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The first regular meeting of the Student Association Executive Council was held August 29, 1972 with Tim Geary presiding. The meeting was called to order at 6:35 p.m.

PRESENT: Tim Geary, Karen Holland, Pat Johnson, Mike Justus, Shawn Jones, Donna Northcutt, David House, Jo Stafford, Steven Tucker, Beverly Choate, Mike James, Dr. Barnes, Dean Altman.

ABSENT: None

LSU SEMINAR- Phil Patton reported that there is going to be an evangelism seminar at LSU on October 6, 7, and 8, with the theme, 'Christ Our Liberator.' He requested our help in trying to get a bus and organizing the pre-registration. The cost of registration is $10 per person and the money needs to be in by Sept. 15. Mike Justus moved that the Council volunteer to help organize registration for Harding students and work on trying to provide transportation without further expense. The motion carried.

S.A. MOVIE-Virginia Johnson reported that the projector wasn't working at the last S.A. movie but someone is coming to fix it this week. This week's movie is The Hallelujah Trail. Advertising will be by posters, KHCA, and chapel announcements.

PUNCH-Shawn reported that not all the tickets were sold and we lost some money on the show. Reactions to the group varied. Bev and Shawn plan to meet with Dr. Barnes to see what groups might be available for future lyceums.

BOOK EXCHANGE- Many students have requested that the book exchange be open to sell books again. This request will be referred to TNT and the Knights Social Club. Money should be returned within the next few days.

CALENDARS-Don Blake will take care of the calendars and student directories. He suggested that we try to include the names of faculty members and their office extensions. The possibility of leaving out the names of Academy students was discussed and Steve moved that Pat write a letter to Mr. Diles, principal of the Academy, and get his suggestions on the matter. The motion carried. Mike Justus moved that we add 200 extra copies to the number of calendars and directories that were ordered during registration and have Don check into the cost. The motion carried.

WATERMELONS-There were 40 watermelons left over from the watermelon party, August 25. Karen moved that we serve watermelon at Hilarity, this Saturday night. The motion carried.

HILARITY-Bev and Steve are in charge of the events for this Friday night. Sign up sheets are posted in the student center for the different events. Emcees are still needed. Suggestions were made but Karen moved that the final decision be left to Steve. The motion carried.

COFFEE HOUSE-There will be an informal coffee house this Friday night from 7-9 p.m. in Pattie Cobb. Shawn was to meet with this committee after the meeting to make final plans.

OPEN AIR CONCERT- An open air concert with talent from the school will be held on the front lawn Sat. evening before Hilarity. Groups are still needed.

LIGHTS-Shawn will check with Mr. West and Mr. Ellis about the possibility of buying spotlights for use by the drama department and for lyceums.
VOCATIONAL APTITUDE TEST-As a service to the students here, it was suggested that we try to make these tests easily available to anyone who might be interested. Tim has talked with Dr. Brotherton and will make a further report at the next meeting.

DRUG SEMINAR-Steve moved that David McCluggage be appointed chairman of a committee to organize a drug seminar to be held on campus sometime this year. Mike Justus amended the motion to provide for two members from the council to work with David. The amendment was passed and the proposal as amended carried. David House and Jo volunteered to work with David.

LEADERSHIP CONFERENCE-Mike moved that Karen Holland be appointed chairman and a committee be appointed to work on a leadership conference for students of Harding College, to be held this fall. It was felt that this would be an excellent chance to share the goals and purposes that were discussed at the pre-school conference and exchange ideas on how best to go about accomplishing our goals. By having this early in the year we could go ahead and begin this year instead of just having the ideas for the next year.

ENTERTAINMENT LIST- Shawn will be in charge of compiling a list of campus talent to be used by social clubs, and special functions of the S.A.

AWS-Dean Altman explained a proposal drawn up by some of the women students to establish a self-governing organization for women students, under the direction of Dean Egly, to be known as Associated Women Students. Every woman student enrolled at Harding would be a member and dues would be paid during registration. The Constitution of AWS calls for a representative from every girls' organization, a representative for each 25 girls in the dorm, and a president and vice-president from each dorm. From this body an executive, judicial, and legislative group would be chosen. With this new way of representing the women students, it was felt that Campus Congress might not be necessary. Shawn suggested that we consider leaving Campus Congress until we see if AWS works out. Steve moved that we table this discussion until later. The motion carried.

(SNote: The plans for this organization have not been finalized or approved)

SENIOR SPEAKERS-Mike Justus moved that everyone make a list of ten people as possible senior speakers and bring it to the next meeting. The motion carried.

FACULTY FRIEND WEEK- A friendly week honoring the faculty is planned for this fall. David moved that Bev be in charge of the committee to work on this. Pat will also help. Dean Altman suggested the names of eight faculty members who would also be willing to help.

VOTER REGISTRATION-Mike Justus will work with a drive to promote voter registration. He will check with the people downtown and see about the possibility of setting up a day for registering here on campus.

BULLETIN BOARD-Beverly suggested we make better use of the bulletin board in the student center for advertising movies and events like Hilarity. It was felt that students need a definite place to go in order to find out the time and place of events.

MEN'S INTERCLUB COUNCIL-It has been suggested to the council that the men's social clubs have an organization for interclub business. This has proved most successful with the women's clubs. This will be discussed at a later meeting.

FRESHMAN-TRANSFER TALENT SHOW-Shawn will work on organizing a talent show for new students.

HOMECOMING-Shawn brought up a complaint that there was not enough student participation in last year's homecoming. He volunteered to find out more about this.

PARLIAMENTARY PROCEDURE-Karen asked that we have a rundown on Parliamentary Procedure at our next meeting.

Meeting was adjourned at 8:35.

Respectfully submitted,  
Pat Johnson, S.A. Secretary