

**ASSOCIATED STUDENTS OF  
IDAHO STATE UNIVERSITY  
STUDENT SENATE MEETING  
SHIRLEY SARGENT FAMILY BOARDROOM, PSU  
7:00 PM  
NOVEMBER 1ST, 2023**

- I. CALL TO ORDER—7:04 P.M.
- II. ROLL CALL
  - a. 11 Senators were present.
  - b. Absent: Senator Westbrook
  - c. Also present: : Craig Chatriand, Vice President of Student Affairs and Matt Daily, Assistant Vice President and Dean of Students and Valarie Davids, Student Leadership & Engagement Center Coordinator.
- I. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE
- II. APPROVAL OF MINUTES FROM OCTOBER 25th, 2023
  - a. Motion to approve minutes: Mortenson/Yadav
  - b. Unanimous
  - c. Motion: **CARRIED**
- III. APPROVAL OF AGENDA
  - a. Motion to approve the agenda with friendly amendment to add Val Davids and the Medieval Club under Announcements & Correspondence and to add Election Timeline under Old Business as well as Pro Temp Vote of Confidence and ASISU Shoe Funding under Other: Mortenson/Brown
  - b. Unanimous
  - c. Motion: **CARRIED**
- IV. GALLERY QUESTION & ANSWER
- V. ANNOUNCEMENTS AND CORRESPONDENCE
  - a. Val Davids, Student Leadership & Engagement Coordinator
    - i. Medieval Club, New Club
      - a. The purpose of this club is to provide a space of unity and belonging while learning medieval practices. The club has a focus on historical accuracy.
        - a. Motion to approve the Medieval Club as a new club on campus: Yadav/Mortenson
          - i. ROLL CALL  
DEREK ADAMS – YES  
DUNCAN ANDRUS – YES  
MCKALEE BRUEGEMAN – YES  
ASPEN BROWN – YES  
ELLA BUNDE – YES  
RYAN GLASS – YES  
LEXI JORGENSON – YES  
PEYTON KOLB – YES  
NEELAM MISHRA – YES  
NATALIE MORTENSON – YES  
RITURAJ YADAV – YES
          - ii. Motion: **CARRIED**

- b. School District 25 Bond Presentation, Courtney Fisher
  - i. The School District is looking for support from as many schools and organizations as possible to bring awareness of the bond that is being voted on this month. The goal of this bond is to increase capacity of Highland High school as well as expand Century High school.

VI. PRESIDENT'S REPORT

- a. President Watts shared that Senator Westbrook has been drafting a resolution thanking contributors to a large donation to Benny's Pantry. She also shared that tomorrow, November 2nd is the Dia De Los Muertos Event in the Student Union Building, make sure to be present and represent ASISU well. The King Spud sponsorship for Battle of the Domes has been pulled so while looking for a new sponsor the question has come up if we want to leave the King Spud competition with basketball or transfer the tradition to football, President Watts asked that we share our thoughts on this with her! President Watts shared that this week in Leadership Council she gave a presentation on what ASISU has been working on, specifically the period product distribution. This presentation went really well and there were questions asked and lots of engagements. There was also some interest from the people there to contribute financially. President Watts reminded members that MY ISU will be replacing Bengal Web in the spring semester of 2024.

VII. CHAIR/COMMITTEE REPORTS

- a. Senate Pro Tempore's Chair Committee, Senator Mortenson
  - i. Senator Mortenson shared that in Executive this week the Director of Public Relations is working on revamping the Meet the Senators initiative with takeovers and reels that will be starting next week. As a reminder, please contact clubs for November since incentive points are due next week. ROAR report signups will be sent out soon so please sign up for them. As a reminder this coming months' time cards and checklists are due November 29<sup>th</sup>!
- b. Finance Committee, Senator Yadav
  - i. Senator Yadav reminded members to reach out to their deans f=in regards to the ASISU scholarship[s], he asked members to complete this y next Friday, November 10<sup>th</sup>. Senator Yadav shared the Director Clark will be reaching out to line items to let them know that their budgets will be due at the first meeting of the Spring semester. All remaining travel funding will need to be submitted next week by Fridays. Next week in Finance Director Clark will present the ASISU budget. As a reminder club incentive points are due next week!
- c. Senate Rules and Appointments Committee, Senator Jorgenson
  - i. The Rules and Appointments Committee is asking to hold Bill 614 for another week.
- d. Student Involvement Committee, Senator Adams
  - i. Senator Adams shared that the Spirit Bus will no longer be happening this month but the event idea may be moved to a different rival game next semester. Senator Adams shared that the Student Involvement Committee has been coming up with multiple evets focused on professional development such as resume and interview workshops.

VIII. OLD BUSINESS

- a. Bill 614
  - i. Held in Rules and Appointments for another week.
- b. Funding Request, \$1,500
  - i. Khadijeh Bazargani
    - a. Motion to approve funding request: Yadav/Glass
  - a. ROLL CALL  
DEREK ADAMS – YES

DUNCAN ANDRUS – YES  
MCKALEE BRUEGEMAN – YES  
ASPEN BROWN – YES  
ELLA BUNDE – YES  
RYAN GLASS – YES  
LEXI JORGENSON – YES  
PEYTON KOLB – YES  
NEELAM MISHRA – YES  
NATALIE MORTENSON – YES  
RITURAJ YADAV – YES

b. Motion: **CARRIED**

c. Election Timeline

i. Motion to approve election timeline as is: Mortenson/Glass

a. ROLL CALL

DEREK ADAMS – YES  
DUNCAN ANDRUS – YES  
MCKALEE BRUEGEMAN – YES  
ASPEN BROWN – YES  
ELLA BUNDE – YES  
RYAN GLASS – YES  
LEXI JORGENSON – YES  
PEYTON KOLB – YES  
NEELAM MISHRA – YES  
NATALIE MORTENSON – YES  
RITURAJ YADAV – YES

b. Motion: **CARRIED**

IX. NEW BUSINESS

- a. Health Insurance Workshop, \$900
- b. Spirit Bus Funding Request, \$10,000
  - i. Event Cancelled

X. GALLERY QUESTION AND ANSWER

- a. Tampon and Pad Dispenser Supply Funding, \$8,500
  - i. Introduced by Senator Jorgenson. Requesting this money to provide a 9 month supply of period products to be distributed around campus.

XI. OTHER

- a. ASISU Shoe Funding, \$2,500
  - i. Introduced by Senator Jorgenson
- b. Pro Temp Vote of Confidence
  - i. Neelam Mishra was voted in as Senate Pro Temp.

XII. ISU FIGHT SONG

XIII. ADJOURNMENT

- a. Motion to adjourn: Yadav/Brown
- b. Unanimous
- c. Motion: **CARRIED**

XIV. ROLL CALL

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- d. Meeting adjourned at 8:45 P.M.

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**ASISU VICE PRESIDENT  
CHANCE REYNOLDS**

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**ASISU SECRETARY  
ELIANA MADISON**