**Student Court of Justice**

Sunday, September 10, 2017

7:30 PM – Heine Room

Minutes

1. Call to Order at 7:31 p.m.
	1. Present: Chief Justice Jared Melville, Senior Associate Justice Morgan Stirling, and Associate Justice Alexander Pacella
	2. Absent: Senior Associate Justice Kacy McCormick, Associate Justice Luah Beah (entered meeting at 7:41 p.m.)
2. Additions to and Approval of the Agenda
	1. Review of Student Senate Legislation Affecting the Student Government Code
		1. Addition to Section V, Subsection E.
		2. No Objections
	2. Preparation of Next Week's Student Court Agenda
		1. Addition to Section VI. New subject, then moved V-IX down.
3. Good News
	1. Chief Justice Melville has finished a major speech project
	2. Chief Justice Melville has officially gotten over his cold and has been able to return to his exercise routine
	3. Chief Justice Melville connected with a the Vice Justice of the University of North Dakota’s Student Court at Friday’s NDSA meeting and mentioned there might be collaboration between the two Courts.
	4. Senior Associate Justice Stirling has been nominated for the 2017 Homecoming Court
4. Reports
	1. Reflection of recent one-on-one meetings with Chief Justice Melville
	2. NDSA passed a resolution in opposition to raising Minnesota reciprocity rates.
	3. Parking Appeals Board
		1. Chief Justice Melville, Senior Associate Justice Stirling, and Assocaite Justice Pacella will we joining the Parking Appeal Board
	4. Homecoming Elections
		1. Configuration of Elections
		2. Setting up a Student Contact Booth within the Union
	5. Chief Justice Melville has prior time commitments & will be unavailable for Senate meetings on various dates.
		1. The Chief Justice has delegated those meetings as follows:
			1. October 8, 2017: Senior Associate Justice Stirling and Associate Justice Pacella
			2. October 22, 2017: Senior Associate Justice Stirling
			3. October 29, 2017: Senior Associate Justice McCormick
			4. November 19, 2017: Senior Associate Justice McCormick and Associate Justice Pacella
	6. Chief Justice Melville will be meeting with our advisor to discuss Court's progress and projects for the semester
	7. CSO Constitution Review
		1. Monday, November 13 at 8 p.m.
		2. MUST ATTEND
5. Order of Business:
	1. Development of Rockpile Objectives and Priorities for the Academic Year
		1. Additions from Senior Associate Justice Stirling and Associate Justice Pacella
		2. Additions and Edits by Chief Justice Melville
			1. Additions/Edits Moved by Alexander
			2. Unanimously approved
	2. Book of Court Decisions – Associate Justice Beah
		1. Tabled due to absence of Associate Justice Beah
		2. Returned to at 7:44 p.m.
			1. Associate Justice Beah broke Court's decisions into various sections including:
				1. Branches
				2. Student Organizations
				3. Professional External Organizations
			2. Chief Justice Melville fears this system may be too complex for others outside of Court to fully understand
			3. Associate Justice Pacella is worried about the Election Code/Senator complaints section
				1. Associate Justice Beah currently has these two sections under Executive
			4. Court decides on the following categories
				1. Election Code Violations – Candidate Related
				2. Election Code Violations – Non-Candidate Related
				3. Non-Election Code Violations
				4. Court Interpretations
			5. Student Organizations Complaints
				1. Each Justice will have a section to finish by next week's meeting
	3. Simplification of Student Court Petitions – Associate Justice Pacella
		1. Simplified the document and instructions
		2. Re-formatted more like an official Court document
		3. Clarified the language and strengthen it
		4. The Court will revisit it once it begins to revise the Rules of the Court.
	4. Review of Student Court Applications
		1. 5 Yes; 8 No
		2. Moved by Associate Justice Beah
		3. Seconded by Senior Associate Justice Stirling.
		4. Passes unanimously.
	5. Review of Student Senate Legislation Affecting the Student Government Code
		1. Two pieces of legislation for Student Government Code first read by Student Senate this evening.
			1. National Performer of Arts Committee to be eliminated.
			2. Point System addition to Senate for the Student Government Code
				1. No objections
6. Preparation of Next Week's Student Court Agenda
7. Announcements and Comments
	1. Chief Justice Melville requests that ALL JUSTICES brush their teeth after the large amount of candy provided at the meeting tonight.
		1. Just a reminder that Student Government DOES NOT provide dental insurance to their members.
8. Review of Action Items
	1. Chief Justice Melville will send email regarding Senate meeting assignments.
	2. Chief Justice Melville will send email regarding the five categories for decisions.
	3. Chief Justice Melville delegated categorization assignments in the Book of Court Decisions using stick note tabs.
	4. Chief Justice Melville will provide justification for final selections to the Student Court.
	5. Justices must categorize Court Opinion binders by next week’s meeting.
9. Adjournment – 9:15 p.m.
	1. Motion by Senior Associate Justice Stirling
		1. Seconded by Associate Justice Beah