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**Senate Meeting #14 – February 6, 2024**

***A. Call to Order***

At 6:19 PM.

***B. Pledge of Allegiance***

"I pledge allegiance to the flag of the United States of America, and to the republic for which it stands, one nation under God, indivisible, with liberty and justice for all."

***C. Texas Pledge***



I just added a Google Form to my weekly emails that is for anyone who is unable to attend an E-Board member's office hours and has a question, comment, or concern for the E-Board in general. This is all for convenience purposes.

The Zoom link is for students who cannot attend in-person due to virtual status, illness, bad weather, etc. We strongly encourage in-person attendance.

#### ***D. Vice President Scott***

Orange Tie Affair is Tuesday, April 30<sup>th</sup> at 6pm in the Walker Education Center

Mental Health Day meeting with the Provost on last Wednesday of February. We will update on the outcome.

Met an SGA grad advisor candidate.

Orange Tie Committee has a GroupMe. If you would like to join, let me know so we can begin delegating tasks.

TSUS Board of Regents meeting is February 22<sup>nd</sup>-23<sup>rd</sup> here at SHSU.

Thank you for keeping the office tidy!

#### ***E. President Calderon***

- Graduate Assistant job has 2 more candidates! Waiting for them to schedule an interview.
- CLDF meetings: 2/9, 3/8, 4/12, 5/8
- Dr. White 1:1 2/15 @4pm
- SSFC meeting 2/28 8:00am-5:00pm
  - o The SSFC reallocates money for departments rather than organizations.
- Board of Regents @ SHSU 2/22-23 in the Orange Ballroom
  - o Please show up if you are able to! The meeting starts at 10am on the 23<sup>rd</sup> and should not last longer than 2 hours.
  - o Veronica will be speaking.
- March 2 the Grave 3/2 @10am

- Veronica will be speaking.
- FSL Townhall March 6<sup>th</sup> 5-6pm LSC 115
  - If you are interested, please go! Tell your FSL friends.
- Brandon Cooper is the new SGA Co-Advisor in training
  - He used to be in SGA!
  - He is the SAB advisor as well.
  - Will be training for a year.
- Polos & Crewnecks available
  - Let me know if you got one so we can figure out a time for you to pick it up.

## Director Reports

### ***A. External Affairs – Director Rojas-Caballero***

External Affairs meets every Wednesday at 5pm in the SGA office, Zoom is an option.

City Council meeting will be Feb. 6<sup>th</sup> at 6:00pm

Scheduling a meeting with the Huntsville city secretary's secretary on community building and support on behalf of SGA- will be dropping in throughout the week

Working on reaching out to buildings around campus regarding a book drive that will begin late this month

Working on potential school supply drive that will take place in April-more to come

### ***B. University Affairs – Director Hernandez***

University affairs will be moving meetings to Thursdays at 3:30 pm in person at the SGA office with a zoom option.

BAPI is April 13<sup>th</sup> 8 am-1 pm

- Sign up is in the GroupMe! Please fill it out. If you cannot attend, send me an email!

- Put “SGA” as your organization.
- BAPI, “Barkat All Paws In”, is a university-wide service day. Multiple locations have designated volunteers that go and volunteer that day for them. SGA coordinates this whole event.

I spoke to Mikayla White from Student involvement: leadership and service.

- Putting BAPI on Orglink and newsletter in the works!

### ***C. Student Affairs – Director Underwood***

Student Affairs will remain at 12:45pm on Tuesdays in the SGA office.

- No physical meeting next week.
- If you ever need the Zoom link for our meetings, please let me know ahead of time!

A Couple of Roses

- Confirmed Dates:
  - Rose Reservation Tabling: Wednesday Feb. 7th 1:00-3:00pm
  - Rose Package Pickup Tabling: Wednesday Feb. 13th 00:00-12:00 & 1:00-2:30pm.



a senator.

I am interim director, meaning this position is open. If you are thinking about wanting this position but are unsure or have any questions, I would love to talk about it and answer any questions you have!

- There are two active council members going through the process.

## Chair Reports

*A. Graduate – VACANT*

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does not do sample sizes anymore. Buying full size bottles in bulk will get super expensive. Looking to collaborate with someone else moving forward about sunscreen!

The new COHS Strategic Plan should be complete by the end of this Spring Semester. Meeting with committee is February 13<sup>th</sup> at 4pm.

- This should be finalizing the last steps in the plan so let me know if you have any feedback or ideas you would her to bring to the table.

### ***H. Business Administration – Chair Garcia***

COBA Career Readiness Feb 6<sup>th</sup> – 8<sup>th</sup> (10 am – 2 pm) 1<sup>st</sup> Floor Mafrige Lobby

Association of Latino Professionals for America is holding an informational meetings on the 8<sup>th</sup> at 3:30pm in SHB 341

Marking Club is have a Superbowl watch party at 5:30pm in DRC bldg. room 326

Spring Career Fair February 13<sup>th</sup>, 2024 (9:30 AM – 2:30 PM) in the LSC Orange Ballroom

## **Committee Reports**

### ***A. Menstrual Equity Committee – Chair Rojas-Caballero***

TWC excursion was put on hold, Aunt Flow signage needed prior approval. Spoke to Aunt Flow and came up with a plan of action for the dispensers.

### ***B. Celebratory Event Committee – Chair Ivorion***

- Campus Activities is sponsoring the food for the event.
- Mark your calendars Feb 29<sup>th</sup> from 5-8pm!
- Thank you to April Salmeron for contributing some of PR's budget towards this event.
- The PR manager for Student Affairs will be leading the PR campaign for Black Renaissance.

### ***C. Student Life Committee***

### ***D. Civic Engagement Committee – Chair Hernandez***

2024 Democratic & Republican Primary Elections

Deadline to register 2/5

Early voting 2/20-3/01

Last day to apply to vote by mail 2/23

Election day – 3/5

## **General Information**

### ***A. Old Business***

### ***B. New Business***

Fill vacancies

- Graduate chair
- COSET chair
- Director of Council

## Impeachments

- Sophie Powers

Veronica Calderon entertains the motion to impeach Kendall Harris.

- Alison Ulloa moves to impeach Sophie Powers.
  - Aly Underwood seconds.

Unanimous pass.

- Kendall Harris has been impeached.

Member of the Week

- The member of the week is... Brad Williams!

### ***C. Open Forum***

***D. Announcements***

February 29<sup>th</sup> is the Pose Fashion Show at 6pm in the White Ballroom.  
Come support!

***E. Motion to Adjourn Meeting***

At 7:11 PM.