

ASUMW Meeting Minutes

September 28, 2020

Call to order

Roll Call

Present: Brock Doty, Jacob Kunze, Laci Wiggins, Teagan Miller, Maggie Dean, Chloe Hanser, Megan Tews, Jacob Christenson, Sydni Rogers, John Schladweiler, Jessica Weber, Scott Davies, Breanna Humphrey, McKenna Kindel, Jordan LeCompte, Katelynn Peterson, AbiGaile Randolph, Keeley Fitzgerald, John Hajduk.

Absent: Shelby Smith

Approval of Minutes:

Senator Miller moved to approve meeting minutes. Seconded by Senator Tews.

Amendments and Changes to Agenda:

None

Guest Speakers:

Chancellor Beth Weatherby

Strategic Planning and discussion about state of semester. Explained role of strategic plan in setting a vision and path for the next 6 years. Noted that UMW is in the midst of a capital campaign that will help fund scholarships and X-1 money for the foreseeable future. The campaign will also work toward the goal of raising money for a new football/sports complex. Plans are also underway to fix the infrastructure of the campus in various ways. Asked students to provide feedback on the plan via the website link.

Internet concerns with JDC Complex. Noted that IT has access points for student use.

Question when Bark and Bite Grill will open. Dean Hazelbaker noted that they are still having trouble finding help to expand the cooking options in the dining hall.

Chancellor Weatherby noted the new recommendations for spring semester. There will not be a spring break and long holidays/weekends will be eliminated. Possible scenarios are being looked at to develop the spring schedule.

Scott Davies noted that many students are feeling harassed about mask wearing. One scenario noted was a student that feels harassed when using cell phone outside without a mask.

New Student Concerns/Comments:

None

Position Reports:

President Doty

Reported on Chancellor's Cabinet meeting. Reported that Block Hall is in line for a 12-million-dollar renovation. Noted that he has a meeting today to discuss the spring calendar.

Vice-President Kunze

Reported that meetings will now be on Zoom as well. Links will be sent weekly by Kunze.

Working on X-1 Grant Committee--Teagan Miller, Laci Wiggins, and Megan Tews will join Jacob Kunze on committee.

Office Manager

None

Advisor

None

Activities

Corn Hole Tourney on Thursday from 3:30-5:30 on Tundra. Asked for senators to hang up posters.

Bingo Night on Wednesday from 7-8 p.m. in Lewis & Clark Room.

Intramurals

John Schladweiler reported that softball playoffs begin tonight.

Old Business

Club Allocations

Almost complete. If still interested in looking at allocations, contact Jacob Kunze.

New Business

Office Hours

President Doty noted that senators can contact he or Kunze to visit about office hours. Encouraged senators to get involved.

Appointment of new senators

McKenna Kindel, AbiGaile Randolph, Katelynn Peterson, and Jordan LeCompte were sworn in as senators.

Committee Reports

Campus Development Committee: None

Student Development Committee: None

Fulfilling the Promise of X-1

Senator Miller noted that her genetics class cloned DNA last week.

Recognition of Accomplishment Across University

None

Announcements

None

Adjournment

Move to adjourn by Senator Miller. Seconded by Senator Tews.