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The regular meeting of the Student Association Executive Council was held Tuesday, October 15, 1974 with Bill Fowler presiding. The meeting was called to order at 5:20 p.m. beginning with a prayer.

PRESENT: Bill Fowler, Brenda Dimitt, Dewitt Yingling, Bob Reynolds, Connie Willke, Lott Therrio, Nancy Cochran, Brant Bryan, Suzy Priddy, Sue Foley, Jim Lackey, and Mr. Organ’s journalism class.

ABSENT: Mike Lincoln, Tom Reynolds.

HOMECOMING:
Chili Supper-Lott reported that the ice cream and cokes have been ordered. Bambi informed the council that Uncle Greg has agreed to transport students to and from Wyldewood in his bus. The first load will leave at 3:45 and run until 5:30. The buses will start back at 6:30-7:30. Serving will be from 4:00-6:00. A devotional will be held at 6:00. Dr. Barnes will provide the music.

Parade—Bill is making the final plans concerning the parade. It will begin at 11:00 a.m. Saturday.

Queen’s Float—Dewitt will get the trailer and will try to arrange a work party at Webb’s stables. The suggestion was made to ask the clubs not entering a float to assist in helping with the queen’s float. Sue will design the Queen’s float.

Alumni Reception—The reception will be held immediately following the football game in the student center TV lounge. Nancy and Brenda will take this responsibility.

HALLOWEEN PARTY: The gym has been reserved from 7:00-10:00 p.m. on October 31. Jim and Suzy are working together and will ask the class officers to assist.

WORLD EVANGELISM WORKSHOP: It will be the responsibility of the SA to plan the devo on Friday, November 1, at 9:30.

CHRISTIAN COLLEGE CONFERENCE: Bill reported the trip to Pepperdine was very inspiring and informing. The council was able to talk with the other delegates concerning conditions specific to their area. Individual growth was felt within the council members in seeing the beauty of God’s creation in a different setting. Those representing Harding were Bill Fowler, Mike Lincoln, Brenda Dimitt, Nancy Cochran, Brant Bryan, Lott Therrio, Suzy Priddy, Tom Reynolds, Ben Sims, and Dr. Jerome Barnes.

REGISTRATION: The committee on registration will meet next Monday to discuss plans.

PORNOGRAPHY: Bill reported that the faculty has spoken favorably of starting some sort of organized effort to rid the area stores of pornography. Bambi made a motion that a student committee be established to direct the effort.

PLEDGE WEEK: It was brought to the attention of the council that many faculty and students are concerned about pledge week. Points under discussion were the seemingly un-Christian things that go on during the week and the neglect of many clubs to obey the rules. The council agreed that clear-cut guidelines should be made and that any rules set up should be enforced. Dewitt suggested that a list of goals concerning the purpose of pledge week be included. Suzy moved that a committee be established to investigate and evaluate pledge week. The motion was seconded and carried. The committee will consist of both student and faculty representatives to be named later.

LETTER FROM DR. PRYOR: A letter was received from Dr. Joe asking the council’s opinion on moving back the dates for finals from Dec. 16-21 to Dec. 14-19. Suzy made a motion that finals begin Dec. 14 and proceed through the 19th. It was seconded and carried.

LETTER CONCERNING THE LITTLE ROCK CHRISTMAS PARADE: A letter inquiring of the interest of the Harding student body toward sending a representative to participate in the Little Rock Christmas parade. This letter will be referred to Dr. Carr.

DON’T WALK ON THE GRASS OR THE PATHS: This item of business will be discussed in next week’s meeting.

LETTER FROM DR. GANUS: Thirty young people from Nashville will be visiting our campus this weekend. Bambi and Lott will be responsible for obtaining rooms for the guys and Suzy and Sue will assist the girls.

Meeting adjourned at 6:55 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Brenda Dimitt
SA Secretary