ASSOCIATED STUDENTS OF
IDAHO STATE UNIVERSITY
STUDENT SENATE MEETING
SHIRLEY SARGENT FAMILY BOARDROOM, PSU
7:00PM
JANUARY 23, 2019

CALL TO ORDER
Chair Sargeant, in the Shirley Sargent Family Boardroom, PSU, called the meeting to order at 7:00pm.

ROLL CALL
ASISU Secretary, Hannah Livermont, took roll. All Senators were present. Associate Vice President for Student Affairs, Lowell Richards, was in attendance.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE


MOVE TO APPROVE THE AGENDA WITH THE FRIENDLY AMENDMENT TO ADD THE NEPALESE STUDENT ASSOCIATION UNDER NEW BUSINESS. Alvarez/Bailey. Unanimous. MOTION CARRIED.

GALLERY QUESTION & ANSWER

ANNOUNCEMENTS AND CORRESPONDENCE
Val Davids-
1. Student Physical Therapist Association-Meridian. Val Davids- This club has their constitution in place, they have all of their members, and they have been really easy to work with. The president of their club, Sean Hurley, is currently on the conference phone. Sean Hurley- They are a brand new club still figuring out what they want to do but it will be a support club for students going into physical therapy. Their goal is to volunteer and make connections with students. Most people do not know that there is a physical therapy school in the Boise area so it will be exciting to spread the word. MOVE TO APPROVE STUDENT PHYSICAL THERAPIST ASSOCIATION-MERIDIAN. Marshall/Kay. Roll call.

NYELE ALVAREZ-YES
DRAYSTEN BAILEY-YES
SANDEEP DHAKAL-YES
DEEPA GURUNG-YES
HIRA HAMID-YES
CAMDON KAY-YES
KRYSSTOFF KISSOON-YES
LIZ BREUKER-YES
ASHLEY KINZEL-YES
SANDRA LOZANO-YES
DAMARA MARSHALL-YES
JEANELEE STOCK-YES
AMIR THAPA-YES

MOTION CARRIED.

2. Resonate Community. Val Davids- This club was already very active, even before school started. Ashlynn Carver- They want to provide wholesome fun activities and serve the community by giving out coffee and making friends with others. They love having dinner with new people, making genuine friendships, helping people grow, and encouraging others to believe in whatever they want. There are nine other sites for this club including Boise, Oregon, Pullman Washington,
and other places. Senator Dhakal asked what kind of events their club will be providing. Ashlynn—
Right now it is limited to dinners but they plan to come up with more ideas on what other activities they can do. Senator Marshall asked about their club’s recruiting process. Ashlynn—Club members dedicate Tuesdays and Thursdays to meet new people on campus and talk to them.

**MOVE TO APPROVE RESONATE COMMUNITY.** Marshall/Brueker. Roll call.

NYELE ALVAREZ-YES
DRAYSTEN BAILEY-YES
SANDEEP DHAKAL-YES
DEEPA GURUNG-YES
HIRA HAMID-YES
CAMDON KAY-YES
KRYSSTOFF KISSOON-YES
LIZ BREUKER-YES
ASHLEY KINZEL-YES
SANDRA LOZANO-YES
DAMARA MARSHALL-YES
JEANELEE STOCK-YES
AMIR THAPA-YES

MOTION CARRIED.

3. Idaho State Rocketry Club- Johnny Henderson- Currently the members are building a ten-foot tall rocket for their senior project. This club will provide an opportunity for younger students to be involved with these projects and begin working on their skills as well as applying what they are learning. They have already applied for grants and the Idaho National Laboratory is helping to fund them. They are networking with ISU alumni, learning from mentors, building their resumes, and completing certifications. There are also working with National Association of Rocketry located in Salt Lake City, Utah. This club has already established relationships, written their constitution, and are excited to move forward. Vice President Sargeant asked when they plan to blast off their rocket. Johnny- They plan to launch it in April. Both big and little rockets will be launched at that time. Senator Alvarez asked about their plans for recruitment. Johnny- They have already sent out a campus email and are doing recruiting through different ISU classes. Additional ideas are welcome. Senator Dhakal asked if younger students joining are just for promotional purposes. Johnny- Yes somewhat. They will not build actual rockets but they will be able to build smaller ones from rocket kits. Senator Bailey asked about their fundraising plans. Johnny- They are working with INL for K-12 projects, applying for National grants, and working with ISU Facilities. They have already received over $2,000 and next year, they hope to participate in a national competition. **MOVE TO APPROVE IDAHO STATE ROCKETRY CLUB.** Dhakal/Kay. Roll call.

