



DELTA STATE UNIVERSITY
STUDENT GOVERNMENT ASSOCIATION CABINET
Minutes

Date: Feb. 20th , 2023

Call to Order: 8:00 pm

Members in Attendance: Lucia Chacon, Michael Tucker, Samira O’Neal, Haley Rooks, Martina Rossetti, Anna Grace Travis, Madison Lavoie, Kelly Foster, Hayden Kirkhart, Shukira King, Kaiden Beck, and Karley Bloesch. (Advisor- Branton) Guests – Jonah Troup

Members not in Attendance: Raychelle Chambers

Call to Order: A regular meeting of the Student Government Cabinet was held in SGA office on February 20th, 2023. The meeting convened at 8:00 pm with Lucia Chacon presiding.

Approval of Minutes..... Lucia Chacon
On motion by Michael Tucker and seconded by Madison Lavoie, all Cabinet members present and participating voted unanimously to approve the minutes of the Cabinet meeting held on February 13th, 2023.

Selected Topic/Issue for Cabinet Discussion.....Lucia Chacon

- None

Introduction and Overview of Items

- Lucia announced that we had low attendance for interest meetings and a couple of people missed campaign meetings. The people that showed up unexcused will not run in the campaign. Had the Hall of Fame meeting and discussed the procedure, what should change on the rules and event itself. The Stuff a Heart Event was a success as all of the hearts were gone within the first 15 minutes. Lucia also announced that she met with Dr. Myrtis Tabbs and she proposed that the Big Green Event be a community service project for an award event done by the Governor. Next, Lucia asked about the Giveaway Event for Swim and Dive, Martina stated that a lot of students didn’t participate in the raffle. Most students came after the raffle but there were no complaints. Overall, the event was a great turnout and the students had lots of fun. Samira announced that the drive in movie will be in Jobe due to equipment issues. Lastly, Lucia announced that the movie will be a mandatory event for all Cabinet members.

Business
Action

- Miracle Man Appropriation Request.....Lucia Chacon
 - The floor was opened for discussion where Jonah Troup announced that he would like SGA to sponsor a cash prize of \$225 for Miracle Man, a fundraiser event that has been happening on campus for several years now. On motion by Martina Rossetti and seconded by kaiden Beck, all Cabinet members present and participating voted unanimously to approve the funds of \$225 for Miracle Man.
- John Crist Tickets.....Lucia Chacon
 - Lucia announced that she had received a email from Laura Howell with the prices of Balcony tickets. Tickets were originally \$35 but with the student discount they are \$ 28 each. Haley Rooks and Shukira King proposed that we pay the full price for 20 tickets. On motion by Kaiden Beck and seconded by Shukira King, all Cabinet members present and participating voted unanimously to approve the funds of \$560 for John Crist Tickets.

Discussion

- SGA Elections.....Lucia Chacon
 - Lucia announced that we currently have 11 people running for the Executive Cabinet. Elections will take place March 2nd-3rd through Canvas.
- Constitution Review.....Kelly Foster
 - Lucia announced to all Cabinet members to read and make known of any updates that need to be made to the Constitution. All Cabinet members present and participating reviewed and made amendments to the Constitution, starting Article 9, pg.20.

Cabinet Reports

- President
 - A sign-up sheet will be made for Casino night. There will not be a Cabinet meeting next Monday, working Casino night will count as office hours for the week.
- Vice President
 - Bill does not have to be written for requiring the syllabus for pre-registration. Currently working with Dr. Novobiliski to push forward the practice bill. Extending the hours of the Union restaurants to match the hours at Chick-Fil-A cannot move forward, and lastly the Senate has two bills being presented this Thursday.
- Public Relations
 - Remember the Titans promotion is out on okra bites and there are posters hung up. An election post will be made announcing the Candidates for the Executive Cabinet.
- Athletic Affairs
 - Baseball, Softball, and Tennis have conference this weekend and there will be pom poms in both decks.
- Attorney General
 - Had a very successful Candidate meeting, headshots are due on the 24th for those that are running, Election will be March 2nd-3rd through Canvas, and Constitution Review will be Sunday

- Chief of Staff
 - Encouraged Cabinet members to pass out Big Green Event Flyers, Capitol Visit is March 22nd, and the movie night is mandatory this week.
- Spirits and Traditions
 - Will meet with Advisor Branton to discuss SpringFest and will keep us updated.
- International Affairs
 - Heard back from Cristy Washington and she said that we must wait at least another week once the Calendar is figured out for Dr. Caston.
- Big Green Event
 - BGE Registration for students is open and will be posted this week. Encouraged all Cabinet members to share the post.

Adjournment: 9:12 pm

- Next Cabinet Meeting- February 27th, 2023, at 8:00 pm.