

**Call to Order/Attendance**

-Miguel takes attendance

-Motion to approve minutes

-Approval of agenda

-Autumn starts with an energizer (fun)

**President/Vice President Address**

-Steven and Kaitlyn (President and VP candidates) talk to the Snetae about their plans

- Q: What are your goals/changes that you want to make on campus?

-A: If it ain’t broke don’t fix it, retention…

- Q: Why is it important for you to run for this position?

-A: Kaitlyn: as a freshman she found it unfulfilling to merely just go t school and just earn credits. She wants to bring the best of Penn State to other students as well

-A: Steven: Wasn’t to help out within the community, campus, and students

-Kayla and Tiffany announce candidacy for president and VP

-Two key points for their candidacy:

1) Funding/Budgeting: observe how money is spent for student body (they are on the student activities fee board)

2) Want to promote inclusion on all aspects

- Tiffany is currently VP of BSU, Teaching assistant for First Year mentor, OL assistant captain

-Kayla- First year mentor, PRSSA, Assistant captain for OL, president of BSU

-Q: Why these positions?

-A: To promote change, to push the campus to be the best it can be. Already involved in a lot of positions and wat to be better leaders on a broader scale for everyone as well

-Ife announces candidacy for Financial Manager

-Second year student, current FM, VP of honors club, head writer for CATFOOD, worship leader for CSF, work at writing center

-Believes she is qualified due to her taking the position this semester, very approachable and is hard worker

-Matt Funk announces candidacy for Senior Representative

-Q: What do you think would make you fit in role as senior rep

-A: good in manager role, very fit for the job, did student government in high school, involved with CATFOOD, Phils, all a lot of fun, very fun guy

-Michael announces candidacy for University Faculty Senate

-Not currently involved as of right now, taking the CNED class to be ASPIRE mentor, new but committed to learning about new things, will start a new

-Candance announces candidacy for Freshman Representative

- From what she’s seen, she’d like to make the campus more inclusive for freshmen

-February 6th until 5PM to submit petition packets.

-Faculty Senate/FM: 100 signatures

-Pres/VP: 300 signatures

-There will be debates

-Feb 13 for Financial Manager and University Faculty Senator

-Following week for Pres/VP

**Announcements**

-Riley discusses voting

-Wants to put together a committee for a voting initiative

-To increase voter registration among students

-Have more social media presence

-Medium for announcing special elections within local counties

-To encourage informed voting

-Have a point of contact

-Establish relation with College Democrats and College Republic as

Points of contact

-Long term goal: to have an info session about voting, candidates, special elections, etc.

-Passes around a sign-up sheet to help with initiative

-Eco-coin

-What we need: club participation, SGA rep

-Clubs interested in forming culture around sustainability

-Gets a $50 card from Barnes and Noble (partner)

-5 cents for every plastic bag

-Not technical a club, but an initiative

-Quick logistics: voting in clubs that were not present during president’s meeting

-Approved and seconded in to approve club

**New Business**

**Open Forum**

-Those running for class representatives do not need to get signatures from students

-New club coming: Men of Excellence

-About leadership, job, skills

-Open for men and women, all students

**Club Events**

-CAB: The Great DuBois at 7 in auditorium tomorrow

-Disney Trivia Friday at 6PM in MPR

-Sunday SuperBowl viewing at 6 in MPR

-BSU: Being Black in Berks event next Friday 5Pm at MPR

-Showcasing culture, fashion, etc.

-BBTHON: Date auction on Monday at 9:30

-LA: Chipotle Fundraiser (4-8PM)

-Dinner with Great DuBois tomorrow before performance

-Repercussion on Tuesday

-Country Meadows SuperBowl Tailgate (1-3:30PM)

-5 clubs already hit their community service hours

-But send verification forms

-Faculty Senate:

-Funding for research

-Phone usage

**Closing Statement**

-Get informed on voting

**Adjournment**

-Motion to adjourn

-Riley motions and approved