NYELE ALVAREZ-YES
DRAYSTEN BAILEY-YES
SANDEEP DHAKAL-YES
DEEPA GURUNG-YES
HIRA HAMID-YES
CAMDON KAY-YES
KRYSSTOFF KISSOON-YES
LIZ BREUKER-YES
ASHLEY KINZEL-YES
SANDRA LOZANO-YES
DAMARA MARSHALL-YES
JEANELEE STOCK-YES
AMIR THAPA-YES
MOTION CARRIED.

4. Events coming up include Celebrate Idaho State on February 27 and the Student Organization Involvement Fair on February 13 from 11:30am-1:00pm. The theme is Harry Potter and ASISU is invited to do a table there.

PRESIDENT’S REPORT
President Schmidt- There was a great turnout at the basketball game. The tailgate was hit and miss but everyone loved the pizza. Thanks to everyone who helped. Celebrate ISU is on February 27 at 4:00pm-6:30pm. He would like all of the senators to be there up until the time ASISU meetings start. ASISU would be responsible for greeting people and handing out t-shirts. Senator Kinzel asked what they should wear. President Schmidt- That will be decided when it gets closer but probably the shirts they will be handing out. Senators Kissoon and Thapa did a great job when they participated in ASISU Speaks. Brenda Stanley, a Channel 6 news reporter, wrote a personal email to President Schmidt and President Satterlee expressing how much she enjoyed the information and how impressed she was. President Schmidt wants to start some surveys for next year’s ASISU president to send out to students. It will be a great way to get student feedback and he wishes he started it sooner. Senator Alvarez asked what kinds of surveys he has in mind. President Schmidt- Surveys about services like the Rec Center. The hours, availability, equipment, etc. This will just be a way to see what students care about. Randy Gaines is coming next week to talk about IT during Senate. He is interested in feedback from students about software, labs, and other topics so be prepared to contribute.

CHAIR/COMMITTEE REPORTS
1. Senate Pro Tempore’s Chair Committee, Senator Alvarez- They are working on getting an “open sign” for when senators do their office hours. They talked with Lowell about possibly framing it as well. Senators Kay and Kissoon are doing pros and cons for referendum. Everyone should look over the University Committee assignments that Kaitlyn Jewkes sent out last semester. Senator Breuker will be taking over Kaitlyn’s University Committee assignments. Nothing else to report.

2. Finance Committee, Senator Kay-
   1. New club funding
      a. Future Health Professionals HO/SA Club- MOVE TO APPROVE NEW CLUB FUNDING TO FUTURE HEALTH PROFESSIONALS HO/SA CLUB IN THE AMOUNT OF $250. Roll call.

      NYELE ALVAREZ-YES
      DRAYSTEN BAILEY-YES
      SANDEEP DHAKAL-YES
      DEEPA GURUNG-YES
      HIRA HAMID-YES
      CAMDON KAY-YES
      KRYSSTOFF KISSOON-YES
      LIZ BREUKER-YES
      ASHLEY KINZEL-YES
      SANDRA LOZANO-YES
      DAMARA MARSHALL-YES
      JEANELEE STOCK-YES
      AMIR THAPA-YES

      MOTION CARRIED.


      Roll call.

      NYELE ALVAREZ-YES
2. Matched Deposit
   a. Non-Traditional Student Organization- **MOVE TO APPROVE MATCHED DEPOSIT TO NON-TRADITIONAL STUDENT ORGANIZATION IN THE AMOUNT OF $161.** Kay/Breuker. Roll call.

