

University of Central Oklahoma Student Association

8th Meeting, Fall Session of the 25th Legislature Will Rogers October 25th, 2021 4:00 PM

I. Call to Order

(Begins the meeting, includes opening customs and procedures)

- Pledge of Allegiance
- Roll Call

The meeting was called to order by Chairman Chao at 4:02 pm.

II. Approval of the Minutes

(This approves the secretary's record keeping of the last meeting) *The minutes were approved.*

III. Special Orders

(Formalities or Proceedings not according to law or custom) *Swearing in of the new senators.*

IV. Items to be Considered

(Business to be seen today)

• CR21-104

An act regarding the passage and approval of the 2021-2022 UCOSA Executive Cabinet Members to their respective positions.

V. New Business

(New legislation to be sent to committee)

Senator King explained that Academic Affairs is having monthly meetings with Donna as well as weekly committee meetings. They are working towards more free printing options on campus.

Senator Owens explained that the ART committee interviewed people for the Executive Cabinet. Additionally, Owens reminded that ART writes bills for senator removal.

Senator Grim explained the goals for Campus Development-- there are representatives within each campus development issues. She explained that masks and hand sanitizers should stay stocked.

Senator Hammond talks about how the Diversity and Inclusion committee has been having conversations about how students are upset about how we have Chick Fil A on campus, despite them being anti-LGBTQ+. She also explains that discussions are happening on professors not using the correct pronouns.

Senator Sheffield announced that the PR committee is planning a town hall. They are also working on a sweatshirt as well as creating documents for future PR committee members.

Senator Scarberry explains that Ways and Means has had budget hearings and there are more to come.

VI. Student Concerns

(Open forum for any student to address concerns to the UCO Student Congress) Senator Addai explains that the menstrual products need to be filled more frequently.

VII. Announcements

(General Announcements)

Senator Berry said that the Art Association is having a bake sale this Thursday the 28th. Senator Smith said that she wants to schedule meetings with other committees to write legislation.

Senator Lewis explained that NBO applications have been extended to Wednesday the 27th. Also to come to the Haunted House hosted by The Center this Wednesday the 27th in Thatcher Hall.

Senator Harlow said that tomorrow the 26th is a shadowing day for orchestra events. Senator King explained that she is having a meeting with Vice President of Academic Affairs, Donna Cobb, tomorrow the 26th at 3:00. They are discussing COVID attendance policies. Reach out to her with student concerns.

Senator Valdez said to come to Fireman's Challenge events this week. He said to check Instagram for all the details.

Senator Loveless said that Salsa Under The Stars is next month.

Senator Sheffield asked to send all announcements to her on groupme for the Instagram page.

Senator Carlson explained that Cheer and Dance registration is coming up soon.

Senator Owens reminded that OSGA is November 6-7th and registration closes Saturday the 30th. UCOSA will pay for members to attend. Floor leadership positions are open as well.

Vice-Chair Hambrick said to enroll for classes for next semester.

Senator Valdez added that November 5th is the deadline to drop classes.

Chairman Chao talked about PCCCP and encouraged members to participate.

Adjournment

(End of meeting, must be motioned and seconded) *The meeting was adjourned at 4:37 pm.*