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## Student Bar Association Meeting Minutes

Wednesday January 16, 2019

12:00 PM

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- I. Meeting Called to Order at 12:02**
- II. Open Forum**
- III. Establishment of Quorum**
  - a. In Attendance: Joe, Lydia, Christy, Matt, Evan, Will, Jasmine, Nakia, Maya, Jonah, Rashaad, Madison, Katie
  - b. Excused Absence: Erin
- IV. Approval of Agenda**
  - a. Motion Passes:
    - i. 12-0
- V. Officer Reports**
  - 1. President's Report (Joe)**
    - a. Meeting times
      - i. Send schedules to Matt so that we can find possible flex times since Wednesday will have some conflicts this semester
    - b. Team Building
      - i. Community garden outing? Joe of find a weekend to bring to Board
    - c. Constitutional Amendment
      - i. To be voted on with elections since they are relatively soon this semester and will be easily logistically to vote all at one
    - d. Free Speech Board
      - i. Made sure it is cleaned off on Mondays; did not happen this week
    - e. Committee Selection formalization in the bylaws
      - i. Ad hoc committee to bring bylaw proposal to the Board
        1. Joe, Matt, Madison
    - f. Fridge duty transfer from 2L class to 1L class
      - i. Jonah to take over from Erin
    - g. Red Cross (February 20<sup>th</sup>, 11:30 am - 4:30 pm)
      - i. Will to organize
  - 2. Vice President's Report (Lydia)**
    - a. Barristers' Ball Funding
      - i. Venue
        1. Carolina Inn

- a. \$4,500 for the venue space
  - b. There is a minimum food & drink provision included in the K, but law school has always hit that minimum in the past
  - c. There will also be required cost for security, lighting, etc.
  - d. Last year was \$21K
    - i. We usually break even on Barristers
    - ii. Should be cheaper this year due to theme
  - e. Still do not know about entertainment options. To be brought to Board in the coming weeks
  - f. Want to streamline entry & drink process this year. Reduce time in lines
- 2. Other venues do not have capacity
- ii. Theme
    - 1. Circus
  - iii. Vote to sign K for Carolina Inn to use venue
    - 1. Motion: Lydia
    - 2. Second: Will
    - 3. 12-0
- 3. Treasurer's Report (Christy)**
- a. Allocations Meetings
    - i. Typically on a Sunday in past
    - ii. February 3<sup>rd</sup> at Law School @ noon
    - iii. Matt to reserve room 4004
  - b. Treasurers' Training
    - i. Must be before allocations meeting
    - ii. Christy will hold them next week
- 4. Secretary's Report (Matt)**
- a. Duke Watch Party @ La Res (February 20<sup>th</sup>)
    - i. Already have approval from La Res
    - ii. Last year used some of proceeds to go toward class gift. Matt to reach out and find out if any of that was part of a cover charge or if 100% went back to class gift last year
  - b. T Lot cut-through
    - i. Lot of law school students use it to get to law school to save time, but gets washed out and muddy. On UNC land from what can be determined. Talk to administration about getting pine straw/gravel there on the trail students have created.

## **VI. Class Reports**

### **1. 3L Class President's Report (Evan)**

- a. BBQ at He's Not (February 16<sup>th</sup>)
  - i. Originally March 2<sup>nd</sup>, attempting to move b/c Barristers
  - ii. \$5 ticket for a BBQ meal, drink special may be included in some form
  - iii. Evan going to meet with He's Not

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- b. Apparel
  - i. Want to do another apparel run
  - ii. Been going through Underground, who goes through Pogo
  - iii. Find way to cut out some of the middle men
- c. General Elections for SBA Office
  - i. Interest Meetings (February 4<sup>th</sup>, 5<sup>th</sup>, 6<sup>th</sup>)
  - ii. Nomination Forms Due in Evan's Mailbox (February 11<sup>th</sup>)
  - iii. Campaign Begins (February 12<sup>th</sup>)
  - iv. Forum (February 26<sup>th</sup>)
  - v. Primary (February 27<sup>th</sup>)
  - vi. General March 5<sup>th</sup>
  - vii. Motion to change election date to March 6<sup>th</sup>
    - 1. Motion: Evan
    - 2. Second: Nakia
    - 3. 12-0
- 2. 3L Class Representatives' Report (Jasmine & Will)**
- 3. 2L President's Report (Nakia)**
- 4. 2L Representatives' Report (Erin & Maya)**
  - a. Food survey
    - i. We have feedback to support changes in any direction we want to go with food options
- 5. 1L Class President's Report (Jonah)**
- 6. 1L Class Representatives' Report (Rashaad & Madison)**
  - a. 1L Council Meeting Summary
    - i. 1L Happy Hour
    - ii. Penny Wars
      - 1. Winning college gets to pie a professor in face as prize potentially
      - 2. Council members to help table
    - iii. Event Fundraising Ideas: Rent-A-Date, Carnations
      - 1. Candy over carnations. Check to see costs and options
    - iv. Social Events: 1L Network Dating, Keynote Speakers, 1L Field Day
      - 1. Dog park day
      - 2. Class olympics

**VII. Announcements**

**VIII. Meeting Closed at 12:53**

