

Ripon College Student Senate

Agenda for Wednesday March 2nd, 2016

- I. Call to Order
- II. Approval of old Minutes
- III. Committee Reports
 - A. Secretary Valdez
 - B. Treasurer Grinde
 - C. Vice President Hince
 - D. President Brixus
 - E. Dean Ogle
 - F. What's Up With Your Group?
 - G. One Fund Talk Back
 - H. Student Activities Report
 - I. Miscellaneous Committees
- IV. Old Business
 - A. German Club Constitutional Revisions
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 - A. Miss Ripon Constitutional Revisions
- VI. Announcements
- VII. Open Forum
- VII. Adjournment

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Minutes for Wednesday February 24th, 2016

I. Call to Order

- 6:30PM

II. Approval of old Minutes

III. Committee Reports

A. Secretary Valdez

- None

B. Treasurer Grinde

- One Fund:\$37,893
- Next week at the CSO meeting I will be there to explain how budgets and accounts will work for next year.

C. Vice President Hince

- CSO meeting is next Wednesday at 5pm in the Heritage Room.
- Every group must have a representative there, I suggest you bring your treasurer and a up and coming member.
- I sent out the price catalog for Sodexo catering to all Student Organization presidents

D. President Brixus

- We will be working on figuring out who will win the David L. Harris award in the next week or so. It states the following:
 - The Student Senate recognizes the student who has contributed the most to the betterment of community service through a College club or organization for the improvement of areas that affect the students or student life. From 1954 to 1986 David L. Harris, dean of men and professor psychology, unselfishly gave of himself so that Ripon College students might achieve their full potential. He was dedicated to their feelings, dreams, and hopes, and became a source of strength to all who needed him.

E. Dean Ogle

- Thanks to those who stuck around last week to talk about Sodexo and other food changes.
- Elections are coming up soon, please urge others to vote and to run for positions. Remind them that elections for Senators and E-Board are this year, not next.
- You can run for multiple positions, including Senator.

F. What's Up With Your Group?

- German Club:
 - Have made connection to the local community by working with German students at the Hs to help them better their skills.

- Planning events, specifically intro German workshops.
- Francophone Alliance
 - Had a pub party at the beginning of the semester with a lot of attendance.
 - Had a hang out night with French students.
 - Will be having a Q&A with a French Professor coming up.
- Rumba
 - Meet every Tuesday and Thursday from 7-8pm
 - Just got back from Salsa Congress where we learned a bunch of new moves for the upcoming international dinner.
 - Having their 1st annual spring ball coming up soon in the Great Hall.
- Ducks Unlimited
 - Had a big banquet this past Saturday with 65 people coming and making nearly \$4,000 profit.
 - Turned out really well.
 - More service oriented events coming.

G. One Fund Talk Back

- CCF
 - The weekend retreat was really good and everyone enjoyed and learned a lot about their connection with God.

H. Student Activities Report

- The deadline to sign up for Spring Break transportation is Wed, March 2nd - information is available at www.ripon.edu/transportation
- The next CSO Meeting will be Wed, March 2nd at 5pm in the Heritage Room. All Student Senate-funded organizations should have a representative in attendance.
- Excellence in Leadership Awards nominations are still being accepted. See the attached sheet and click here to submit nominations - <http://goo.gl/forms/oH6KAA075Q> The nominations are due March 4th.

I. Miscellaneous Committees

- None

IV. Old Business

V. New Business

A. Ripon College Republicans One Fund Request

- Got the original One Fund, but there was supposed to be free bussing to get to DC and that fell through.
- This is to get funding to fly, this is for airfare, and we need \$2,200.
- This in addition to the previous \$1,800.
- Passed in the eyes of the speaker.

B. German Club Constitutional Revisions

- The last constitution was very vague and brand. This version specified our objective, roles of the E-Board, and the motto
- Passed in the eyes of the speaker

C. English Equestrian Team Budget Reallocation

- Move all from lodging to membership dues and moving 1400 from travel to registration fees.
- Passed in the eyes of the speaker

VI. Announcements

- Bingo Bonanza on the 5th of March

VII. Open Forum

- A college vehicle got in an accident this past weekend. As a reminder there are directions of how to handle an accident in the glove compartment of every vehicle. First you call 911, get the information of the other vehicle, and call Enterprise. In every vehicle there is always an emergency triangle, and flashlight.

VII. Adjournment

- 6:50PM