Call to Order: 5:10 PM

Pledge of Allegiance

Roll Call

Rep. Chae – Absent
Rep. Logan – Present
Rep. Marquez – Absent
Rep. Nowicki – Present
Rep. Sardinas – Present
Pro Tempore Schlissel – Absent
Rep. Sharrow – Present
Rep. St. Lot – Absent
Rep. Taher – Present
Rep. Trueblood – Present
Speaker Newton – Present

Approvals:

Motion to approve Minutes for October 12th 2011: Move by Rep. Sharrow, Second by Rep. Taher


Guest Speaker
None

Open Forum:

Renee Lippert: I’m from Seatech Campus. We’re asking for microwave and toaster oven for Seatech campus.

Rep. Logan: Do you have sufficient wattage for these devices?
Renee Lippert: Yes, we already have such equipment on campus
Rep. Sardinas: Do we have to buy from approved vendors?
D. Bynes: Yes.

**Governor’s Report:**

Gov. Pferdehirt: Thanks for signing up for bus. We had over 29,000 people present at the stadium. Over 7,000 students present at stadium. We’re going to lobby athletics for more seats.

**President’s Report:**

Gov. Pferdehirt (speaking for President Maher): Good afternoon Broward Representatives! I want to thank you for taking the time to serve our fellow students and stepping up to the plate.

- Last week we did a t-shirt swap on all campuses. We collected over 300 shirts, donated to homeless.

- This past Saturday we had a tremendous turn out for the first ever home game at FAU stadium. Student Government Sponsored free t-shirts and bobble heads for the first 2,000 students

- Two weeks ago I went with my fellow student body presidents in the state of Florida for a congressional lobby trip to Washington DC and met with several congressmen. We advocated on behalf of higher education, specifically for Pell grant & Stafford loan funding

- On October 13th We had our traditional “Beat t-shirt pep rally” in conjunction with the alumni. After the pep rally we unveiled the first statue ever on campus which was funded through my office last year along with alumni donors. After the unveiling we put on FAU’s 4th annual bone fire and had over 5,000 students turn out

- We will be having the first Constitutional Revision Committee meeting on October 27th on the Boca Raton campus, I hope all appointees are reviewing the constitution and will bring valuable feedback

- I hope to be able to be at a house meeting in person soon and thank you again for your dedication to the student body. We are working to unify all of our campuses because Robert, the Student Body Vice President & I believe in one FAU. We believe although we may be separated by distance we are all Owls! If you have any questions please do not hesitate to contact me (Email - amaher3@my.fau.edu).

Hope to see you all at the game this Saturday, GO OWLS!!

**Associate Justice’s Report:**

None.

**Senator’s Report:**

None.
Program Reports (SAVI, Program Board, COSO, Graduate Council):
None.

Student Government Advisor’s Report:

D. Bynes:

Please sign up for bus to the game this Saturday. We have to communicate with Athletics about bus size.

If the house does any programming, it must be submitted for Student Life calendar by Nov. 4th.

Committee Chair Reports: (Campus Action, Rules, Budget Oversight):

Rep. Sardinas: We are working on the design of flyer for Art Dept.
Speaker Newton: They wanted a written proposal.
D. Bynes: We need to internally improve some stuff, to be submitted to Student Union Advisory Board in November. Meet with Alex first.
Speaker Newton: Let’s work on this next week.
Rep. Logan: What is the flyer for?

Legislative Report:

Speaker Newton:

Let’s try to fill the buses to the games. We need to justify the expense to Boca.

Game night is tomorrow at 5. Please come in early to help set up. If any reps can come, sign up with Rep. Trueblood. Please attend club meetings and events if available. HSRS event tomorrow from 12 to 1 PM in heritage hall. FMA meeting today that Newton and Trueblood attended.

We need to get more promo t-shirts, we have 2 left. Open for design changes.

Thanks to those reps who worked on e-mail to Dexter Lamont.

We need to have dates planned for the Spring. We should get onto the calendar this year. Let’s try do another "Paint your Voice" event early in the spring.

Rep. Sardinas: Could you send out the email for comparison?

Rep. Logan: What was the e-mail for?

Speaker Newton: Sports memorabilia

D. Bynes: Where did we come up with the numbers?
Speaker Newton: You told me to think big.

Speaker Newton: Forgot to add to report: Problem with attendance, we are going to institute a points system for meetings, including CMTE meetings. We almost did not have quorum for tonight.

Rep. Sardinas: Point system would cause confusion

Speaker Newton: System is in statutes, statutes can be revised by constitutional revision CMTE.

D. Bynes: Make sure we all read over the 400 statutes. Attendance policy is university-wide.

Speaker Newton: We all have the statutes in the binders.

Rep. Logan: Did we get anything from Paint your Voice that could be used on T-shirts?

Speaker Newton: Yes, there were some ideas, we have to look at them.

Rep. Logan what is HSRS?

Speaker Newton: Health Science and related studies

Rep. Logan: We should have a Relay for Life on campus.

Rep. Trueblood: We have one on Boca.

**House Appointments:**

**Committee Chair Appointments**

Rep. Sharrow appointed to Public Relations Committee.

Pro Temp Schlissel, Rep. Taher, and Terry Agoris appointed to Constitution Revision Committee. First Meeting on Oct. 27th in Boca, 10am.


**New Business:**

BCHB-11-01
Toaster and Microwave for Seatech.

Speaker Newton: We do not vote on the bill the day it is introduced, please review bill and we will vote next week.
Rep. Logan: I would recommend that we amend the bill to include the word "oven" after “toaster”.

Speaker Newton: The bill, as amended, will be known as BCHB 11-01

Rep. Trueblood: Was the research conducted at an approved vendor?

D. Bynes: Shanna will work on purchasing after the House passes the bill. Remove the second sentence beginning with "The amount requested".

Speaker Newton: Bill has been introduced.

**Open Forum**

Rep. Logan: Relay for Life during the Spring, would like to have event at Davie

D. Bynes: Since it’s on Boca, I don’t see the support.

Speaker Newton: Could we co-sponsor with NSU, BC.

D. Bynes: We are duplicating something that FAU already does, will not be approved up the change of command.

Rep. Logan: We should approach the towns of Davie, Plantation.

Rep. Taher: Talked to Mr. Fernandez about computer lab on Davie West, There is no room. They are planning to build a new Business building across the street, may include a computer lab.

Speaker Newton: Reach out to students who have classes at Davie West with petition.

D. Bynes: Are we prepared to make the same argument for the ES building?

Rep. Logan: I think we do have ac computer lab in ES.

Speaker Newton: Maybe we don't need a full lab, but baybe one computer and a printer.

Rep. Logan: The way to state it would be "For safety concerned and timely usage", and also include printer, scanner in proposal.

Rep. Trueblood: Tomorrow is game night. Gone to Publix, Rest. Depot. Pizza Loft order will arrive tomorrow at 4:15. Our money has been spent. All paperwork has been turned in to Alex. If we are able to come, please sight up. Helen is taking the time to make us buttons, hence the need to sign up. Michelle will be in COSO room, please offer to help.

Rep. Logan: Can we bring kids?

Rep. Trueblood: FAU students only
D. Bynes: CBC needs 3 more reps, Newton cannot participate.

**Final Roll Call:**

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**Motion to adjourn the meeting:** Moved by Rep. Sharrow, Second by Rep. Sardinas

**Adjournment:** Meeting adjourned at 6:10 PM.