

Brainerd Student Senate Meeting  
October 26<sup>th</sup>, 2011

Meeting was called to order by President Sabin at 3:08 PM.

There were no additions to the meeting agenda. Everyone read over the minutes, Nic wanted to make the change that there was no “K” in his name.

President Report

Everyone that went to the Fall Leadership Summit had a great time. He will let the other officer's report on their experiences.

Vice President Report

At the conference we all went to a lot of different workshops. We do have a list of the workshops we went to, if you are interested in wanting to go to any of them let us know. There was a Halloween dance that we all had a great time at. A sign-up sheet is going around for you to put your clubs meeting time and room number one so someone can make it to check it out. Starting on November 2<sup>nd</sup>, we will be playing volleyball on Wednesdays and

Treasurer Report

The conference was awesome experience, lots of breakout sessions. There were some workshops that were specific for each officer. There were also workshops that were for Senators without a Board position as well.

Secretary Report

Not only did I take away leaderships skills from the conference, I also learned a lot to use for personal growth as well. If you are able to take in any of the workshops please do.

Publicist Report

Let her know what your club is doing so it can go out into the newsletter.

### New Senators

A motion was made by Nic to induct Danielle Sterling as a new Senator and was seconded by Tony.

### Club Approvals

There are clubs that do have their proposals in, but not all paperwork is there yet. We can however make a motion to accept or deny they come up for acceptance.

### New Business

Kari came in and updated us on the shuttle between the 2 campuses. The bus leaves in the morning for Staples at 7:15 am, you can buy a ticket from the Business Office for \$4.00 a day, or you can buy a punch card which can also be purchased through the Business Office. Right now it is only available to CLC students and staff. They are looking into working with Reps for the 5 county region, to make it a community wide shuttle. Stops will include Pillager, Staples and Motley. There will be a student survey on D2L about this, it will only be 2 or 3 questions, and Kari asked if we could get the word out to have students take it. Pillager, Staples and Motley. 2 or 3 question survey... get word out for other students to take the survey.

Food Service Cost; The Senators had asked to meet with Tom, to this date we haven't got emails with questions that we need to bring up to Tom. Please email the student senate through D2L with your questions.

Tabling; Molly asks that you sign up to do some tabling on Mondays or Wednesdays to get the words out about Senate. If you don't want to do tabling, see Molly to help out in other ways. Educate your self about the textbook rebellion and the Pell Grant petition. Adam also stated that this will become a duty for you as a Senator.

If you would like a ride to the Halloween dance, please talk to Erich or Steve.

If you haven't heard about the government wanting to either reduce or take away the Pell Grant, please go to D2L for the link and read about it. There is a petition for it. Our campus has a goal to get 100 signatures for it.

MSCSA is trying to put together a petition for the cost of textbooks. If you would like to read more go to D2L for the link. More details on this will be coming out in December.

The first round of Club Olympics was held on Oct. 25<sup>th</sup>, where the clubs played volleyball. The standings so far are: Law Enforcement- 8 points, Natural Resources- 5 points, International- 4 points, Welding-3 points, Horticulture- 3 points and ASL- 1 point.

The meeting was adjourned by President Sabin at 3:40 pm.