   NYELE ALVAREZ-YES
   DRAYSTEN BAILEY-YES
   SANDEEP DHAKAL-YES
   DEEPA GURUNG-YES
   HIRA HAMID-YES
   CAMDON KAY-YES
   KRYSTOFF KISSOON-YES
   LIZ BREUKER-YES
   ASHLEY KINZEL-YES
   SANDRA LOZANO-YES
   DAMARA MARSHALL-YES
   JEANELEE STOCK-YES
   AMIR THAPA-YES

   MOTION CARRIED.

   b. Bengal SPASM- **MOVE TO APPROVE MATCHED DEPOSIT TO BENGAL SPASM IN THE AMOUNT OF $500.** Kay/Bailey. Roll call.

   NYELE ALVAREZ-YES
   DRAYSTEN BAILEY-YES
   SANDEEP DHAKAL-YES
   DEEPA GURUNG-YES
   HIRA HAMID-YES
   CAMDON KAY-YES
   KRYSTOFF KISSOON-YES
   LIZ BREUKER-YES
   ASHLEY KINZEL-YES
   SANDRA LOZANO-YES
   DAMARA MARSHALL-YES
   JEANELEE STOCK-YES
   AMIR THAPA-YES

   MOTION CARRIED.

   c. Wesley House- **MOVE TO APPROVE MATCHED DEPOSIT TO WESLEY HOUSE IN THE**

NYELE ALVAREZ-YES
DRAYSTEN BAILEY-YES
SANDEEP DHAKAL-YES
DEEPA GURUNG-YES
HIRA HAMID-YES
CAMDON KAY-YES
KRYSSTOFF KISsoon-YES
LIZ BREUKER-YES
ASHLEY KINZEL-YES
SANDRA LOZANO-YES
DAMARA MARSHALL-YES
JEANELEE STOCK-YES
AMIR THAPA-YES

MOTION CARRIED.

d. Radiographic Science Club- MOVE TO APPROVE MATCHED DEPOSIT TO RADIOGRAPHIC

NYELE ALVAREZ-YES
DRAYSTEN BAILEY-YES
SANDEEP DHAKAL-YES
DEEPA GURUNG-YES
HIRA HAMID-YES
CAMDON KAY-YES
KRYSSTOFF KISsoon-YES
LIZ BREUKER-YES
ASHLEY KINZEL-YES
SANDRA LOZANO-YES
DAMARA MARSHALL-YES
JEANELEE STOCK-YES
AMIR THAPA-YES

MOTION CARRIED.

e. Public Health Student Association- MOVE TO APPROVE MATCHED DEPOSIT TO PUBLIC

NYELE ALVAREZ-YES
DRAYSTEN BAILEY-YES
SANDEEP DHAKAL-YES
DEEPA GURUNG-YES
HIRA HAMID-YES
CAMDON KAY-YES
KRYSSTOFF KISsoon-YES
LIZ BREUKER-YES
ASHLEY KINZEL-YES
SANDRA LOZANO-YES
DAMARA MARSHALL-YES
JEANELEE STOCK-YES
AMIR THAPA-YES

MOTION CARRIED.
f. Cultural Ladies Empowering Others (CLEO)- **MOVE TO APPROVE MATCHED DEPOSIT TO CULTURAL LADIES EMPOWERING OTHERS IN THE AMOUNT OF $122.** Kay/Alvarez. Roll call.

NYELE ALVAREZ-YES
DRAYSTEN BAILEY-YES
SANDEEP DHAKAL-YES
DEEPA GURUNG-YES
HIRA HAMID-YES
CAMDON KAY-YES
KRYSSTOFF KISSOON-YES
LIZ BREUKER-YES
ASHLEY KINZEL-YES
SANDRA LOZANO-YES
DAMARA MARSHALL-YES
JEANELEE STOCK-YES
AMIR THAPA-YES

**MOTION CARRIED.**


4. Outreach and Diversity Committee, Senator Kissoon- In their meeting, they talked about an event. It is complicated and will have to talk about it in caucus. It will be a Caribbean night and Bengali themed and dancing in the streets. He will need a lot of help. It will be a cultural night before the end of the semester. They want to buy some t-shirts to hand out. They want students to come to the office to get Bengal gear. Ideas are socks, scarves, fun stickers. If you have any more ideas besides a basic t-shirt, let him know.

