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Minutes

Student Activities Commission

Friday, October 3, 2025, 2:30PM – 3:30 PM

ASI Guy J. Witherspoon Conference Room LSU 231B

- I. Call to Order at 2:39 p.m. by Arwin Ordonez, Chairperson.
- II. Roll Call
Voting Members Present: Arwin Ordonez, Elijah Kain, and Dylan Ponce
Voting Members Absent: Kyrsten Tyler
Advisors Present: Morelia Castenada-Patino and Jessica Rodriguez
Advisors Absent: Sean James
Visitors: Janneane Rosales and Edgar Mejia-Alezano
- III. Approval of Agenda – Action Item
*M/Kain, S/Tyler to approve the agenda of October 3, 2025.
VOTE: UNANIMOUS
- IV. Approval of Minutes (September 19, 2025) – Action Item
*M/Kain, S/Ponce to approve the minutes for September 19, 2025.
VOTE: UNANIMOUS
- V. Reports
Organizations Commissioner: Kain stated that today they approved 2 events for Public Health Toro Association, and they reached their maximum request from the Organizations Commission budget.
- VI. Open Forum – Agenda Items Only
Time for members of the audience to address the Commission on specific agenda items only. None.
- VII. Unfinished Business – None.

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VIII. New Business

A. Parent & Family Program – Discussion / Action Item

The Commission will discuss and consider funding for the Parent & Family Program Event.

Jessica Rodriguez will present the funding request for Parent & Family Program Event and this is not a conflict of interest as she is not a voting member. Parent & Family Program is requesting funding, \$2,000, for decorations and catering for their First Generation College Celebration. This event is for all students and addresses a huge population of CSUDH, as more than 50% of CSUDH students are first-generation. The \$2,000 funding request consists of \$1,000 for decorations and \$1,000 for catering. The decorations consist of two balloon arches, and the catering is from our school's catering, Aramark. Rodriguez states that outside of the ASI funding request, they have no funding for this event, as this event does not occur every year. The Commission asked Rodriguez what would happen if only the funding for catering is approved. Rodriguez replied that they would look for other funding and would work on the decorations herself. Patino notes that ASI funded last year's event and clarified that there would be two balloon arches for this event since there are two parts of the event: one occurring on the 5th floor of the library and the other in the Courtyard. The Commission begins discussion, and they all agree that the funding request for the decorations of \$1000 is a big amount. They understand that catering is expensive and \$1000 sounds reasonable, as food tends to be expensive. The Commission questions whether two balloon arches are needed and if one would suffice, if there can be something more permanent (like a banner) for them to reuse.

*M/Kain, S/Tyler to approve Parent and Family Program funding request for their annual First Generation Event for the amount of \$1200.

VOTE: UNANIMOUS.

IX. Open Forum – Discussion Item

Time for members of the audience to address the Commission.

Ordonez updates the Commission that the Anime Club Halloween Maid Café event will take place in the LEAD office. Patino and Kain discussed the registration fee budget available in the Organizations Commission and that they would discuss further whether they should cap the amount of registration fee funding request available per club and possible limitations of double dipping.

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Patino noted that she will work with Rosales to add the club points from their attendance at the Organization Committee and participating in Toro Tuesday, as these points are entered automatically. Ponce asks for clarification on the funding request for Student Activities if it is limited only to one event; the Commission answers that this is not true, and an organization can come back and request funding for a different event.

- X. Adjournment
Meeting adjourned at 3:24 p.m.

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