

Niagara County Community College
Student Government Association Meeting Minutes

Date: November 18, 2021

Call to Order: 1:03pm

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In Attendance: Allyson Clark, Mikaysjiah Allen, Sonia Swann, Sara Sallaj, Jacob Tipton, Nicolette Barcer, Angel Torres, Andrew Binks (1:15), Maurice Jackson, Heather Trumble, Jennifer Schwab, Elizabeth Sachs, Bob McKeown, Amanda Haseley

Excused Absence: Emily Seymour

Unexcused Absence: Jacob Mancuso

Guests: Allan Benjamin, Mia Fiorello, Jozlyn Fiorito, Alexandria Webster, Tre 'Ayona Giddens

Public Comments: None

Minutes: Approve meeting minutes from October 28, 2021 with change (Amanda Haseley was missed on the attendance)

Motion: Senator Sallaj **Second:** Senator Tipton **Motion:** Carried

Student Government Presidents Report:

- APCA Conference Updates
 - Booked spring calendar
 - SGA diversity programs
- Friendsgiving Tuesday from 1pm
- Resignation letter
 - AJ Petrillo- fully resigned
 - **Motion:** Senator Tipton **Second:** Senator Sallaj **Motion:** Carried
 - Mikaysjiah Allan- resigned from the VP role, remaining as a senator
 - **Motion:** Senator Sallaj **Second:** Senator Barcer **Motion:** Carried
 - Voting in new senators
 - Mia Fiorello
 - **Motion:** Senator Tipton **Second:** Senator Allan **Motion:** Carried
 - Tre 'Ayona Giddens
 - **Motion:** Senator Sallaj **Second:** Senator Barcer **Motion:** Carried
 - Jozlyn Fiorito
 - **Motion:** Senator Barcer **Second:** Senator Sallaj **Motion:** Carried
 - Alexandria Webster
 - **Motion:** Senator Swann **Second:** Senator Sallaj **Motion:** Carried
 - Allan Benjamin
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- EBoard elections
 - VP- no nominations
 - Student Events Coordinator- no nominations

Student Government Vice-President Report

- Zoo Crew – last day of giving Thursday
- GAC- D&D tomorrow 3-7pm in Gaming Lab

Student Treasure Report

- No meeting resume on 11/23/2021

Student Government Event Coordinator Report:

- None

Student Trustee's Report:

- Reid Petroleum - NYCCT Benefactor Vision for Tomorrow Award - Paul Reid recipient
 - Was chosen by the Board of Trustees to be nominated for the award, gave his acceptance speech a few weeks ago 10/21
- IRC Grants:
- "Escape Room" - Dr. Julie Woodworth
- "360 Degree Experience" - Dr. Julie Woodworth
- "Thomas Fermi Statistical Quark Model in Search of Exotic Particles" -Dr Suman Baral
- Professional Title - Assistant Director of Grants (C. Brown)
- Resolution - Native American Heritage Day (J. Strong)

FISCAL COMMITTEE

- Resolution - Support for NCCC Capital Funding (W. Lynch)
 - Business and Finance Update (W. Lynch)
- Flight Academy was announced.

Senators Reports:

- Tipton- purple or orange Native American Heritage Day

Student Coordinator's Report: (Heather Trumble)

- Welcome Senators
- Spring calendar booked up new programs and initiatives
 - Live music every month in dining commons Tripp Cafe
 - Dec 1 pilot- voucher for a drink or chips
 - Thunderfest
 - Campus spa
 - Holiday Extravaganza
 - Service with a Slice – Student Wellness Committee
 - Arts and crafts kits to children to families in crisis

Athletic Director's Report: (Amanda Haseley)

- Men's basketball 4/1 rank
- Women's basketball 3/2

- Hockey 8/0
- Wrestling begins January 2022

Student Services' Report: (Julia Pitman)

- Bob
 - Sign up for winter section- January 4 -15 dates changed

Faculty Representatives Report:

- No senate meeting
- Good luck with finals and keep working on self-care

Committee Reports:

- Student Wellness
 - Women's Empowerment Task Force
 - open to all students
 - looking for a vice chair
- Community Outreach- food pantry/ meals on wheels
- Facilities Committee-
 - Gender neutral bathrooms-all single stalls- waiting on signage
 - Water fountain replacement-will happen slowly as budget permits
 - Shelves in bathrooms
 - New Director for Housing
- Programming Committee- Monday at 2:30pm
- Constitution Committee- can meet again with addition of Freshmen Senators

Old Business:

- White elephant, 12/2

New Business:

- None

Good and Welfare:

- Safe healthy holiday

Adjournment: 1:44pm

Motion: Senator Sallaj **Second:** Senator Binks **Motion Pass:** Carried