SUNY Cobleskill Student Government Association Meeting Minutes August 29, 2017

Attendance:

Advisor: Jeff Foote

Officers: Kyle Meit, Roy Garrett, Josh Foust, and Angelica Armlin-Sorgen

Members: Precious McBride

Guests: Mariah Meachem, Madison Sano, Cheyanne Matulewich, Serene Boronow, Shannon Perrone, Aidan Boyle, Callie Maxim, Matthew Barney, Barb Sprouse, Mike Wacksman, Carla

Inga, and Tiffany Torres.

President Kyle Meit called the meeting to order at 12:34 p.m.

Open Floor

Dix hall handicap bars are missing near the toilets.

Introductions

Members and guests went around the room introducing themselves giving their name, major, and what motivated them to come to the Student Government Association meeting.

Committees

Each officer went over their respected committee including the aspects of what each committee covers.

<u>Elections</u>: Secretary Angelica Armlin-Sorgen went over that the Elections committee keeps track of all the members and their requirements to become a member and maintain a membership. There is no set date and time for Elections committee.

<u>Constitutions</u>: Vice-President Roy Garrett went over that the Constitutions committee reviews constitutions for clubs on the campus to make sure that certain aspects are meet such as that there is a part that entitles as students of the college be allowed to join. There is no set date and time for the Constitutions committee.

<u>Finance</u>: Treasurer Josh Foust went over that the Finance committee reviews requests for budgets revisions for the campus clubs as well as any fundraising the club would like to do. There is no set date and time for Finance committee.

<u>Public Relations</u>: President Kyle Meit went over that the Public Relations committee helps with designing flyers, pens, and shirts for Student Government events. There is no set date and time for Public Relations committee.

New Member Orientation

Jeff Foote went over that there will be an orientation for new members to learn the terminology and structure of how Student Government meetings run. The orientation is open up to anyone

and a date will be set for in the next few weeks. The orientation should be somewhere between one to one and half hours.

New Business

Public Relations Position

Kyle Meit discussed that there is an open position on the officer team for a new Public Relations officer. Kyle explained that the position would include running the Public Relations committee. The elections for the new officer will take place on October 17, 2017. To run for the office Kyle explained that the candidate needs to be a member at the time of the election and has sent in a letter of intent for the position.

Concerns and Announcements.

Blood Drive

The Blood Drive will be held on September 6 from 11:30 am to 6:30 pm in Bouck Ballroom. A signup sheet for tabling went around for the next week. Jeff explained that SUNY Cobleskill has the highest percentage of donors out of the SUNY schools.

Community Engagement Day

Jeff Foote announced that Community Engagement Day will be held on September 2 at 10:00 am to 2:00 pm. Jeff explained that Anne Hopkins-Gross asked for the service day to be moved from Orientation to a later date to give all students that chance to participate.

Hurricane Harvey Relief Efforts

Matt Barney brought up the idea to raise money for an organization to help with Hurricane Harvey. Matt explained that there will be a plan of action by the week of September 4.

Open Floor

Kyle Meit opened up the floor to ideas people wanted to see done around campus. Mariah Meachem asked who she should talk to about forming a club, Kyle directed her to talk to Roy Garrett after the meeting.

Adjournment

Kyle Meit adjourned the meeting at 1:16 pm.