Student Association Meeting Minutes, 11-21-1967

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Tuesday, November 21, 1967, the Student Association met in the SA office at 6:00 p.m., for its weekly meeting. All the Council members were present except Sam Hester, unexcused. Rick Harris led the opening prayer.

OLD BUSINESS

Board of Trustee Report

Since Mike discovered last Friday that his Thanksgiving report to the Board of Trustees was to be given to an audience, he reported that he chose to only relate the activities of the SA rather than report on the problems on campus as he had originally planned.

Dorm Council Constitution

Printed draft copies of the Dorm Council constitution were distributed to the Council. By paragraph, Mike read the constitution as the Council recommended revisions. Richard Davis then moved that the revised version of the constitution for a men and women's dorm council be adopted by the SA Executive Council unanimously. After Dave Young seconded the proposal, the Council voted unanimously to adopt the constitution.

Movies

Mike reported for movie chairman, Roy Terry, the proposal of renting movie previews to be shown for each future movie. The rental of black and white film would be $5.00 and of color film would be $7.50. The preview films can be kept for an indefinite period. Richard Davis moved that funds be appropriated to rent preview for each movie to be used as the movie chairman sees best. Judy Worth seconded the motion and it carried.

Next, Mike reported Roy's desires to have a roll of processing tape purchased so the dates of movies could be spliced on the screen with the date for the movie to be shown. The tape would cost $8.00. After Richard Davis moved to purchase this tape, Lynn Rolan seconded the motion. The motion passed.

Lecture Speakers

Outstanding speakers are to speak on the University of Arkansas campus this year. Bro. Billy Cox has invited these speakers to visit Harding while in Arkansas on the American Studies Program. Mike reported that he had volunteered the help of SA in advertising the speakers on campus and possibly in helping the ASP pay for the expenses of the guest speakers as part of the SA lecture series program.
NEW BUSINESS

Intercom

Richard Davis reported the need for an intercom in the Patti Cobb Dorm. Mike told Richard he would check with Mr. Tucker about obtaining the intercom. Dr. Gilliam suggested the using of the one in the Administration which is not being used.

Umbrellas

Council discussed the sad situation of umbrellas stealing on campus. Richard suggested that an announcement be made in chapel against the practice of stealing.

Brick Sidewalk

It was decided to suggest to Mr. Tucker that the brick sidewalk from the lily pool be cemented because of its gushy mud which ruins clothes when it rains. Mary K Walker suggested our courtesy of telling the donator of this walk, Sub-T, about this plan.

American Heritage Cafeteria

Richard Davis brought up the desire of the students eating in the new cafeteria to pool their extra money on their meal tickets each week toward some worthy project. Since students do not pay for all the cost of their meals when they buy their tickets for the new cafeteria, the subject was dropped.

Mary K Walker suggested that the new cafeteria extend its lunch hours from 12:30 to 12:45, especially on the weekends. After some discussion, the Council determined the extra time was not needed since it opened so much earlier this year--10:45.

Lectureship

Gailyn Van Rheenan discussed the fact that the morning lectures do not coincide with the class periods. A written recommendation needs to be sent the administration for the improvement of the lectures and the date for this series. Dr. Gilliam reported his intentions to request Dr. Hacker to poll the lecture attendants to see their reaction to changing the series away from Thanksgiving to allow students to have the Thanksgiving holiday. Gailyn volunteered to work on a lectureship recommendation during the Christmas vacation.

Pledge Week

Helen Howell volunteered to write the Pledge Week recommendation to be sent to the administration by February.
Book Exchange

Dr. Gilliam asked about the progress of the Council on the book exchange. Mike and Richard reported their plan to see Mr. Tucker about the use of the building across from the Harding laundry for the book exchange. Dave Young is in charge of the book exchange formation.

Adjournment

Judy Worth moved that the meeting be adjourned. After Lynn Rolan seconded the motion, President O'Neal adjourned the meeting at 8:25 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Helen Howell, SA Secretary