anything yet and to table it until further discussion.
- May says this is the most feasible solution to keep students safe and pi store running.
- Cole wants to know if having 2 reps each day will increase work load. May noted that most of fall term had no pi store, so this means that it equates to roughly the same amount of work.

**Secretary, Caroline Nelson**

- New SGA Portal Carson made a SGA website last year, but in order to keep everything under one domain, I will be creating a new SGA portal to be in the ASMS website. In the next few weeks we will be taking a group picture for this, and I am asking every SGA member to send me a picture of them and a short bio. We will be posting club forms, activities flyers, and other sga related links on the website. At the end of the meeting I will take a screenshot of teams for the website.
- AAC Meetings and Projects I will be meeting this Wednesday at 3 to start discussing our term plans. These include, but are not limited too Test prep ideas, goody bags, and getting a list of students for the Student Academic Support Committee.

**Treasurer, Marie Naylor**

- Club Budget Approval- All the club forms were turned in. We only had 27 clubs and 2 did not request a budget. All clubs should be approved since their requests fall \$692.95 under budget. The budget will be posted on teams.
- Marie poses the question of the International Culture Club. This will be catering events of world food. AC is planning some international food events so she wants opinions on whether or not to approve the club.
- Joy and Elbread both agree to approve them and to collaborate with the club if necessary.
- Mr Barry and Mrs McMaken need to see all the paperwork before anything is approved. We will hold a tentative vote before getting sponsor approval.
- In favor: 20
- Opposed: -
- Abstain: 1

The motion passes.

- CLC All School Meetings - Marie mentioned these meetings in her treasurer speech. CLC will host a town hall meeting after school on Wednesday and we need to spread the word. The purpose of the meeting will be to collect student input.
- CLC Projects- Many students have commented about the plethora of trash on campus, so there will be a beautification day the first week of winter term. Campus cleanups will be held every other week for service hours. Marie will also talk to maintenance about ant extermination since two students are severely allergic. There has also been a request for more trash cans, but Hannah and Rodney should be handling this. Marie also wants to implement charging stations around campus and white boards to the coffee house. They will also work on the TV room project and the Mural project.
- TV Room Renovation Update- The deadline for Parent Association Grants is 10.15. There is a yammer poll with TV room themes and when the results come in they will fill out a grant for the Tv Room renovation.

#### **Vice President, Joy Buchi**

- Weekend Events- Recap of last week: Friday- Smores and Stars event from 8-9:30. This event went well and had no complaints. There was a cheesecake tasting event on Saturday and the only complaints were that events should be held in bigger spaces so capacity guidelines can be met. Sunday there was a [skribbl.io](https://skribbl.io) event and the only comment was for better advertising. To fix this there will be more yammer posts before hand and flyers around campus. This week there will be a Bob Ross paint the Sunset event from 6-7. Saturday night there will be a treasure hunt and Sunday there will be a Halloween Kahoot.
- WF Updates- The Ac is still in the process of compiling venues. Joy will see about touring venues this week and we should have a location set by next week. The parent association said they would donate money for catering if need be.

#### **President, May Jung**

- Policy Committee Updates- Policy committee had their first meeting today. This year they will be working on Volunteer Opportunities, TedX events, community outreach, SGA Constitution and campus sustainability.

- Mural Project- The mural project will consist of a jellyfish by the pool and an ASMS dragon and logo by the basketball courts. A local artist will help students get started to paint these murals.
- Elbread asked if we have the designs yet. May says Dr Hoyle does and she can get them and put them in the SGA teams.
- Mrs McMaken asks for a timeline and May says that once Dr Hoyle says the artist has finished she will get all the students together to make a timeline.
- Notes - May reminds everyone that during study hours we should be doing school work, not SGA meetings. She said to keep SGA Monday meetings to an hour maximum to account for study hours. If you have something you want on the agenda you need to send to Caroline. We will make an SGA newsletter to help let the student body know what we are doing. Each committee will have a short section to let the campus know their plans.
- Carson tells everyone that study hours are actually at 7:30 on Mondays because of SGA meetings. This gives us more meeting time just in case.

### **Sponsors**

- Mr Barry- Sanju has asked for AC to have a mock presidential debate event. Dr Hoyle agreed to this as long as it will be taken seriously and the sponsors are involved and at the event itself. This will not be discussed now but the AC will meet tomorrow for details. He also wants to see his work service students and the Budget request forms.
- Mrs McMaken wants to give everyone a reminder to communicate. No one needs to announce a plan the sponsors don't know about. No new topics should be addressed in meetings. Sponsors are a go between from students and faculty. Sometimes there is a legal reasons things cannot happen and they would like to explain it. We need to follow the chain of command so no one is in the dark.
- Elbread asks if he has a policy idea who he should contact. Mrs McMaken says to go to the officers first and they can direct from there.

### **Closing Remarks**

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