

**Milwaukee Area Technical College
West Allis Student Government Association
Minutes for September 20, 2016**

Meeting was called to order at 4:07pm

Attendance:

SGA Advisor: Patrice Jefferies, Student Life

SGA Members Present:

- Jarvis Harmon, President
- Vice President, position still open
- Simone Pierce, Correspondence/Recording Secretary
- Benita Oatis, Treasurer
- Jamie Lassa, Parliamentarian
- Vernita Billups, Member
- Christine Campbell, Member
- Vanessa Cortes, Member
- Jesse Lago, Member
- Kamyille Moore-Brown, Member
- Alex Morales, Member
- Wendi Robinson, Member

Volunteers Present:

- Kelly Keller
- Katie Huisheere—Absent

Opening:

Members of the club opened with a brief introduction to more potential and inquiring students. Each member gave the inquiries an idea of what Student Government has done for them, is doing for them and what they've gotten out of being a member of the club.

Old Business:

Benita Oatis moved to approve the minutes of September 1st, 2016 meeting, Jamie Lassa seconded and the motion carried.

Boat Cruise:

Boat Cruise was a success. We had an outstanding turn-out amongst students and their invited guests.

New Business:

New members were elected and welcomed into the Student Government Association Club for 2016-2017 school year.

Jarvis Harmon was voted as Vice Chair of DSS. Next DSS meeting is at the Downtown Campus on October 7th, 2016.

Patrice Jefferies, explained about the DSS “Voter’s” positions to members and the procedures of being a DSS Voter. There are five potential voters interested:

1. Benita Oatis, Treasurer
2. Jamie Lassa, Parliamentarian
3. Vernita Billups, New Member
4. Jesse Lago, New Member
5. Alex Morales, New Member

Each member who is interested in becoming a part of this needs to give a brief explanation to WHY they want to participate as a voter. There will only be three chosen as this is policy. Jarvis Harmon votes as the President of West Campus, and Benita and Jesse will vote and Jamie and Alex will be the fourth vote depending upon who can attend the meetings.

APCA Event:

Vernita moved and Jesse seconded to approve the attendance of Simone Pierce and Vanessa Cortes at the APCA conference from Thursday 09/29/2016 – Sunday 10/02/2016, in Schaumburg, Illinois. The motion carried.

Recap of events/ volunteering

- Wednesday, Sept. 14 Constitution Day 11:30-1:00 pm & 4:30-5:30 pm Hallway
- Friday, Sept. 16-District Student Senate (DSS) meeting

Upcoming Campus and District Events

- Thursday, Sept. 22-Dr. Martin visits 11:30-12:30 Room 107/117
- Thursday, Sept. 22-Cool Speak – Financial Literacy and prizes 12:30-1:30 Room 107/117
- Friday, Sept. 23-Boat Cruise on the Voyageur 6:00-8:00 OR 8:30-10:30 pm
- Tuesday, Sept 27-Dr. Christopher Irving-The Path to Leadership & Success 9:30-10:30 am Room 107/117
- Tuesday, Oct. 4-Jim Wand, Hypnotist 11:30 am-12:30 pm in Cafeteria
- Tuesday, Oct. 4-Jim Wand, Hypnotist 1:00-2:00 pm (Group session) Room 107/117
- Thursday, Oct. 6-Community Fair, 10:00 am-2:00 pm Room 107/117
- Monday, Oct. 10- Conversation for the Cure, 11:00 am-noon Room 107/117
- Thursday, Oct. 20-Money Management, 6:00-7:00 pm, Room 107/117
- Saturday & Sunday, Oct. 22-23 Leadership Retreat, Great Wolf Lodge
- Thursday, Oct. 27-Lunch with the VP and dining etiquette, 11:00 am-12:30 pm Room 107/117

Closing Announcements—Check Out

Any questions, concerns or ideas? For volunteering, student events/involvement activities, etc.

Adjournment:

Jesse Lago moved to adjourn the meeting at 5:04 pm, Jamie Lassa, seconded and the motion carried.