

**Student Government Association**  
**Meeting 11/04/04**  
**Minutes**

Present—President Monk, Vice President Nasser, Faculty Advisor Lillian Wooley, Senator Cooper, Secretary Barnes, Jessica Double, and James McDonald.

President Monk called the meeting to order at 4:02 P.M.

**Minutes**

- Secretary Barnes will send the minutes from the previous meeting to all members by e-mail. She asks that any corrections be sent back to [sga@lsua.edu](mailto:sga@lsua.edu). After corrections have been reviewed, Secretary Barnes will send out a revised copy of the minutes. If no other corrections are needed, she will ask for a vote to officially approve the minutes.

**President's Report**

- President Monk thanked all who helped with the BBQ, Political Fair and Battle of the Bands. All three events were successful.
- President Monk attended a Planning Council Committee meeting for the purpose of discussing and approving the budgets for all organizations.

**Vice President's Report**

- VP Nasser thanked members who helped with the Battle of the Bands, although some members did not show up or call to say they were not able to make it.

**Technology Fee Committee**

- Senator Cooper announced that at the Student Technology Fee meeting LSU's budget was discussed at the Technology Fee Committee meeting on November 4, 2004. The committee is considering using funds that normally benefit students to install a wireless network on campus. Senator Cooper also said that there were suggestions made to have either wireless laptops available to students on campus or to have the possibility for wireless capabilities on campus.
- President Monk said that it was announced at the meeting that if a wireless system was installed on campus it may reduce the number of computer labs open to students.

## **COSBP**

- The next COSBP meeting will be held at LA Tech on November 20 and 21. President Monk must know by Monday who plans to attend.

## **Proposals**

- Members in attendance discussed the guidelines for grant applications. The following points were suggested.
  - Faculty Advisor Lillian Wooley suggests that we have applicants include how many people will benefit from the grant.
  - Senator Cooper suggested that we require a deadline for when the funds will be needed.
  - President Monk suggested that we set up a drop-box outside the SGA office for applicants to submit proposals. Grant proposals will need to be submitted by the last Friday of the month by noon, no later than three months before the funds will be needed. The Executive Council will inform the applicants of the date and time they will need to have a presentation ready.
- President Monk would like members to look over and decide on the Application Guidelines for Grant Proposals. By Monday at 10:00 a.m., members must e-mail any corrections to [sga@lsua.edu](mailto:sga@lsua.edu). President Monk would also like members to think about how and when to distribute funds. If these guidelines are accepted, we will send back all the proposals we have already received and have them resubmitted according to guidelines.

## **Old Business**

- President Monk passed out copies of the speed zone petition given to her by Randy Johns from BCM. President Monk will take suggestions to improve the wording of the petition.

There was no new business brought up at the meeting.

The meeting adjourned at 4:55 p.m.

Minutes prepared by Jessica Barnes  
November 5, 2004