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STUDENT ASSOCIATION MINUTES

Tuesday, April 16, 1968, the Student Association met at 6:00 p.m., for its weekly meeting in the SA office. Rick Harris was absent due to a track meet. Dr. Gilliam and Ronnie Reeves were to come in late due to previous engagements. The meeting was opened with a prayer led by Sam Hester.

The Council sang "Happy Birthday," to Lynn Rolen. Afterward, the members were served cupcakes.

BUSINESS

Rules

Lynn reported from the Rules' Committee investigation. The list of rules taken from Dean Lawyer were similiar to those taken from the dorm mothers concerning dating. Late permission may be gotten until 12 p.m. Lynn is to comprise a final list by combining the lists gathered from the five authorities, the dean and dorm mothers.

Some of the possible recommendations to be made are as follows:

Rid rule of no car dating to the town movie.

Have car dating at night to approved Searcy locations, double-dating, by signing out.

Eliminate rule of sponsor for picnicing, requiring permission from dorm mothers.

Allow picnicing on double-dates with only dormitory mother's permission.

Restate rule that couples need only to sign out in day for Searcy dating but get permission from dorm mother for night double-dating in Searcy.

State couples can go to town together, walking, with dorm mother's permission.

State double-dating to Little Rock and other surrounding communities until 12:30 p.m. requires dorm mother's permission.

Council discussed the possibility of making Saturday nights another show night. Judy moved that a vote be taken on this proposal. It was seconded and passed. Richard formally moved that it be discussed

The Dorm Council voted that SA recommend that the girls' dorm be open for boys' visiting from 10 a.m. to 9:55 p.m. The main objection may be the need for hiring one to take care of the desk an extra two hours. Since girls are not allowed in the labby unless dressed (day time), there is no reason to not allow young men in the lobby to visit the girls. There is special need for the early hours on Sundays after the early worship service and on weekdays for calling girls to chapel and lunch. Saturday would allow for more male callers with the earlier hours.

GVR moved that it be recommended to extend the visiting hours in the girls' dorms from 10 a.m. to 9:55 p.m., thus adding two more morning hours for visiting. Sam seconded the proposal and it passed.

Lawyer to grant special permission for the show on Wednesday nights.

"The Lord Bless You and Keep You"

Visitation in Girls' Dorms

Helen reported that it would cost \$62 to print 1500 pages or copies of the hymn, "The Lord Bless You and Keep You, "for the chapel song book.

Each copy would be three gammed pages. Helen is to write the printer for permission to reprint the music. Council still favored the idea of sponsoring such an endeavor for the school.

Lily Pond Project

Mike reported that Special Projects' Chairman, David Jones, had counted \$270 collected in chapel for the fountain. It is estimated that there is \$750 pledged. Suggestions were made for increasing enthusiasm for the project:

Have a graph to record the nearness of paying for fountain.

Send letter with envelope for collection to faculty in their box.

Reveal humerously in chapel the amount of money need to pay for fountain.

Add cost of fountain filter to amount need.

David revealed that there is f formula for inhibiting suda which may get into the water. Judy and Mary K agreed to meet in the SA office after 18 p.m., to get the letter out to the faculty for their contribution to project. Mike is to call the dorm mothers.

Suggestions

Suggestions were read from the Suggestion Box and some assigned to individual Council members:

Extend sun roof

Offer water at snack bar

Repair tile in auditorium

Carol Markham talk to Mrs. Mac

Sam talk to Mr. Tucker

End first semester before Christmas
Prayer chapel Mike talk to suggester.

Adjournment

In order to hear Senator McClellan visiting on campus, President O'Neal adjourned the meeting at 7:45 plm.

Respectfully submitted,

Helen Howell, SA Secretary.