

LSU Student Bar Association
Meeting Minutes
Monday, February 13, at 6:30 p.m.
Room 303



1. Call to Order at 6:30
2. Roll Call
 - a. Members
 - i. Trenton Ball—Executive President
 - ii. Leah Brett—Executive Vice President
 - iii. Andree Comeaux—Executive Secretary
 - iv. Russ Stutes—Executive Treasurer
 - v. Jack Zeringue—Executive Director of Programming
 - vi. Patrick Geddes —3L Class President
 - vii. Caity Cline—3L Vice President
 - viii. Jana Robinson—3L Class Secretary
 - ix. Alexandra Zaunbrecher—3L Class Representative
 - x. Caroline Darwin—3L Class Representative
 - xi. Sara Keubel —2L President
 - xii. Audrey Gitz—2L Vice President
 - xiii. Margaret Viator—2L Class Secretary
 - xiv. Tyler DeAgano—2L Class Representative
 - xv. Derek Hoffman—2L Class Representative
 - xvi. Devin Vallier – 1L Class President
 - xvii. Ellie Kousoulas – 1L Class Vice President
 - xviii. Aaron Koenck – Section 1 Representative
 - xix. Meagan Johnson – Section 2 Representative
 - xx. Brooke Delaune – Section 3 Representative
 - b. Absent Members
 - i. Caroline – not excused
 - ii. Derek – excused
 - iii. Brooke
 - c. Quorum was Established for the record
3. Public Input
4. Reading, Correction, and Adoption of the Minutes for last Two Weeks
 - a. Motion will be posted in old business to allow for members to read
5. Funding Requests
 - a. Federalist Society is requesting \$217 for 100 people for this Thursday, February 16, with funding requests slightly after the 14 day window. Guest Speaker is Kyle Duncan and will be arguing a transgender case in front of SCOTUS. This had to be done around his

schedule. Dean Smith told us there is a career services event that day and it takes priority for funding.

- i. Leah is willing to bring our discussions to Dean Smith
 - ii. Alexandra notes that nothing else is currently on the calendar at this time
 - iii. Leah says that Melanie promised this would not interfere.
 - iv. Sara has motion to expend up to \$250 from the inside account for the Federalist Society Event on Thursday, February 16.
 1. Seconded by Alexandra
 2. Motion passes unanimously
 - b. Tax Law Society does VITA every year, and they are requesting \$60 of printing. The date is greater than 14 days away. It is 180 tax return forms at the 0.06 rate we have. This request is slightly greater than the actual cost.
 - i. Sara motions to expend up to \$60 from the inside account for printing purposes.
 1. Seconded by Patrick
 2. Motion passes with a majority vote
 - a. Caity was absent for this vote
6. Committee Reports
 - a. ABA Student Representative
 - b. Academics Committee
 - i. Scheduling with the school will be coming soon for finals scheduling.
 - c. Athletics Committee
 - i. We are looking at dates for the Golf Tournament, such as April 1.
 - d. Elections Committee
 - e. Ethics Committee
7. Executive Officer Reports
 - a. President
 - i. Elections
 - ii. Pause for a Cause
 1. This is a joint event for PILS and SBA on March 25
 - iii. Trenton will go to Southern on Friday morning for a recruitment event at 9 AM
 - b. Vice President
 - c. Secretary
 - d. Treasurer
 - i. Account Balances
 1. Inside Account Balance: \$24,972.95
 2. Outside Account Balance: \$21,283.06
 - a. Note that PowderPuff has not yet been taken out
 - e. Programming Director
 - i. No GIF this week
8. Class Officer Reports
 - a. 3L Class
 - i. 100 Day Party will be at Radio Bar on February 22
 - ii. Patrick requests a motion to expend up to \$250 for a keg from the outside account. We have done it last year.

1. Seconded by Sara
 2. Motion passes with a majority vote
 - a. Caity was absent during this vote
 - iii. Patrick has a motion to spend up to \$40 for assault and flattery costume from the outside account
 1. Seconded by Caity
 2. Motion passes with a majority vote
 - iv. 3L Class is looking to decide on a 3L class gift
 1. Ideas are to contribute to the naming of a classroom for Prof. Cheney Jo or a Welcome sign on the outside of school
 2. Mrs. Soniat may need this by the end of February
 - b. 2L Class
 - i. Barristers Ticket Sales will be switched to Monday through Thursday of next week
 - ii. Ass. Dean Smith gave us a new contract to send to bands and we are working with that
 1. Prof. Smith said that contract was incomplete and we have sent back another contract
 - iii. Audrey has concerns with the inside account – if we have so many things coming from inside account, she is nervous that we may have to use the outside account
 1. Trenton says we have used the inside account for the last two years for Barristers Ball
 - iv. Brews and Barristers may have BRBA do the introduction for the next event
 1. We are working with Iberia Bank and BRBA to contribute and checking on any potential conflicts
 - c. 1L Class
 - i. 1L will have an event at Barcadia on Wednesday
 - ii. For Family Day, they are going to Lauberge and having crawfish
9. Old Business
- a. Motion to adopt the minutes from last week's minutes by Patrick
 - i. Seconded by Devin
 - ii. Motion passes with majority vote
 - b. Leah also brought up the fact that Federalist Society would have extreme difficulty receiving
10. New Business
- a. Projected Expenses discussion
 - i. 3L will need money for assault and flattery, food for the 50 day party and composites
 - ii. 2L will need money for Barristers Ball food and band
11. Adjournment at 7:31
- a. Motion to adjourn by Sara
 - i. Seconded by Jana
 - ii. Motion Passed unopposed

Note: Student Bar Association reserves the right to enter into Executive Session, if needed, in accordance with R.S. 42:16 et seq.