# **ASG Waterbury Meeting Minutes**

October 9, 2024 at 8:00 - 9:00 a.m.

Held: Student Services Conference Room

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Meeting ID: 286 232 215 705 Passcode: QBMQXW

- 1. Previous Meeting Minutes
- 2. Current Budget
- 3. Unfinished Business
- 4. New Business
- 5. Upcoming Events
- 6. Adjournment

Meeting called to order at 8:04 am

#### Attendance:

- 1. Bendy Al Zaatini
- 2. Erjona Zhuta
- 3. Emma Pidlipchak
- 4. Henry Myrtl
- 5. Caroline Quintana
- 6. Sanya Ademiluyi

Previous meeting minutes (9.18.24): 8:04 am - 9:18 am

# **Current Budget:**

### **Unfinished Business:**

- I. ASG motions \$354.91 for items from Amazon and Stop&Shop for Halloween movie, s'mores, and pumpkin carving event on 10.30.24
  - a. 24 ct s'mores kit x4 \$131.96
  - b. Pumpkin carving tools kit x4 \$39.96
  - c. Medium-large carving pumpkins x20 \$119.80 (2 for \$10 deal would bring it to \$100.00)
  - d. Firewood x6 \$44.94
  - e. Duraflame fatwood firelighters \$5.49
  - f. Ziyad Halal marshmallows x3 \$13.00

Note: poll has been posted on Instagram for the movie. Will be passed next meeting

Motion by: Bendy Al Zaatini Seconded by: Erjona Zhuta

Yes: All No: None

#### Abstain: None

- II. ASG motions **\$170.00** for Amazon gift cards for Halloween costume contest winners on 10.31.24
  - a. \$30 each for scariest, most creative, most accurate, and best dressed
  - b. \$50 for winners of best duo/group costumes

Motion by: Bendy Al Zaatini Seconded by: Caroline Quintana

Yes: All No: None Abstain: None

III. ASG motions \$2,425.00 for the bus for the New York City Trip on 12.7.24

Motion by: Bendy Al Zaatini Seconded by: Caroline Quintana

Yes: All No: None Abstain: None

- IV. Fundraiser for Lebanese Red Cross: October 22<sup>nd</sup>, 23<sup>rd</sup>, & 24<sup>th</sup> in the Lobby 12-2pm
  - a. We will be raising money for Lebanese refugees only to focus the funds on one cause and make them worthwhile
  - b. UNHCR
  - c. Spoke to Heather about businesses around campus who would donate
  - d. Will start going to businesses later today
  - e. Reserved lobby space for all 3 days
  - f. Need volunteers to serve the food and collect the money
  - g. Will have both cash and digital options
  - h. Food pickup?
  - i. Continued drive for toiletries and necessities to go to Florida
    - i. Red Cross
    - ii. Seek those who are already sending down (churches, synagogues, etc.)
- V. "FRIES for Consent" SHaW Lobby event 10.21.24 11am-2pm
  - a. Still waiting on a quote for the fries from Spirit Cafe (Ideally by next meeting)

#### **New Business:**

I. ASG motions **\$51.95** for mini artificial pumpkins from amazon for painting and decorating on 10.17.24

a. Mini Pumpkins 16 pack x5 \$51.95

Note: Food from Grand St. Tavern?

Motion by: Bendy Al Zaatini Seconded by: Henry Myrtl

Yes: All No: None Abstain: None

- II. HuskyTHON discussion with Kristoffer Davis from the Storrs campus.
  - a. Seeking to have a Waterbury team.
    - i. Dancer representative for the campus
  - b. Could come down to help the table.
    - i. Table with them this semester and another next
  - c. Transportation questions (getting funding)
  - d. Have professors talk to their students in class
  - e. Could it possibly be done simultaneously at the same time
- III. MSA is seeking **\$320.00** for food and items from Sultan's and BJs for Islamic Trivia event Tuesday, 10.15.24 from 1:00-3:00 pm
  - a. Sultan's Baklava, Turkish bread, doner wrap, and chicken shish wrap \$308.00
  - b. 40pk water from BJs x1 \$3.99

Motion by: Bendy Al Zaatini Seconded by: Caroline Quintana

Yes: All No: None Abstain: None

# **Upcoming Events:**

#### October:

- I. Classic Hispanic Film movie night Thursday 10.10.24 5:30pm-7:30pm Student Lounge
- II. Hispanic Heritage Month Campus Celebration Tuesday 10.15.24 12-2 pm MPR
- III. Mini Pumpkin Painting Thursday 10.17.24 12-2 pm Lobby
- IV. Lebanese Red Cross Fundraiser Tue-Thur 10.22, 10.23, 10.24 12-2 pm Lobby
- V. Halloween Movie Night Wednesday 10.30.24 5-8 pm Courtyard
- VI. Halloween Celebration Day Thursday 10.31.24 11-3 pm Courtyard & Lobby

#### November:

- I. Walkbury beauty services Wednesday 11.6.24 time TBD MPR
- II. Albanian Independence Day Celebration Thursday 11.14.24 MPR

III. Cultural Festival – Wednesday 11.20.24 12:30-2:30 pm MPR

#### Ideas:

- I. Senior Night: a nice dinner with them and friends/family to celebrate them
  - a. Dress up/make it a little more special
  - b. Coincide with the Awards Night in April
  - c. Ticketing to bring in someone
  - d. Superlatives and possible giveaways
  - e. Catering: D'Amelio's?
- II. Senior Trip:
  - a. Figure out where to go
  - b. Students stay pay for half of it
  - c. Overnight if far
- III. Senior Dance:

Meeting adjourned at 9:03am



# ROUSMBER 2024

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