



Associated Students of Santa Monica College
Inter-Club Council
MINUTES
 October 17, 2019, 4pm
 1900 Pico Blvd. Santa Monica, CA. 90405
 HSS 165



* THE ICC RESERVES THE RIGHT TO MODIFY THE ORDER OF THE AGENDA AT ANYTIME DURING THE MEETING.

- I. **Call to Order** – 4:00pm
- II. **Roll Call**

2.1 ICC Officers

P	ICC Chair: Natalie Lim	P	Counselor/ICC: Benny Blaydes
P	ICC Vice Chair: Gabriella Montgomery	P	Counselor/PT Advisor: Dennis Funes
P	ICC Communications Officer: Girard Dela Roca	AB	Associate Dean of Student Life: Dr. Isaac Rodriguez Lupercio

2.2 Installed Clubs

P	Active Minds	P	International Student Forum
P	Adelante Club	AB	InterVarsity Christian Fellowship
P	Alpha Gamma Sigma	P	Investment and Entrepreneurship Club, SMC
P	Anthropology Club	P	Japanese Student Association
AB	Art Club	P	Jewish Learning on Campus
P	ASEAN Cultural Club	P	Korean Union
P	Beyond The Cryptocurrency	P	LINK
P	Bike Club	P	Music Club, SMC
AB	Black Collegians Club	P	Muslim Student Association
AB	Brazil Club	P	Natural History Club
P	Chabad Club	P	Philosophy Club
P	Chemistry Club	P	Phi Theta Kappa
AB	Chinese Student and Scholars Association	P	Plastic Free SMC
AB	Chinese Union	P	Pre-Health Association
AB	Club Grow	P	Pre-Law Society, SMC
AB	Computer Programming Club, SMC	P	Psi Beta
P	Creative Editing (Adobe)	AB	Psych Club
P	Democratic Socialist Club	P	Redeemed
P	Eco-Action Club	AB	Respiratory Therapy Club
P	Economics Club	P	Robotics Club
P	Engineering Club	P	Rotaract Business Club, SMC
P	Figure Drawing and Portfolio Development	P	SMC Cheer
AB	Film Club, SMC	P	Social Media Marketing, SMC
P	French Club, SMC	P	Spanish Club
P	Future Alumni Club	P	Student Nurses Association
P	Game Developers Unite!	P	Students for Justice in Palestine
P	GAX Club, SMC	P	Students Supporting Israel
P	German Austrian Swiss Club	P	Student Veterans Association
P	Gender Sexuality Alliance	AB	The Lack Thereof
P	His_Her_Story	AB	The Meal Project Club
P	Hong Kong Students Association, SMC	P	UNICEF SMC
P	IDEAS at SMC	P	WiSTEM SMC
P	Indonesian Students Union	P	Young Americans for Freedom
AB	Interaction Design Club		

Present = **P**, Absent = **AB**



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III. Minutes

3.1 Approval of Minutes for September 19, 2019 and October 3, 2019
 Motion to approve: AGS, Seconded DSC

IV. Public Comments

This section is of the agenda is reserved for members of the public to address the Inter-Club Council. A time limit of 2 minutes per speaker shall be observed.

Kate (AGS): Promotes to clubs to contact AGS if they need help setting up events. Wants to applaud the clubs for their hard work and for their events.

Kiersten Elliot (Com. Relations): Oct. 22 will be a ribbon cutting for 90th anniversary of SMC with free food. Later that evening there will be a banquet at the Student Service Center

Tom (DSC): Wants to address the confederate flag that was on the ICC Vice Chair’s desk. Addresses that ICC Vice Chair should step down from her position for this act.

Jasmine (HKSA): Publicizes the protests that are occurring in Hong Kong. Wants students to show support for Hong Kong during club row by visiting their table.

Jacob (YAF): Addresses the conflict surrounding the confederate flag in the AS office. Describes the ICC Vice Chair as a kind person and says that the flag was put there as a joke.

Nico (YAF): Shows support for the ICC Vice Chair and wants students to be mature about the current situation. Compares confederate flag to pride flag as a symbol of representation. States that he believes people who are of-fended do not understand comedy or satire.

Carla (AS Activity): Clubs that are selling food at any event needs to take their waste to the CUES for compost. Health permits need to be submitted a month in advance. The process takes 2 weeks.

Jasmine (Activity Com.): Promotes Sustainability week that will be the last 2 weeks of October. There will be speakers talking about climate change and the importance of recycling. Is looking for students to donate clothes for the clothing swap 10/28 – 10/31.

Reema (Activity Com.): Invites clubs to the SMC Fall Banquet 10/18 and the Home Coming game 10/19. Banquet is a dress to impress theme, while the Home Coming theme is pink and green for liver and breast cancer awareness.

Noah (Active Minds): Publicizes training for mental health for the veterans and LGBT1 + communities. Wants there to be fewer and more open political views in ICC.

Brooke (AS Trustee): Promotes a Talk to Your Trustee event to accommodate students with their concerns. Wants students to feel free to email her with their concerns.

Joe (GSA): Addresses that the comparison of confederate flag to the pride flag are not the same. Tells students to think before they act and that the student body will hold students to be responsible for their actions.

Gabriella (ICC Vice): Addresses the confederate flag she hung on her desk was joke and didn’t realize the backlash she would get from it. The point of the flag was to point fun at herself not to make a political statement. She did not mean for it to portray bad intent and apologies for her actions. Explains that the point of college is to have open ideas and to have free speech. Wants students to reach out to her with their concerns. States that she believes Trustee Harrington has neglected her duties by voicing political opinions at a public forum and emphasizes that public officials should remain neutral and keep their political opinions out of their work.

