

Call To Order

A. Meeting called to order at 7:01 pm.

I. Roll Call

A. Amelia is late but excused.

II. Public Comment

A. Kit: "I just wanted to say that I have access to our website now and can make edits as we decide to do so. Also minutes for both ASNMU and SFC will begin getting posted there regularly. Headshots were done last week, I only have two people who have not gotten or given me a headshot so I would just like to get the ball rolling on that so our website can be up to date."

III. Approval of Consent Items

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B. Kelly motions to approve the minutes.

C. Jack seconds the motion.

D. Vote passes unanimously.

IV. Executive Reports

A. President

1. Dana: "As far as student employment goes, I am waiting on an update I have not heard back about anything. I had a meeting with Ben Conlin, MTU Student Body President, and we were discussing different things that we are doing at each school. He talked about a bus for students that they do for breaks so that students can get somewhere easier. The tickets are around \$100 and this is something that the students really benefit from and enjoy. They also have a policy made by the student government there that professors have to put their syllabus on EduCat, which I thought was interesting. The 1UP conference is most likely going to be Saturday, November 9th at LSSU so put that in your calendar if you would like to attend. I also know a lot of you are doing this with other organizations but I would like to do Make a Difference Day together as ASNMU so please let me know if anyone would be interested in that. However, we are for sure

doing the lip sync battle next semester! We have an event coming up with BSU on October 16th from 5:30 to 7 pm about voting. They are asking for funding for advertising and possibly food if we are open to that. Mind Over Miles is an event hosted by the Wellbeing Center on October 10th from 4:30-7:30 pm and they are looking for volunteers. Final thing, I would like to submit a proposal for the Green Fund about our Bike Share program. I think that could be a great way to get our bikes and funding for that."

B. Vice President

1. Ruby: "Not sure if everyone is aware of this but all students have access to Canto which is where all the marketing photos get uploaded to, so check that out if you are interested. Also, I have a couple interviews for new members this week so that's exciting! I am also emailing people who joined on the Hub to see if they are actually interested in joining ASNMU or just wanting to see our events and things.

C. Treasurer

1. Victoria: "We have \$7,726.24 in the account right now for ASNMU. I also wanted to update you all a bit on a budget we partially approved last week for Make a Difference Day. Just in case questions or concerns are brought to any of you. They did request \$8,000 for the t-shirts and we did only end up approving \$3,000. We did this because it was only going to be about 11% of the student body in projected attendance but it was roughly half of our budget for the semester which didn't seem fair. We also felt as though they were not adequately prepared for the meeting with all the numbers needed so we did not feel comfortable approving the full amount."

D. Voice of the Assembly

1. Halle: "PR is working on lots of new things! Ben made a new poster for the stamps that we provide

for student's voting mail. We are working on the ASNMU newsletter as well, so I wanted to get all the input I could on that. About the member logs, I still have lots of spots that are empty and I would really appreciate you guys filling out your information on there to make ordering and things easier. Finally, we are on a time budget tonight so if we could keep our ideas big but our words shorter that would be greatly appreciated."

V. New Business

A. Budgets

1. [Name Plate Budget](#) - Halle Johnson
 - a) Jack motions to approve the budget in full.
 - b) Kelly seconds the motion.
 - c) Vote passes unanimously.
2. [Holiday Gift Bags](#) - Ivy Fowler
 - a) Cassidy motions to approve the budget in full.
 - b) Ben seconds the motion.
 - c) Vote passes unanimously.
3. [Halloween Bracelet Making Table](#) - Ivy Fowler
 - a) Kelly motions to approve the budget in full.
 - b) Ben seconds the motion.
 - c) Vote passes unanimously.
4. [Team Bonding: Pumpkin Party](#) - Dana Hinckley
 - a) Kelly motions to approve the budget in full.
 - b) Alec seconds the motion.
 - c) Vote passes unanimously.
5. [Period Project Storage](#) - Cassidy Gibson
 - a) Kelly motions to approve the budget in full.
 - b) Alec seconds the motion.
 - c) Vote passes unanimously.

