

## SGA MINUTES

09.30.24

### Attendance

Officers	Sophomores	Juniors	Seniors	Advisors
Jeeah Kim	Kayla Ho	Bokyeong Kim	Narae Kim	Mr. Barry
Bake Elenitoba-Johnson	Eden Fillingim		Yun Ha	Ms. Millender
Derek Ricafort	Razariah Stokes	Eshal Syed	Katie Smith	
Jacob Kim	Nova Davis	Olivia Yoo	Naria Khristoforova	
Novita Whillock	Jeffrey Jeffrey	Mekhi Williams	Maura Walldorf	
Liana Jayasena				

### Pledge of Allegiance

### Opening Statements

Hello, everyone! The agenda was distributed. Let's move to the reports from our officers.

### Parliamentarian, Liana Jayasena

Thought of the day: "The best way to cheer yourself up is by cheering someone else up" by Mark Twain. Liana says its okay to feel tired we are all human. She concludes by saying to encourage your fellow peers!

### Sergeant at Arms, Novita Whillock

Novita met with School Spirit Committee. Wind Down Week will be multiple events after school the week before Hell Week. Monday at 9 PM a sardines game, Donut stress event (giving out donuts) on Tuesday at 6 PM, slime event in courtyard on Wednesday at 4PM, and a Tote Bag painting event in the courtyard on Thursday at 4 PM. Novita also needs helps for the slime event. People who volunteered to help are Yang, Maura, Katie Beth, Narae, Jeffrey, Nova, Eden, Kayla, and Razariah.

### Secretary, Jacob Kim

SGA Bios and Pictures are due tonight. Please get them done as soon as possible!

### Treasurer, Derek Ricafort

Club Voting was done tonight.

Each member of the SGA voted 6 clubs they would personally not want to be a part of SGA. Then the clubs with the most votes were discussed.

Comments on each club:

**Crochet Club:** Doesn't need to be SGA sponsored and can be done perfectly fine without sponsorship. Limited audience.

**Ignite:** The Winter Jam doesn't need to be paid for by the SGA. That is the main thing they are asking for. Only requesting money for a couple of students and not every single person.

**Performing Arts Club:** Lots of interest in it, providing a new unique experience. Potentially combining with another art club into one. The events provided doesn't require SGA funding. Only requesting funding for spring term on things we already have.

**Ultimate Frisbee Club:** A hobby, limited audience. Events do not require SGA funding.

**Break the Silence Club:** Some events are already planned by School Spirit Committee. The mission of the Break the Silence club is important and unique. Great mission but the funding is not necessary.

**Arts Club:** Already an art curriculum.

**AAA:** The collaboration and distribution of money with Cooking club is not proportional. Did not use all of their budget last year.

**Life Savers Club:** CPR training is a great idea but there already are similar clubs to it.

**Allies Club:** Did engage well. Used their budget well in the past.

Crochet Club and Ultimate Frisbee Club were voted against being an SGA sponsored club. However this is not finalized and the SGA is waiting for Mr. Barry to confirm this. There are 24 clubs now so Derek will send out a google form to vote out 4 clubs from the 7 remaining that was discussed. They need to be finished tonight!

### **Vice President, Bake Elenitoba-Johnson**

Halloween Caf Party will be planned by a few reps Bake has assigned. Tentative date of October 19<sup>th</sup>. Study Breaks will be on Hell Week. Study Breaks are catered food distributed to the student body at 9 PM after study hours.

### **President, Jeeah Kim**

Talk to Jeeah if interested in going to University of South Alabama Mega Musical Chairs by the end of tonight. The date is October 4<sup>th</sup> from 6-9PM. Dumas Wesley asked us to help do a Trunk or Treat Event. Service Hour opportunity. Contact Jeeah for further information.

### **SGA Advisors, Mr. Barry and Ms. Millender**

### **Closing Remarks / Open Floor**

Mekhi adjourned to end the meeting and Bake seconded.