**OLD BUSINESS**

**NEW BUSINESS**
Nepalese Night - Kiran Pandey, President of the Nepalese Student Association- The Nepalese Student Association is holding their annual party on February 16. Adhair Bhattarai, treasurer of the Nepalese Student Association- They participate in events on campus and travel to Pocatello schools. Last year, their organization accomplished a variety of things. They hosted Nepalese Night, helped with the Hometown Hero Medal ceremony, promoted Nepalese culture on and off campus, and participated in sports events. This year, they are expecting more than 500 students to attend Nepalese Night and because of this, they are asking for donations from ASISU. Senator Kinzel asked if they have a record of how many people attended in the past. Kiran- Last year the number was 443. Senator Kissoon asked if they’ve done any fundraising. Kiran- They have been asking departments. Vice President Sargeant asked how much they have raised so far. Adhair- $750 besides membership fees. Vice President Sargeant asked how much it costs annually. Adhair- $4,000. Senator Kinzel asked what the money goes towards. Kiran- Last year it cost $2,200 for food. The rest goes towards homemade costumes and decorations. Senator Stock asked if they have been in contact with any businesses. Adhair- Yes, Farm Bureau and the ICCU bank. Senator Breuker- Last year she fundraised a couple thousand dollars for a lunch just by asking all over town. She recommended that Nepalese Student Association do that as well. Senator Kissoon asked what dollar amount they want from ASISU. Kiran- Last year, ASISU donated $200 but they need more this year. Senator Kinzel asked how they will make up for more donations. Kiran- There is an entry fee that goes towards the event. Vice President Sargeant – Next week during Caucus, ASISU will discuss a dollar amount that they would be willing to donate. Kiran and Adhair are welcome to come back to hear the how the senate will respond to their request.

**GALLERY QUESTION AND ANSWER**
Ritesh Yadav and Rituraj Yadav- They are looking for help to fund TEDX-ISU for Fall 2019. This project will
be a defining event for the new generation and all the members of ASISU have resources and experience to give to this project. They are in need of fundraising and marketing from each college. Rituraj- They are coming to Senate to ask for funds because without funds, they cannot make this project happen. Their desire is for everyone to come together to help with this project and make it a big event. Senator Dhakal asked when they are planning on doing the event. Ritesh- Early fall of 2019. Applications will open in February. Senator Lozano- By that time there will be new senators. She asked if they would like to revisit this request when the senators are in office. Rituraj- They want to work with anybody who has the drive and energy to take this event to a new height. Vice President Sargeant asked if they have local people to come present. Ritesh- Their priority is to take ideas from campus and create diversity. There will be slots for the community and students. Vice President Sargeant- One concern he has is that since it is representing ISU, it would not be good to have a racist person give a speech at ISU. Their first step should be to talk to Student Affairs. In the future, this may be something that ASISU will support it but it is necessary that they take the required steps before coming to ASISU. Rituraj- University experts will be picking the topics, not the students. Senator Kissoon- He tried to pull something off like this when he was a freshman and it was a nightmare. Ritesh- Yes, the application took about three weeks to complete. Senator Kinzel yielded the time to President Schmidt. President Schmidt asked if they have collaborated with ISU at all. Rituraj- They are working with ASISU, they will approach Student Affairs, and they will collaborate with other colleges. President Schmidt- This is a great idea and perhaps ASISU can work on it in the future. Rituraj- They have carefully selected team members who would be reliable and drive it forward.

OTHER

ISU FIGHT SONG

ADJOURNMENT

MOVE TO ADJOURN. Alvarez/Kay. Unanimous. MOTION CARRIED. ASISU Secretary, Hannah Livermont, took roll. All senators were present. Meeting adjourned at 8:06pm.