B. Members with Discussion

Jack motions to amend the agenda to put Members with Discussion topics #1 and #6 in swapped positions. Cassidy seconds this motion. Vote passes unanimously. Agenda is then swapped.

1. Ice Skating Dates - Jack Belcher
 - a) One of our most popular events are the ice skating ones that we put on. Jack would like

to have two that we begin planning. One for Halloween and one for the Holidays. He would like to get opinions and ideas of what the dates should be so that he can begin getting a budget laid out. He also states that we could do a costume contest for the Halloween skate as there are no policies against it at the rink we use.

- b) Mitchell suggests moving the Holiday skate to the end of the first week of second semester in January, as there is already so much going on around the time of finals and people would not be as open to attending. This is agreed upon among the group.
- c) Date discussed for the Halloween skate is October 26th from 6pm-8pm.

Kelly motions to amend the agenda to switch the positions of #2 and #5 in the Members with Discussions. Cassidy seconds this motion. Vote is approved unanimously.

2. Trunk or Treat - Kelly Ryan

- a) Met with the President, and they have decided to open the Trunk or Treat up to any organization, house, program, sport, etc. on campus. If they would like to decorate a trunk and give out candy, they are welcome to. We are now waiting on confirmation that this event will be 100% taking place.
- b) Assumed date for this event will be October 27th.
- c) Kelly is now meeting with people from the Special Events Committee to see if they would also like to help throw this event. As well as a meeting with the Board to see about funding for the candy and possibly pumpkins for a carving/painting contest.

3. [Requested Lounge Area On Campus](#) - Dana Hinckley

- a) A student has given a suggestion for furniture to be put in the area between McClintock and TFA so that students have a

much better area on campus to work in between classes at these buildings.

- b) There is a contact through purchasing who works with Surplus, Dan Lynch, he is a possible person who could help facilitate obtaining furniture for this area.
- c) Ivy also mentioned that Dining Services has a room of extra furniture that they may be willing to donate.
- d) The idea was also discussed to add social media advertising of study spaces to our accounts. As well as adding these spaces to our newsletter.

4. LSAT Preparation - Ivy Fowler

- a) Ivy believes that it would be beneficial to students in the pre-law program or other grad programs to have a way to rent out LSAT and other exam books to study with. Especially due to the high price of these items, and the inaccessibility for most students to receive this.
- b) Dr. Wilson has extended his hand and asked that Ivy present a budget to him and he will speak with the Political Science department and see what they can do to help get this off the ground.

5. [Bereavement Policy](#) - Kelly Ryan

- a) They have updated the language in the policy to accommodate the requests of faculty members and make it more clear. Kelly would love if we were able to read the Bereavement Policy and give feedback about document. Once this is passed in the APC meeting they will be able to continue the process of making this policy into a legal standing within the university.

6. Mobile Office Hours Logistics - Jack Belcher

- a) Jack did Mobile Office Hours next week but felt like he blended in with other students

in the area. He would like to come up with ways to make ASNMU members more known during their office hours in public spaces.

- b) PR suggested to do posters to show who the student is that is there so students can see more clearly. They are also making office hours posters to hang outside the office for students to see.

VI. Public Comment

- A. A member of the student body suggested doing a student of the week in the dining services areas to aid in a moral boost.
- B. Discussion is had about how to best go about that. It is decided that highlighting departments or individuals would be better rather than singling people out because that could become another issue.

VII. Good Of the Order

- A. Jack has things that students have brought up to him that he would like to discuss briefly:
 - 1. Campus Masterplan - What ever happened to it?
 - a) Alec has said that there is a meeting being had on it next week with more information to come soon.
 - 2. Bringing back compost in the residence halls.
 - a) Kit has discussed how EcoReps is discussing this possibility at the meetings, however with the issues that are already happening with composting in the dining hall it is not a priority right now.
 - b) Promoting the Compost Crew positions are the main focus at the moment. But the idea is being kept in mind.

VIII. Adjournment

- A. Meeting is adjourned at 8:17 pm.