

The Official Agenda of the Undergraduate Student Government General Assembly On This Day, September 25th, 2017

Room 308 Bowen-Thompson Student Union at 7:30 pm

- I. Call to Order
- II. Roll Call
- III. Swearing in of New Officers
 - a. Proxies
- IV. Open Forum
 - a. Bob Moosbrugger, Director of Athletics
 - 1994 BGSU Grad
 - 16 years at San Diego State
 - Cumulative 3.2 Athletics GPA
 - 37 Athletes have perfect 4.0 GPA
 - 89% graduation success rate- #1 in the MAC
 - 2500+ Volunteer hours
 - NCAA diversity and inclusion award
 - 4 Academic All-Americans for 1st time in school history last year
 - Volleyball- most improved team
 - Eric Nichols- coach of the year
 - Cross country finishes best in 17 years for women and 21 years for men
 - Hockey- 3rd straight 20 win season
 - MAC runner up in gymnastics
 - Budget- \$25 mil annual budget
 - Revenue comes from ticket sales, fundraising, sponsorships, camps, concessions, parking, etc.
 - Major expenses- personnel, student grant, travel costs, supplies and equipment
 - We are \$7 million below the average budget in the MAC

- Budget improvements- FSP renegotiation up 30%, falcon club scholarships up 27%, major gifts up 44%
- Res Life Challenge- whichever res hall attends the most games receives a prize up to \$2500 per semester
- Greek life challenge- same as above, winning house receives up to \$5000 for house fees
- BGSU Athletics is a huge source of school pride
- Thompson- Please clarify the Greek life challenge
 - Whichever Greek organization attends the most athletic events wins the money
- Ashford- If a player kneeled during the national anthem would there be repercussions?
 - No there would not be, it is their right. The teams are often not on the field during the anthem. Coaches of the teams discussed the issues with their players.
- Some student athletes are given meal plans
- Reevaluating which meal plan is appropriate to give as to avoid wasting resources
- Willis- Is there a part of the learning commons that is specifically for student athletes?
 - Yes, there are 5 full time academic advisors for student athletes.
 To stay a division 1 status and keep scholarships, student athletes must keep to certain standards.
- There are no policies about student athletes participating in other organizations.
- S. Taberner is President of SAC
- V. Lobby Time
- VI. Old Business
 - a. Budget Vote
 - S. Willis reviewing budget one more time before vote
 - No questions regarding budget
 - Budget unanimously passed

- VII. New Business
- VIII. Executive Branch Reports
 - a. President Richie Racette

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- b. Vice President- Juantez Bates
 - On task force for sexual assault
 - Any interest or points about this topic, please contact Juantez
 - Also on alcohol and drug prevention task force
 - Reach out with any questions or comments
- c. Cabinet Reports
- IX. Procedures and Appeals Reports
 - a. Chief Administrator- Khory Katz

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- Met with Andy Alt
- Discussed academic honor points system
- Currently have a 4321 system, which may be changed to a tiered system
- Goal is to motivate students
- We are only one of 3 universities that do not already do this
- Very negative reaction to this
- X. Treasurer's Report–Brianna Willis

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- XI. Speaker's Report
 - a. Speaker of the Senate Hannah Barnes

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- No meeting next week- fall break
- Dr. Gibson's visit coming up- email her questions
- Make up photos tonight
- RSVP to university house visit
- XII. Committee Reports

a. Academic Affairs – Kristen Hermann

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b. Internal Affairs – Janelle Bollheimer

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- Shirts and apparel for sale
- c. Student Affairs Hannah Cubberly

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XIII. Senator Reports

• S. Goolsby- wearing one outfit all month to raise awareness to sex trafficking

- Student media advisory board- first meeting October 16, primary goal is to protect first amendment right of student journalists
- o Email him with any questions or comments
- S. Thompson
 - o There will be a Greek Life GPA Raise- increase to 2.8 over time
- S. Glenn- met with Faith Denardo regarding Tobacco Free Policy
 - o We have to become tobacco free campus to get grant money
 - o Non negotiable
 - USG does not support tobacco free policy
 - Another meeting October 18, send in thoughts and opinions before then
- S. Reese- currently working with office of multicultural affairs
 - Sent out excerpt of goals
 - Draft of warning letter of homophobic visitors to campus
- XIV. Advisor's Remarks
 - a. Jodi Webb

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- XV. Closing Remarks
- XVI. Adjournment
- XVII. Internal Committees