



**Western Washington University Associated Students
Ethnic Student Center Steering Committee Meeting**
Tuesday, November 12th, 2013

Voting Members: *Present:* ACC -Jaleesa Smiley, BSU -Ajané Burnley, CSA -Jessica Chong, FASA -
Glen Nguyen, HOH -Michaela Vendióla, JSA -Scott Takai, KhSA -Ryan Chiu, KS A -
Connie Cho, TSU -Jacqueline Chavez, MEChA -Patricia Pacheco, NASU -Camille Senn,
QPOC -Talia Towery, TSA -Glao Weerakun, VSA -Nathan Nguyen, *Absent:* MISO - SASA
-Nardeep Kaum,

Advisor: Nate Panelo

Chair: Mayra Guizar

Co-Chair: Ajané Bumley

Finances: Assistant Business Director

Secretary: Sheridel De Vera

MOTIONS

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| SC-13-F-6 | Approval of the minutes of Tuesday, October 29th, 2013 -Passed |
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Mayra Guizar, A.S. Vice President for Diversity, called the meeting to order at 4:00 p.m.

I. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

MOTION SC-13-F-6 by Smiley

Approval of the minutes of Tuesday, October 29th, 2013

Second: Bumley Vote: 13-0-0 Action: **Passed**

Glen Nguyen entered the meeting at 4:03

II. REVISIONS TO THE AGENDA

III. FINANCIAL REPORT- Nate Panelo/Taylor Franks

IV. PUBLIC FORUM

V. INFORMATION ITEMS—Guests/ Other Business

VI. ACTION ITEMS-

VII. CLUB REPORTS

African Caribbean Club

The club reported that there will be a bake sale tomorrow from 1-3pm. They have decided that all of their charity funds will go towards the Orphans to Ambassadors.

Black Student Union

No updates

Chinese Student Association:

CSA will be having a joint Meeting with HOH on Thursday at 6pm in CF 120. They will also be hosting Dumping Night on November 22nd from 7-9pm in Eden's Hall.

Filipino American Student Association

The club will be having a Menchie's fundraiser at Bakerview and Lakeway on November 13-14th. The club will get 20% of the profit. The Krispy Kreme fundraiser will be held on November 18th-20th from 10am-lpm.

Hui O' HawaPi

HOH will be having a bake sale Thursday and Friday from 10am-3pm on Vendor's row. The club will also be taking a trip to Kona Kitchen on Saturday, leaving at 10am.

Japanese Student Association

No Updates

KliMer Student Association

The club reported that they will be having an Applebee's fundraiser on Friday. The club will get 15% of the profits. There is a flyer on their Facebook event page.

Korean Student Association

KSA will be having a joint meeting with BSU on Thursday at VU 565 at 4:30-5:30pm.

Latino Student Union

No updates

Mixed Identity Student Organization

Absent

El Movimiento Estudiantil Chicano/a de Aztlán

The club will be showing the new members and freshmen around downtown tomorrow. They will be meeting up at the Bellingham station at 5pm.

Native American Student Union:

No updates

South Asian Student Association

Absent

Thai Student Association

TSA will be having a bake sale Friday November 22nd.

Queer People of Color

No updates

Vietnamese Student Association

No updates

VIII. OTHER BUSINESS -

a. ESC Bylaws

Nate Panelo worked on the Associated Students Ethnic Student Center Bylaws. The main

thing that he changed was the funding request process. After returning all appropriate funding request forms, at least one representative from the requesting club must be present at the ESC SC meeting where information relative to the item is being discussed. It is recommended the representative be an officer from the club, other than the steering rep. Panelo said that he thinks it is a median balance to make sure there is other input other than the Steering Rep and makes it easier for the Steering Rep to propose funding without needing to bother other club officers. If there are no officers available to attend the meeting, the steering representative may present a funding request proposal to the ESC Steering Committee. If a representative for the club does not attend the meeting in which such an item is to be discussed, the agenda item will be tabled until the person informs the chair that they would like to be on the agenda again. He said that it is important to have the other club officers come to SC. The club budget authority must sign off on the request and informed about any changes to the budget from the club. Panelo said he will email it to the SC members and have them bring it back to their officers in order for the Bylaws to be changed and voted on.

b. Women's Center

Mayra Guizar said that the Vagina Memoirs are still open. You can pick up a packet if you want to still be a part of the program in the Women's Center in VU 515 and talk to the coordinator Laura.

c. ESC Updates

Polly Woodbury said that she was thinking about holding a donation drive. She said that she has been talking to the other ESC staff about what things the ESC can donate. She was wondering if other people had any other ideas of things to donate, such as donating school supplies or can food drive. Polly wants to get it started by next week. She suggested having some type of donation to give back to the Philippines since there was a natural disaster that just recently happened. Bumley asks how the donations will get the money or materials to the right place. Talia Lowery said that the best way to give the donations is through grassroots organizations and nonprofits. Glen suggested to have bracelets or other types of awareness of the Philippines Typhoon. Woodbury said that she was thinking about having the donation start in the beginning of winter quarter. She was hoping to decide by this Friday. Sheridel will send out an email reminder for suggestions along with the updated ESC Bylaws reminder. The donation would be a great time for the ESC to work on a common goal.

Co-chair for next week is Glen Nguyen.

THE MEETING WAS ADJOURNED BY ACCLAMATION AT 4:25 P.M.