

RIDGEWATER COLLEGE STUDENT SENATE
HUTCHINSON, MN
SENATE MINUTES
September 5, 2013

- I. Call to Order at 4:07pm
- II. Roll Call – Daniel Lorenz; Deborah Albrecht Pamela Rolfzen; Reuben Henderson; Steven Rahkola—all present and George Mobley visiting.
- III. Consent Agenda
Approved by general consent
- IV. Approve Minutes
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- V. Verbal Reports
 - A. Executive Officers
 - President –Acting-Steven-Has some questions for Erika-Will be setting up interviews for the 12th and 19th.
 - VP—Pamela—Please make sure to sign the office hours log to record your office hours outside of the regular meeting times. Presidents Retreat—Google Drive was introduced
 - PR- Pamela—Business cards are being prepared.
 - Finance—Dan—did not get a report yet.
Google Hangouts are free to use for multiple people to use for meetings. Dan made a motion and Pam seconded that we use them instead of Skype when we cannot make the meetings.
 - B. Senators
Debby—I shared June Transitional information and was asked to print out my info for everyone and put it into the mailboxes.
 - Outreach Committee Report –oops for Willmar
 - MSCSA Report—June Transitional, Debby above, and Presidents Retreat, Pamela above
 - Public Relations Committee Report –Not set up yet- Erika will set up the same type of calendar chart as last year.
 - C. Advisor –
- VII. Unfinished Business
- VIII. Welcome Day –
Yay’s! and Nay’s!—Candy and Floats went well – got lots of applications.

IX. New Business

- President Election—A motion was made by Dan and seconded by Reuben that we vote Pamela by general consent.
PR is now un- filled Pan and Steven will cover till we have more senators to fill the position.
- Constitution Day Trivia Event Sept. 17th at 12pm Erika will set up the room Reuben and Pam will work with Dan on the Quiz etc...
- Advisor Meeting Review—Erika—Went better than she expected, Forgot to put on the half point item we decided on, will add for next year.
- Retreat Dates—It is looking like a week night will work best. Send Erika about your preferred day of the week.
- MSCSA Dates—Everyone plan on attending the two General Assemblies one in October and one in April.
- Applications/Interviews for new Senators—Steven is setting up interview dates and times.

Closed session to vote on George as a senate member at 5:01pm. Opened at 5:05pm. George is a senator.

IX. Good of the Order/Announcements

Student of the Month calendar coming soon!

Google Hangouts are suggested for missed meetings (You will need a Google account for this)

MSCSA – The Diversity Committee will want us to find out what is available for students with disabilities. Steven will research this and report to senate 3 weeks from now also send Info to Kari Maleski

IX. Adjournment

A motion was made by Steven and seconded by Reuben at 5:14pm.