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The regular meeting of the Student Association Executive Council was held Tuesday, September 17, 1974 with Bill Fowler presiding. The meeting was called to order at 5:20 p.m. beginning with a prayer led by Tom Reynolds.

PRESENT: Bill Fowler, Mike Lincoln, Brenda Dimitt, Dewitt Yingling, Bob Reynolds, Connie Willke, Lott Therrio, Nancy Cochran, Brant Bryan, Suzy Friddy, Tom Reynolds, Dr. David Burks, Janet Reese, Gloria Burch, Lamar Culpepper, and Buddy Searcy.

ABSENT: Dr. Jerome Barnes

RELIGIOUS AFFAIRS: Buddy informed the council that within the next two weeks that the Religious Affairs committee would be organized and in operation. He asked the council for suggestions of individuals who would be interested in working with this committee. Buddy enumerated the following items of information.

1. October 2 is scheduled as Student Day of the Lectureship. Breakfast of donuts and coffee will precede the morning speaker, Carroll Osburn.
2. A service on the lawn, October 16, is tentively scheduled with Avon Malone presenting the lesson.
3. Concerning the Wednesday evening services, Buddy will be working with Jerry Jones, Conard Hays, and Terry Smith.
4. The possibility of having the Horizons, a religious singing group, on campus sometime this year is being investigated.
5. Monthly Sunday afternoon singings are another possibility the committee will investigate.
6. Buddy also reminded the council of Terry Smith's new college class on Wednesday evenings at 7:00 p.m. in the Bible auditorium.
7. Buddy would welcome any further suggestions.

SMOKING IN THE DORMS: The motion of last week's meeting, stating that men not be allowed to smoke in the dorms, was defeated after much discussion.

WOMEN'S DRESS CODE: Bob suggested in last week's meeting for the council to make a recommendation to the faculty that the ladies be allowed to wear pants to class. The discussion continued this week. Several suggestions were made. Dewitt suggested that we correspond with Christian campuses which have allowed their women to wear pants to obtain their reactions. Suzy reminded the council that we should represent the opinions of those we represent. No action was taken.

CHRISTIAN COLLEGE CONFERENCE: This year the annual CCC will be held at Pepperdine on October 10-12. Representing Harding will be Bill Fowler, Mike Lincoln, Brenda Dimitt, and possibly others associated with the SA.

COFFEE HOUSE: Benny Sims, social affairs director, reported that Pat Daisey will be giving a 7:00 and an 8:30 performance on the night of September 21. She is a country and pop singer from Nashville. There will also be a movie that evening.

IN CONCERT: The SA is committed to raising $3,000 to assist in the payment of the new movie projector. A special talent Benefit show will be held September 27, called IN CONCERT. The performers will include Ann Ulrey, Lynette McGregor and Randy Gill. The tickets will go on sale Monday, September 22 in the Student Center and will cost 50¢. Nancy suggested that all the council members call those names on their faculty list.

PARKING: It was brought to the attention of the council that the lot across from Keller has holes and needs to be expanded. Bill informed the council that the property is leased and it is impossible for the lot to be expanded. The problem of the holes will be referred to the Physical Plant committee by Nancy. There has been discussion concerning the lack of parking spaces for the commuting students. Due to the increase in enrollment, more spaces have been provided, however, it is realized that more are needed.
PING PONG TABLES: Lott will investigate the possibility of obtaining ping pong tables for Harbin and Keller.

SPEEDING: Speeding in front of the student center and gym has become a problem. Bill suggested a program to alert students of the seriousness of the problem. He will speak with Dean Altman concerning the possibility of chapel announcements being made. Nancy will speak with Mr. Tucker concerning informing the administration and the responsibility of contacting the city officials will be that of Dewitt Yingling.

MARRIED STUDENTS: Nancy is to talk to Mr. Tucker concerning the possibility of equipping the married students' apartments with new washing machines.

SAVE ENERGY!: Lott reminded the council to encourage the students to save all the electricity possible. Bill will see Dean Altman about chapel announcements. The assistance of Dr. Carr might also be sought.

ELECTIONS: Freshmen may begin their campaigning at 7:00 a.m. Monday September 23 and elections will be held September 25.

The meeting adjourned at 6:40 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Brenda Dimitt
SA Secretary