



WESTERN NEVADA COLLEGE

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ASWN Meeting Minutes	DATE: 2/07/20	LOCATION: Dini 105
Members Present	Executives: Gabrielle Clark (President), Julia Cruz (Treasurer)-tardy, Jennifer Sanchez (Secretary). Senators: Desirae Blunt-Lamkey, Addison Fredeen. Faculty Advisor: Heather Rikalo.	
Members Missing	Representative: Hailey Benson.	
Guests	Donnell Dike-Anukam	

Agenda Topic	Call to Order
Action Taken	Call to order at 12:10 P.M. - roll call was taken.
Summary of Discussion	none.
Assignments/Potential Agenda Items	none.
Comments/Information	Most ASWN members are present.

Agenda Topic	Treasurer's Report
Action Taken	none.
Summary of Discussion	
Assignments/Potential Agenda Items	
Comments/Information	<ul style="list-style-type: none">● Heather:<ul style="list-style-type: none">-Is working with Julia, the Treasurer of ASWN.-No pending's in the account.-Budget statement will be available next Tuesday Feb. 11.-Have not disbursed funds to clubs, but \$100 will be given to all Fall and Spring clubs. A total of \$2,000-\$3,000 will be disbursed.

Agenda Topic	Approval of min. of 1/21/20
Action Taken	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Addison motions to approve the minutes of 1/21/20 with the agreed upon changes. Desirae second. Motion passes 2-0-0.
Summary of Discussion	
Assignments/Potential Agenda Items	none.
Comments/Information	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Julia Cruz joins the meeting at 12:17 P.M. Changes are made.

Agenda Topic	Approval of min. of 1/28/20
Action Taken	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Addison motions to approve the minutes of 1/28/20 with the agreed upon changes. Desirae second. Motion passes 2-0-0.
Summary of Discussion	
Assignments/Potential Agenda Items	none.
Comments/Information	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Changes are made.

Agenda Topic	Approval of min. of 2/04/20
Action Taken	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Addison motioned to approve the minutes of 2/04/20. Desirae second. Motion passes 2-0-0.
Summary of Discussion	
Assignments/Potential Agenda Items	none.
Comments/Information	

Agenda Topic	Donnell Dike-Anukam to be considered by the Senate as Senator for the remainder of the 2019-2020 term.
Action Taken	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Addison motions to approve Donnell Dike-Anukam to be a Senator for the remainder of the 2019-2020 term. No second/ Desirae abstains from the vote. Motion does not pass. A total percent vote of 51% is needed to approve an item.
Summary of Discussion	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Desirae asked the question: "If I abstain from the vote, does it prevent a candidate from being in ASWN in the future?" -Heather replies: "It does not prevent a candidate from being on ASWN."

Assignments/Potential Agenda Items	None.
Comments/Information	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Gabrielle Clark speaks about previous times that she met with Donnell. -She expresses how she and Donnell have similar visions for ASWN in the present and future. Heather also met with Donnell and spoke about his intentions as a possible ASWN member.

Agenda Topic	Maria Ramirez to be considered by the Senate as Senator for the remainder of the 2019-2020 term.
Action Taken	Item is tabled as Maria Ramirez has not been interviewed for her position.
Summary of Discussion	
Assignments/Potential Agenda Items	None.
Comments/Information	

Agenda Topic	Bradford Adams to be considered by the Senate as Senator for the remainder of the 2019-2020 term.
Action Taken	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Addison motions to approve Bradford Adams to be a Senator for the remainder of the 2019-2020 term. Desirae second. Motion passes 2-0-0.
Summary of Discussion	
Assignments/Potential Agenda Items	None.
Comments/Information	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Bradford is not present to answer any questions. Item is open for discussion. Heather and Gabrielle speak in regards to Bradford's thoughtful intentions for ASWN, and how it could not only benefit his career but also WNC students.

Agenda Topic	Approval for up to \$1,000 to be spent by ASWN for the Welcome Back Week event.
Action Taken	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Addison motions to approve \$1,000 to be spent by ASWN for the Welcome Back Week. Desirae second. Motion passes 2-0-0.
Summary of Discussion	
Assignments/Potential Agenda Items	None.
Comments/Information	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Gabrielle: -Spoke to Mitch.

