**Student Senate Minutes**

**Gustavus Adolphus College**

**November 7, 2016**

Co-President Singh calls the meeting to order at 7:02

1. **Attendance**

Question of the day: What’s your J-Term class?

**II. Approval of the Minutes**

1. Minutes from 10/31/16

Approved

1. **Community Comment**

None

**IV. Unfinished Business**

a. Committee Updates

1. Health and Housing

Martinez: Steve Kjellgren, the Dining Services Director, said that he corn bread is labeled. They had the “hallah” bread as well last week and they want to bring more jewish food in there.

The peanut butter machine is a no. The coffees in the Caf and the Courtyard are very different. He will talk to his coffee guy. I will talk with the Facility Director about the compost on Thursday.

Singh: How many tickets for TYPL?

Martinez: I will figure that out.

1. Technology

Schwartz: The cookies issue can’t be controlled because it’s through a 3rd party. They will be looking into it.

These tech requests take time and we need to be sensitive and understanding about it.

**Questions:**

Clark: Would it be possible to blow it up? Progress? Is it still doable?

Schwartz: I’ll look into that.

1. DAPL

Toeben: Everything is finalized for Thursday 17th 6-7pm in Alumni Hall. We have Obermiller, Goodwin, Cyndi and Sam Keillor as our panelists. We are looking for one more student.

**V. New Business**

1. Ward: May I take the Senate tablecloth back home and clean it?

Singh: Yes

1. Shaikoski: I and Chair Andersen are part of MAPCS (Minnesota Association for Private College Students). Our goal from last Spring is to advocate for our students.

Some updates from our Saturday October 22nd meeting at Bethel University.

We talked about how Sexual Assault and Sexual Misconduct are handled. Concordia and Moorhead stated that they had a dialogue around it. We brought up the Bystander Intervention.

VanHecke: GAC chose not to be part of Green dot training. It’s a very expensive version of something we can do ourselves.

Shaikoski: The idea of Mandatory minimums sanctions and compare between colleges.

Andersen: MAPCS gets funds not from the schools and there is a possibility for schools to pay a certain amount of money to be part of the council. The winter conference will be a fun thing to address: mental health, bystander intervention,…

Shaikoski: It’s a gathering from leaders of Student Senates from different schools and we would recommend keeping this in mind and invite your constituents as well.

**Questions:**

Haberman: Could you e-mail us all this info?

Shaikoski: Absolutely.

**VI. Announcements**

Toeben: Sign Language Club on Thursdays 7-8pm. DAPL Panel on the 17th 6-7pm. International Festival on the 12th.

Ngabirano: Faculty Reports due this Monday. Attend committees’ meetings.

Clark: Tomorrow go vote! GusBus 8am-8pm.

Asghar: International Festival on the 12th.

VanHecke: GAC is not sponsoring the bus but four student orgs. You can still register on site in Saint Peter tomorrow and vote.

Singh: Thanks to our Cabinet members who are efficient. Thanks senators for your hard work in committees. Our Story Conference this Thursday. International Festival on the 12th.

Hinnenkamp: On the 16th Eppies’ event on Sexual Health.

Asghar: MSA has an event on the 17th.

Choenyi: Nov. 15th Enterpreneurship Cup Gathering.

Schwartz: Ads club on Wednesday

**\*Meeting Adjourned**