

Ripon College Student Senate

Emergency Session May 3rd

- I. Call to Order
- II. Approval of Old Minutes
- III. Committee Reports
 - A. Secretary Raygo
 - B. Treasurer Carlson
 - C. Vice President Wilson
 - D. President Edquist
 - E. Dean Ogle
 - F. What's Up With Your Group?
 - G. One Fund Talk Back
 - H. Miscellaneous Committees
- IV. Old Business
 - A. Committee Appointments
- V. New Business
 - A. Crimson Budget Appeal
- VI. Announcements
- VII. Open Forum
- VIII. Adjournment

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Minutes for Tuesday, May 3rd, 2016

- I. Call to Order
 - A. 6:30PM
- II. Approval of Old Minutes
 - A. Passed in the eye's of the Speaker
- III. Committee Reports
 - A. Secretary Raygo
 - 1. No Report
 - B. Treasurer Carlson
 - 1. The One Fund is at \$21,828.90
 - C. Vice President Wilson
 - 1. Avoid redundancies
 - D. President Edquist
 - 1. Try to be concise
 - E. Dean Ogle
 - 1. No Report
 - F. What's Up With Your Group?
 - 1. Men's Lacrosse
 - a) 8 game season
 - (1) 1-7, first win in 4 years
 - (2) Had to forfeit 2 games
 - G. One Fund Talk Back
 - 1. Blaster Club
 - a) Paintball Trip was successful and fun
 - 2. Duck's Unlimited
 - a) Gun Range Event
 - (1) Very successful
 - (2) Want to continue next year
 - H. Student Activities Report
 - 1. No Report
 - I. Miscellaneous Committees
 - 1. No Report
- IV. Old Business

- A. Committee Appointments
 - 1. Still one position available on the Motor Vehicle Committee
- V. New Business
 - A. Motion to Add a Ripon College Democrats to Agenda
 - 1. Passed
 - B. Ripon College Dems
 - 1. Need \$6.21 for activity they had at Springfest
 - 2. Misunderstanding of budget
 - 3. Passed
 - C. Crimson Budget Appeal
 - 1. Motion on table is for \$17,800
 - 2. Have been in contact with offices on campus
 - a) None are interested in helping next year
 - 3. Have been able to lower the cost to \$11,800
 - 4. Motion to Amend Appeal to \$11,800
 - a) Decrease number of books as well as number pages, still hardback
 - b) 600 yearbooks next year
 - c) Includes cost of professional photography
 - d) Passes
 - 5. Motion to Move into Committee
 - a) Clarification of process
 - b) Passed
 - 6. Next year's budget
 - a) \$25,324.50 plus carry over in projected One Fund
 - 7. Worry about commitment by club
 - a) 7 fully committed
 - b) Plan to begin completing pages earlier
 - c) Weekly meetings
 - d) Working with advisor
 - e) Can garner more resources for yearbook from various areas on campus because they are involved people
 - f) Plan to divide pages for work
 - g) Could potentially be done by December
 - 8. Question of leadership
 - a) Don't have leadership officially because they had a concern about the budget
 - b) Would do elections this week and to clarify details for the summer

- c) Committee as a Whole means everyone can talk to work on the issue at hand
- 9. Last year's advisor
 - a) Played very minimal role and would not accept much help
 - b) In previous year, the role of the advisor did not need to be larger
- 10. Question of changing advisors
 - a) No interest
 - b) Would need prior experience with Josten's
 - (1) Experience with editing larger books
 - (2) Someone ready to be involved and dedication
 - c) Current advisor is very involved on campus and is qualified
- 11. Question of investigating printers in Milwaukee or Madison
 - a) In short time, did not look in these areas
 - (1) Could not find a lower price
 - b) Want to stay in order to receive training to be better pre
- 12. Ripon Printing
 - a) \$6,000
 - (1) 104 Pages, paperback
 - b) Would not provide software and equipment, only printing
 - c) Much harder for new members to become involved
 - d) Feel Josten's is best bet for everything they provide
- 13. Newspaper comes from Ripon Printing
 - a) Use MErcury and have people who work in marketing and graphic design
- 14. Could they ask other groups for help?
 - a) Administration departments are not interested
 - b) Mercury has different requirements and functionality
 - c) Online tutorials would only help so much
 - d) Yearbook would not be able to the right quality
- 15. Josten's is the only company they're interesting in using, let's focus on that
 - a) Experience is very necessary to develop quality program
 - b) Newspaper would not be able to assist and train on a new program
 - c) Yearbook is only one time publication that needs lots of attention to detail
- 16. Motion to Move Out of Committee
 - a) Passed

- 17. Still sitting with \$11,800 contract with Josten's
- 18. Will be doing ballot vote because it is an issue that deals with \$11,800
 - a) Interpretation of constitution
 - b) Write Yes, No, or Abstain
 - (1) Anything else removes ballot
 - c) Abstentions are considered as empty seats and 50% majority is needed to pass as long as quorum is maintained
 - (1) 9-6-3
 - (2) Passes

VI. Announcements

A. None

VII. Open Forum

A. Thank you for coming on a Tuesday

VIII. Adjournment

A. Adjourned at 7:06