	<p>-Nacho bar will take place at the student center</p> <p>-Welcome Back Week event will be moved to Feb. 20th so it is not in the way of PALentine's Day event that is on Feb. 14th, and so more advertisements are made.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The nacho bar idea moves forward. • There will be free smoothies and free nachos.
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Agenda Topic	Approval to charter the National Student Nurses Association, WNC Chapter, for the remainder of the 2019-2020 term.
Action Taken	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Addison motions to approve to charter the National Student Nurses Association, WNC Chapter, for the remainder of the 2019-2020 term. • Desirae second. • Motion passes 2-0-0.
Summary of Discussion	
Assignments/Potential Agenda Items	
Comments/Information	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Heather: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - They have submitted their statement. - They have their constitution and bylaws.

Agenda Topic	Approval for \$500 to be spent by the Psychology Club for psychology students to attend the 2020 Western Psychological Association Conference.
Action Taken	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Addison motions to approve \$500 to be spent by the psychology club for psychology students to attend the 2020 Western Psychological Association Conference. • Desirae second. • Motion passes 2-0-0.
Summary of Discussion	
Assignments/Potential Agenda Items	
Comments/Information	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Heather and Gabrielle: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - The psychology club also received a scholarship that will help them run this event cost free for their students. - ASWN is happy to help other students experience these events. • Matt Davis could not attend today's meeting.

Agenda Topic	Committee Reports
Action Taken	None.
Summary of Discussion	
Assignments/Potential Agenda Items	None.

<p>Comments/Information</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● <u>Gabrielle and Heather: College Council Committee Meeting</u> -Dr. Solis gave a presentation on the budget overview for this year's budget cycle. -Many possible changes will be made to WNC to accommodate students: -What students want and how to retain them. -Micro classes- four-week classes rather than eight weeks. (Does not apply to all classes). ● <u>Possible revenue/savings:</u> -\$25 fee for student success. -Parking fee to maintain the parking lot in good conditions. -Fallon parking sustained by the community. -State funding - dual enrollment- \$300 for CTE. -15% budget cuts for 2021. -Child care center-cleaning contract. ● WNC reached 25% to become an HSI (Hispanic) serving school - meaning every student who applies to WNC must identify if they're Hispanic. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - \$600,000 grants for five years are being made for student success. - Changes will be made to the institution such as bilingual counselors, etc. ● 12 existing committees. Committee structure may be changed and combined. ● Desirae Blunt- Lamkey leaves the meeting at 1:02 P.M.
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Agenda Topic	Advisors Report
Action Taken	None.
Summary of Discussion	
Assignments/Potential Agenda Items	
<p>Comments/Information</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Heather Rikalo: -Thanks, ASWN for their hard work on the advertisements for the upcoming events: PALentine's Day (Feb. 14), Welcome Back Week (Feb. 20). -Have received good feedback from other WNC students on advertisements. -Manufacturing Forum event has moved to the Carson Nugget Hall in Aspen Building upstairs. -ASWN is preparing to give tours. -PALentine's Day event: (Feb. 14 at 3:00 P.M. in Library by psychology club) - shopping will be made by Heather Rikalo.

	<p>-Podcast Room will be prepared by next week Monday 2/10/20.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Tech guy will do sound checks. - Advertisement will be done online so WNC students can come down to Dini building I05A - at the Student Center to make podcasts. - The Podcast room is free to all students with a student ID. - Food Pantry is a work in progress. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> -1,000 students have food insecurity. -Food pop up for students to get free food. - Awards and Appreciation Event by ASWN: - ASWN will check out Fandango ballroom and Silver Oaks to host the event. - Cost is per person and \$500 set up fee for Fandango. - Elections Day (ASWN) - Need ideas for organizing nominations.
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Agenda Topic	Public Comment
Action Taken	None.
Summary of Discussion	
Assignments/Potential Agenda Items	None.
Comments/Information	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Donnell Dike-Anukam, a guest in today's meeting and possible Senator for ASWN clarifies to present ASWN members his transparency and his willingness to answer any doubts or concerns with regards to his position as a potential member for ASWN.

Agenda Topic	Adjournment
Action Taken	Meeting is adjourned at 1:29 P.M.
Summary of Discussion	
Assignments/Potential Agenda Items	None.
Comments/Information	