Motion to add 1 minute: Music Club, seconded WiSTEM

Dr. Rodriguez Lupercio (Dean of Student Life): Wants to excite students about Club Row but portray self-awareness during the event. Keep in mind that we are an open campus and students should contact advisors or police if they need help deescalating situations.

V. Consent Action Items

5.1 Installation of Clubs

Motion to install the following clubs with 66% funding:

5.1.1 Clubs Ready to be Installed:

P	Astronomy club	P	Intersectional Feminist Society
P	Game Developers Unite!	AB	Parenting Students Network, SMC

Motion msa, ssi



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5.1.2 Clubs Pending Installation (clubs will be installed if missing paperwork completed by date of ICC Meeting):

P	All Eyes On Me	AB	PERIOD @ SMC
AB	Doran		

Motion Wistern, music club

VI. DISCUSSION ITEMS

6.1 Home Coming – *Director of Student Outreach as a guest speaker*

Is looking to have more club involvement

Is hosting a Fund raiser for breast and liver cancer awareness month

- Will be selling bags and shirts

Announces the clubs that are tabling at Home Coming

Canopies and tables will be provided for the clubs that are attending and need help taking them down after

Wants clubs to incorporate the colors pink and green in their posters for the contest

Need to stay until halftime and take a photo in the photo booth with poster to be eligible

Prizes for the poster contest include 150, 100 and 50 dollars in respect to 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place winners

10 – 12:30pm are the pre-game events, 2 or 2:30pm will be the poster walk.

Is a free event but are accepting donations and will receive drawing tickets when donating

Drawing tickets are put in a raffle for air pods!!

Banquet Friday 5-9pm with free food and free entry with SMC ID

Visit smc.edu/homecoming

Motion to reopen public comments: GSA, seconded Music Club

VII. ACTION ITEMS

7.1 Appointment of students for Associated Students Constitution Committee

Wants delegates and presidents to join the AS constitution committee

If students are interested in amending bylaws or in political science this will be a good experience

7.2 Appointment of students for the Joint Council

The joint council is the highest branch to amend bylaws

Is the one that decides the changes

Consists of 2 parties

- 1 is the AS board and the other one is 8 voting members from ICC

Benny:

Any ICC presidents or delegates can join the joint council

Joint council only meets when they are called

Really need members that are involved on campus and in clubs

They make changes to the AS constitution

Join the council if students want to have an impact on what happens in the future of SMC

Students can be on multiple committees

Motion to add these students to the joint council: Active Minds, seconded PTK

VIII. REPORTS

8.1 ICC Officer

Gabriella (Vice Chair): Advises clubs know that we will be providing pumpkins for the pumpkin contest. First come first serve for people that want to participate in the contest on Tuesday 9AM in the Cayton Center. The prizes will be 150, 100, and 50 dollars to the clubs that win 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place. There will be 3 faculty as judges for the contest. People that couldn't submit their paperwork on time will have a chance to receive a table the day of. If clubs want to move their tabling spots let her know. Announces that she appreciates the clubs that voted her in and want students to talk to voice their concerns to her.

Natalie (Chair): Promotes the Political Arena debate 11/14 during activity hour. Will be a debate open for the student body on the topic of immigration. Another topic maybe on police brutality. Activity hour is 11:15-12:30 Tuesday, Thursday, Friday. Explains as public officials we must represent the will of the public and appreciates Gabriella's honesty and hopes this will be a learning experience.



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Girard (Communications): Publicizes that he will be DJing Club Row as is looking for good energy out there. Is also not taking any song recommendations.

8.2 Advisor Reports

Dennis Funes: CSU and UC applications are open and there are on campus workshops to help with these applications. UC's want students that are involved on campus and in their community and tell this in their PIQ's. FAFSA and SMC scholarships are now open and due March 2nd. Letters of rec. for transfer are recommended but not required.

Benny Blaydes: Is still in the honeymoon phase. We failed an audit because some vendors have not been paying taxes. Was an issue that was previously not a problem. Companies do not want to pay fees for the vetting process. In-n-Out will likely be vetted by next week. Will give an update for new vendors that have been vetted. Talks about UC apps and how they do not want any repeated activities/accomplishments in the PIQ's, they are looking for experience. Do FAFSA ASAP. There will be a workshop on how to apply for 100's of private schools. Promotes meditation on Thursday at HSS 123. Enrollment date is out so meet with a counselor about classes. Reason we have class during activity hour because professors want to leave before traffic.

8.3 A.S. Director reports

Yongha (Vice Pres.): Wants to recognize the Publicity Director for her hard work. SMC AS Instagram is now at 1000 followers so please keep following. Oversees the committees and if students want to participate contact him.

Summer (Advocacy): Promotes Open Educational Resources. Wants to talk to clubs and reach out to clubs about this great opportunity.

Daniel (Pres.): Has a proposal for a Friendsgiving day that happens 2 days before Thanksgiving. Will provide free food for 2000 students. Also announces a Friendsgiving Bowl game. Will be a flag football game that consists of 4 teams. Promotes the Shark Tank event 10/24 that talks about their business endeavors. Friendsgiving and Bowl game are co-sponsored by SMC Cheer.

8.4 Club Announcements (limit of 1 min)

Julia (Spanish Club): Is promoting event relating to Halloween and Zumba. Zumba will be available during activity hour.

Malachi (Adelante): want to talk to Black collegian club and GSA after the meeting

Faraz(SSI): Promotes event on 11/29 that helps humanitarian crisis' around the world. 10/31 is the Gift of Life tabling event that is about finding help with a bone marrow transplant.

Falicia (AGS): Announces that AGS will be selling In-n-Out during Club Row. Wants clubs to check out their booth during Club Row.

IX. ADJOURNMENT – 5:23pm

Motion to adjourn: PHA, seconded Investment and Entrepreneurship Club