

## SGA Minutes

4-4-22

### Attendance

Officers	Sophomores	Junior	Seniors	Sponsors
Nathan Kim	Wyatt Aiken	Destiny Buchanan	Sinmi Adeyemo	Ms. McMaken
Saku Cui	Fiat Le	Connie Chieh	Holt Templeton	
Eugene Min	Lex Mroczko	Zoi Moon	Sanju Mupparaju	
Elbread Roh	Mekhi Stennis	Jacob Schneekloth	Muhammed Shalan	
Dinali Jayasena			Ella Nichols	
Ava Dowden				

### Pledge of Allegiance

### Opening Statements

Saku states the thought of the day. "Every day it gets a little easier. But you gotta do it everyday". Saku took this quote from Bojack horseman, a popular show on Netflix. She hopes SGA members can relate to this quote.

### Parliamentarian – Saku Cui

Tomorrow's assembly will deal with the Alumni Panel selected just recently. This assembly will be online, and there will be no sign-ins for SGA representatives this week.

### Sergeant at Arms – Ava Dowden

Unfortunately, the Pi Store was not restocked. Finance informed Ava that SGA members cannot go to Sam's Club anymore due to policy change. Ava also states that the SGA sponsors and Finance want to make sure that Pi Store does not get too many items near the end of the year.

Nathan asked whether the Pi Store will be opened this week. Ava states it will not.

### Secretary – Elbread Roh

Elbread describes that he and his committee have been making progress with preparations for the final STAP group meeting and the STAP celebration. He presents a proposal regarding a STAP Celebration purchase.

SASC is planning on ordering catering for the STAP celebration. They are teaming up with MMI Dining to provide desserts for STAP participants and advisors as a gift of gratitude for participating in the program, and for being very diligent and hard-working throughout the year.

Elbread's committee is requesting \$245 to spend on the catering. Because of how large this purchase is (It is greater than \$100) SGA sponsors have requested Elbread and his committee to let the SGA vote on the purchase.

Muhammed asks whether this purchase will affect the spending on goody bags. Elbread replies that it will, but SASC plans on requesting some money from the Executive pool for the goody bags next week. He estimates that goody bags will cost around \$500, leading SASC to request \$350.

Nathan makes a motion to vote for approving this purchase for the STAP celebration. Mekhi seconds this vote.

Vote: Approve the purchase of desserts for the STAP celebration

- Approved: 12
- Rejected: 0
- Abstained: 8

The motion passes with a majority vote.

#### **Treasurer – Eugene Min**

Eugene has nothing for his agenda.

#### **Vice President – Dinali Jayasena**

For weekend events, AC is hosting a pool party on Friday, a picnic on Saturday.

Dinali asks if resources from the ribbon-cutting for the opening of the new ASMS Amphitheater will be available for her committee to use. Ms. McMaken states that they will be available to use.

Last week, AC had a summer-themed event and a bowling event, which were both very successful with ASMS students.

#### **President – Nathan Kim**

Nathan elaborates more on Mega Musical Chairs. Starting tomorrow, Policy Committee members will take turns selling tickets for Mega Musical Chairs. Booths will be set up which will determine the number of participants for Mega Musical Chairs. The due date for Mega Musical Chairs admission will be about a week before the event.

Connie states that tomorrow there will be the lunch-time retirement party at the Gym. Nathan then moves Mega Musical Chair sign-ups to start on Wednesday.

Nathan emphasizes that it is first-come first-serve, and that there are only 100 spots available. It is a very big event. Policy Committee is working diligently on the event.

Nathan also mentions that last week, the SGA sponsors encouraged SGA members to make suggestions regarding changes and renovations in clubs and SGA committees. Nathan states that he hopes for SGA members to submit recommendations before Spring break.

#### **Sponsors**

Ms. McMaken tells the SGA officers to facilitate discussion regarding club and committee renovations.

SGA officers will also meet up on their own terms to discuss this.

Ms. McMaken reminds the SGA that students are expected to pay attention to tomorrow's virtual assembly. He emphasizes that the alumni in the Alumni Council are top-tier members who are willing to help out current ASMS students.

She adds that she needs two SGA members to help out with the ribbon-cutting tomorrow. Destiny and Mekhi state they can help for this event.

Saku also mentions that SGA members should hold their fellow representatives accountable, and that they should prevent ASMS students from sleeping during assemblies. She encourages students to

Sanju asks if the ribbon-cutting ceremony is required for all students to attend. Nathan states that the ceremony is required for attendance, and that someone very very special will be speaking during the ceremony.

### **Closing Remarks**