

GREAT BASIN COLLEGE  
STUDENT GOVERNMENT ASSOCIATION

Minutes  
October 04, 2019  
11:00 a.m.

Meeting by Interactive System  
Battle Mountain – GBC BM 2  
Elko – Ronald V. Hicks SGA Senate Chambers LCSL 122  
Ely – GBC 112  
Pahrump – GBC PVC 119  
Winnemucca – GBC 115

President Melanie Dodson called meeting to order at 11:01 a.m. Moved to roll call.

1. ROLL CALL

SGA President Melanie Dodson commenced with roll call.

- Executive Board**
- Present Melanie Dodson, President
- Vacant, Vice President
- Vacant, Secretary
- Vacant, Treasurer
- Present Chantell Garcia, Student Advocate
- Battle Mountain Senator**
- Vacant
- Elko Senators**
- Present Brianne Davis
- Present Kaylani Stevens
- Ely Senators**
- Present Jessica Sturges
- Pahrump Senators**
- Vacant
- Winnemucca Senators**
- Excused Antonia Marler

Members of the Public Present:

- Katelynn Gurr, student
- Arturo Ruiz, student
- Courtney Willis, student
- Reme Huttmen, Radiology Instructor
- Gennifer Green, RAD group Vice President and student
- Bradley Nelson, student
- Directory of Environmental Health, Safety and Security, Pat Anderson
- Abigail Millsap, student
- Zechariah Pritchard, student
- Katie Dempsey, Student
- Christina Basso, student
- Breanna Sowinski, student
- Administrative Assistant II, Heather Hill

**2. PUBLIC COMMENT**

**INFORMATION**

None.

**3. APPROVAL OF AGENDA**

**FOR POSSIBLE ACTION**

Senator Davis motioned to approve the agenda for October 04, 2019. Senator Stevens seconded.  
DISCUSSION: Motion passed unanimously.

**4. APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

**FOR POSSIBLE ACTION**

Senator Stevens motioned to approve the minutes for September 27, 2019. Senator Sturges seconded. DISCUSSION: Motion passed unanimously.

**5. PRESIDENT'S REPORT**

**INFORMATION**

President Dodson encouraged newly sworn officers to attend the Cornhole Tournament 10/04 from 4-6pm. Retreat set for 10/18. Two shirt options will be presented at retreat. No meeting 10/25, Student Advocate Garcia will be gone 10/11. She congratulated newly elected officers.

**6. VICE PRESIDENT'S REPORT**

**INFORMATION**

None.

**7. TREASURY REPORT**

**INFORMATION**

Student Advocate Garcia stated she will send out SGA budget report to new officers.

**8. STUDENT ADVOCATE'S REPORT**

**INFORMATION**

Student Advocate, Chantell Garcia discussed scholarship paperwork must be turned in 10/04. Ceramic students will be having a sale 11/21, Angie DeBraga asks for participation and to contact her for details. Garcia requests everyone to send her their phone numbers to be put in a group chat in the app GroupMe. Garcia reminded everyone that she will not be at the 10/11 meeting. Pat Anderson reminded everyone that they need to have everyone talk to their campus directors so they can take the defensive driving class and get the appropriate paperwork filled out, so they are able to drive to Elko or drive themselves.

**9. ELKO - RAD GROUP MOVIE NIGHT**

**INFORMATION**

Reme Huttmen was seeking guidance on their movie night for a later date in November or December. Pat Anderson explained the copyright rules that we must abide by and how to find an out-of-copyright movie. Reme also asked about how we planned to portray our movie, and Pat explained how we use the Theatre and that they need to put in a request to use Theatre. Chantell then suggested they speak with Mike McGhee or Sidnie Grimes for more information about copyright costs. President Dodson said to submit an agenda request for when a date is set in stone.

**10. NEW OFFICERS SWORN IN**

**FOR POSSIBLE ACTION**

President Dodson read and the newly elected officers repeated the oath of office. The newly elected officers are Breanna Sowinski and Christina Basso for Winnemucca; Abigail Millsap

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for Battle Mountain; Katie Dempsey and Zechariah Pritchard for Pahrump; Bradley Nelson, Courtney Willis, Katelynn Gurr and Arturo Ruiz, Jr. for Elko. The newly elected Secretary is Brianne Davis. The newly elected Vice-President is Kaylani Stevens.

**11. SENATOR REPORTS**

**INFORMATION**

Battle Mountain Senator – None.

Elko Senator – Senator Kaylani discussed one of her projects as Vice President which is to get the SOLAR program back up and running this includes getting with all of the clubs on campus and all of the clubs in the outlining regions once a month and discuss events, budget planning and agenda requests. Hopes to have the first meeting 10/15. Senator Davis asks everyone to come to the Cornhole Tournament 10/04 set up is at 3:30 and tear down is at 6pm

Ely Senator – Jessi Sturges restates that she cannot make the Officer retreat on 10/18. She also will not be able to do the Community trick or treat, but Veronica will be hosting it in her place. Jessie then states that her Like 4 a Slice event in being held on Monday 10/07. She will be at the 10/11 meeting and then she will not be in attendance for the 10/18 meeting.

Pahrump Senator – None.

Winnemucca Senator – None.

**12. PUBLIC COMMENT**

**INFORMATION**

Senator Stevens states that the kids from the on-campus daycare are going to be trick or treating around campus and asks for support and volunteers to give out candy on Halloween 10/31. Pat Anderson suggests giving out party favors instead of candy to avoid any food allergy problems. President Dodson then encouraged all the outlining centers to get involved in the community Halloween Festivities. Chantell gave out a final reminder to turn in payment paperwork, and President Dodson reminded all officers that Friday Meetings are mandatory and if they are going to be missed for any reason that she must know before the date that the meeting is held. Heather Hill mentioned that GBC is going to have a chili and soup cook off held by the Classified Council it will have a \$7 suggested donation entry is due no later than 11/08. Pat states that this is their primary way to get funding for their yearly scholarship.

**Meeting is adjourned at 11:28 a.m.**

**SGA President:** Melanie Dodson

**Date:** 10/11/2019