

SAC Budget Meeting 13/11/18

Minutes:38

Start Time: 3:24 p.m

End Time: 4:02 p.m

All Association Senators have Voting Rights

All Appointed and Grade have Voting Rights

The only senator without a vote is the spirit senator (Natalie Pryor).

UNITED WAY VIDEOS

Ben Jeffries: Second harvest needs subtitles

- BAA no video, cannot participate if they dont send one by tonight
- Fashion show needs subtitles.
- If you haven't received tickets to sell, come to Ben's locker at 8:40 tomorrow.
- Minimum of 10 must be sold before the great race
- That is next thursday

COMMENTS/QUESTIONS/CONCERNS- BUDGET

GSA

Malcolm: After GSA submitted their request we received an invoice that is 200 dollars higher for activities.

- Teacher training workshops, student workshops are increased
- This friday is teachers workshop
- December 2, 4, 6, is students workshop

Joey: We'll move that on to the second budget meeting.

- You should submit a new budget request for 400
- We can grant you it

Diba: What's the cap on the amount of money that a club can have granted?

Joey: 800 Dollars

- No one received over 800
- Those who asked over the limit were flattened to 800.

MESA

Gluestein: Math contests for MESA should be subsidized like sports.

- MESA makes you pay for the contests (49 dollars for 3 contests)

Joey: We won't give you funding for all of them.

- There's one in 3 weeks that's 300 bucks, we can try to pay for that

Henry: Why can't they all be subsidized?

Joey: It's just too much money.

Henry: Give me an actual reason

Joey: Lots of money for a small group of people

- Math contests cost a lot more per person, football is 5 bucks per person.
- I'm willing to give MESA 5 bucks per person to subsidize it a bit and make it fair.
- Raising to 2150, 300 additional.

DRAMA ASSOCIATION

Noah Hunt: Can we have a breakdown for DRAMA budget?

Joey: All the money made by Mainstage goes into an account that is able to sustain itself without additional funding by the SAC.

- If you take away mainstage you have just enough money for your other activities in your budget request

HUMANS OF NSS

Gerd: Humans of NSS requested 150 and got 0. Reasoning?

Joey: They asked 150 dollars to subsidize a book.

- We don't know enough details to subsidize it

Jori: HofNSS wants to do a magazine of the year

- Features all the articles and interviews of HofNSS
- We don't know if we are selling it.

Joey: Epigram costs are a lot more to print, so im confused with what you are doing with that

- If you're selling it you'll make the funding back.
- We don't fund it as we don't fund fundraisers

Diba: Why is NSSAir in the association part?

Joey: I did the sheet before NSSAir got rejected as an association

- I didn't want to kill trees

SECOND HARVEST

David: Why did second harvest get 9 percent of what we asked?

Joey: Most of the money you asked for was in part due to charity and fundraising

- We do not cover that.
- Within the law we can't give money to a charity association.
- The money that the SAC has is technically taxpayer money and we can't donate that to charity.

Gibbons: Handing money that was donated to Northern to a charity is wrong

- People who donated the money believed in Northern's ideas
- We are using it for other purposes besides that.

Joey: (on second harvest funding)

- The 50 dollars that you got was money for advertising.

CURE

Abby- CURE got 25 dollars. The money we were requesting was for programs for students.

Joey- You asked for 225 dollars for candy and chocolate for valentines day.

- That is a fundraiser, we can't fund that
- The programs you were doing were not on your budget request form

Abby- I don't know how CURE is going to run off of 25 dollars.

Joey- It should have been specified on the request

- SAC does not pay for food
- Most of the request was for food
- If you want to submit a budget form to specify a gym program other than food then we are willing to reconsider.

If you applied for funding for the sale of junk food, you still need to hand in a junk food day form.

GET FIT FRIDAY

Robbie- We are bringing an outdoor source for our out of school project.

- It wasn't on the request form because everyone was panicked.
- It would be about 100 bucks.

Joey- Why didn't you put that on the budget?

Robbie- Because we're dumb

Joey- Granted 100 dollars.

ME TO WE

Marvatha- what was the 60 dollars from me to we for?

Joey- Gave you guys money for lunch bags and yard waste bags.

- Also covered prizes for winning classes for 10 bucks.
- Bulk of the request was selling chocolate at an event which won't go through (fundraising is not covered on the budget).

Alex: Could you specifically say on the form that there will be no funds for fundraising and food for next budget meeting?

- The meeting will be 1 third of the time less

Ethan: I mean, we don't know that for sure.

MESA FUNDING CONTINUED

Henry- There are other clubs with not many people but they deserve a higher budget

- E.G Robotics, L2L
- How is MESA different than these?

Joey-Grants MESA 600 dollars to 2450 from 1850.

REMAINING MONEY

Joey: We use the remainder of the money for SAC events.

- It's an available pile of money to everybody, but SAC also uses it.

SECOND HARVEST CONTINUED

Miles- Second harvest needs 150 for advertising

- Big posters are 50 bucks apiece.

Joey- Im moving it up 150

All claps

Changes in the Budget:

GSA: 1125 to 1425. (Net Gain: 300 dollars)

MESA: 1850 2450. (Net Gain: 600 dollars)

Get fit: 390 to 490 (Net Gain: 100 dollars)

Second harvest: 50 to 150 (Net Gain: 100 dollars)

Bottom funding- 3248 (SAC and Other funds)

Motion to pass budget

- All in Favour but one
 - None Abstaining
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- Joey votes against the budget

Budget is passed