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EXECUTIVE COUNCIL

The regular meeting of the Student Association Executive Council was held Tuesday, Sept. 26, with Tim Geary presiding. The meeting was called to order at 7:10. Shawn opened with a prayer.

PRESENT: Tim Geary, Karen Holland, Pat Johnson, Mike Justus, Donna Northcutt, Shawn Jones, Jo Stafford, David House, Bev Choate, Stephen Tucker, Mike James, and Dr. Barnes.

ABSENT: NONE

DRUG SEMINAR: The S.A. movie for the weekend of Oct. 14 has been cancelled to encourage everyone to come to the drug seminar. David McCluggage is taking care of all the details.

FRIENDLY WEEK: Beverly talked with Dean Altman and it looks like the first week in December will be the best time to sponsor an open house and friendly week.

BLOOD DRIVE WORKSHOP: John Simmons, Donna Northcutt, and Mike Justus attended a workshop at the Red Cross Blood Center at Little Rock today with Dr. England. Other college representatives from Arkansas were also there. On Oct. 10, 11, and 12 the Red Cross will be on campus for students who wish to donate blood. Harding is a member of the program to supply blood needs for all the families of students if 25% of the student body participates by donating blood. To reach this quota, we would need 525 units of blood. We would like to break the record of College of the Ozarks which has has 28% participation in the past. Donna is going to check on the national record and we hope to exceed this also. There will be competition among the social clubs for the best per cent participation and the S.A. would like to encourage everyone to try and donate.

VOCATIONAL APTITUDE TESTS-Tim reported that the Psychology department is willing to administer and evaluate vocational aptitude and personality tests for all interested students if the S.A. could pay for the tests. The cost is \$60 and these tests would be able to be used again each year. Karen moved that we appropriate the money to be used for these tests. The motion carried.

CALENDARS AND DIRECTORIES: The directories are in Mr. Green's office and should be ready within a week. The calendars are being taken care of in the media center and will be ready with the directories. Information will be made available as to when these can be picked up.

BOOK EXCHANGE: A chapel announcement will be made tomorrow and students will have until Friday afternoon to pick up their books and money in the S.A. office.

S.A. MOVIE: The movie for this week is Becket. The film Anastasia will be shown Friday night of Homecoming weekend.

HOMECOMING: The chili supper committee is meeting next Monday. The Homecoming committee decided that the crowning of the queen would be at halftime, and the football team would nominate the three queen candidates. Mike passed on their suggestion that we have traffic police men to help with the parking problem at Wyldewood during the Chili Supper. Mike Justus went over the budget for Homecoming and suggested that we offer cash awards for the best club car, class float, band, organization entry and the best use of the theme, "A time for us," for any entry. Bev moved that we take Mike's suggestions on the monetary awards for the Homecoming parade. The motion carried. Since we are having a parade, Donna moved that we cancel the competition between dorms for the best stationary floats. The motion carried. We need lots of help from students for all these activities. If you would be willing to work with the parade or anything else, please leave a note in the S.A. office.

CHRISTIAN COLLEGE CONFERENCE: Pat received a letter from Dr. Napier and the date for the conference will be Nov. 2 and 3 at York College.

SOCIAL AFFAIRS: Bev will talk with David Campbell and Debbie Hupp from the Social Affairs Committee about planning more coffee houses, lawn concerts, etc. Shawn will see about finding a good date for a freshman-transfer talent show. It is hoped that a lot of campus talent will be discovered in this way, for future social affairs functions. If anyone would be willing to provide entertainment for campus shows, please let us know that you are available.

EMERALD ROOM: Beverly talked with Mr. Tucker and he said that he could arranged to have the Emerald Room supervised in the afternoon if enough students would use it. Bev moved that we open the Emerald Room from 11 to 1:30 each afternoon and have it available for students. The motion carried.

PHYSICAL PLANT COMMITTEE: Jo met with the Physical Plant committee and reported on their minutes. She asked about obtaining bicycle racks with roofs and the committee is willing to work on getting these if a design of the proposed structure could be obtained. Jo will see about getting this to them. She also reported that something has been put in the lily pool to help eliminate the algae.

LYCEUM: Shawn has not been able to get a large group to agree to come for the money we can offer. Therefore, he will try to get medium size groups. The first one that might be available is The Cornelius Brothers and Sister Rose. Shawn will make an announcement in chapel about the lyceum situation.

RETREAT CENTER: Bob Schwenker reported on the possibility of Harding College renting the retreat center at Wyldewood on a weekly basis to make it available for campus organizations and social clubs to use for a very small fee. The facilities would be available on Sunday, Monday, Tuesday, and Thursday nights of each week. Steve moved that the S.A. sponsor the Wyldewood Retreat Center for use of Harding students, this semester and subject to renewal, if the college will pay for it. Mike amended the motion to include that this be presented to Dr. Ganus by Bob and someone from the council. The amendment was passed and the motion as amended carried. Mike will go with Bob to talk with Dr. Ganus.

PJ PICTURES: Karen moved that because of the kind assistance Dr. Pryor has given to the S.A. council, that we let the PJ staff use the Emerald Room free of charge to take pictures in October 2-7. The possibility of using the S.A. office instead so that students could still use the Emerald Room at nights was discussed and the motion was defeated. Pat moved that we let Dr. Pryor decide which room he would rather use. The motion carried.

NEW STUDENT CENTER: An artist's drawing of the new student center will be put on display in the lobby of the student center.

WSRO: Beverly moved that we put the discussion of WSRO on the agenda for the next meeting. Motion carried.

FRESHMAN ELECTION: In accordance with the power given to him in the Student Association Constitution, Tim reported that the date for freshman elections would be moved until the week after pledge week.

HORIZONS: Jo will work with Dr. Barnes to see about getting the Horizons, a musical group from St. Louis which doesspiritual type folk songs without instrumental accompaniment.

Due to club activities with the beginning of pledge week next Tuesday night, the S.A. meeting for next week will be on Monday night at 7 p.m.

The meeting adjourned at 8:45 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,
Pat Johnson
Pat Johnson, S.A. Secretary