



ASBTC

Associated Students of Bellingham Technical College

Senate Meeting

Striving for Student Success

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Minutes

May 7, 2014

- **Call to order:** Meeting called to order by President Marlon Jennings at 11:11am.
 - **Attendance:**
 - ❖ Racheal, Ryan, Gagan, Sam, Jennifer, Marlon, Mike
 - ❖ Absent: Amanda (excused)
 - ❖ Advisors: Nicole
 - ❖ Clerical Support: Linda Ruthrauff
 - **Reading and Approval of Minutes:**
 - ❖ Motion to approve Minutes with pending changes by Geomatics and CNET 2ND, all approved
 - **Standing Reminders:**
 - Know Roberts Rules of Order
 - Report to your Programs

Senate expectations:

 - Take notes
 - Be actively involved
 - Conduct yourself in a professional manner
 - Follow Roberts Rules of Order
 - Report to your program.
 - **Attendance:** Marlon shared the current attendance. For any questions about their programs attendance, please talk to Gagan.
 - **Visitor** – Holly Vough, Whatcom volunteer center. Seeking volunteers to meet community needs. Address 301 W. Holly Street, website Whatcomvolunteer.org
- Motion to limit funding request questions to 4 by HVAC, Culinary 2nd, 2 abstentions, approved.
- **Funding Request:**
 - ❖ ADN - Requesting \$1,574.00 for licensure for 6th quarter students. Motion to approve by Civil, HVAC 2nd, all approved.
 - ❖ ADN - Requesting \$1,574.00 for 4th and 5th quarter students to tour UW simulation lab. Motion to approve by Legal Admin, Geomatics 2nd, all approved.
 - ❖ ADN - Requesting \$787.00 for 3rd quarter students ACLS certification for 15 students. Motion to approve by Civil, Legal Admin 2nd, all approved.

- ❖ Electronics- Requesting \$2,000.00 for tour of Intel Oregon Information Center. Monies will be used to pay for transportation, lodging, and food for 6 students. Motion to approve by Fisheries, ADN 2nd, 1 abstention, approved.
- ❖ Electrician – Requesting \$990.42 for 23 students to tour Diablo Dam. Monies will cover transportation and lunches. Motion to approve by Dental Assisting, Welding 2nd, all approved.
- ❖ CNET – Requesting \$5,000.00 for networking event at WWU Lakewood facility. Motion to approve Electrician, HVAC 2nd, 3 abstentions, approved.
- ❖ HVAC – Requesting \$3,515.00 for First Aid/CPR training for 37 students. Motion to approve by AND, Electricians 2nd, 1 opposed, 5 abstentions, approved.

➤ **Elections:**

Congratulations to our new Director of Communications, Dimitri Sullivan.

➤ **Announcements:**

- ❖ Student Ambassadors needed, if interested contact Alyssa Jones in Admissions/Student Resource Center, email ajones@btc.ctc.edu or call 360-752-8345
- ❖ PAWS and Pet the Puppies! Pet Partners and Whatcom Therapy Dogs are coming to BTC campus! May 12 – 14 and May 19 – 21 11:00 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Locations: Mondays @ Haskell foyer, Tuesdays @ G Building foyer, and Wednesdays @ College Services foyer. Questions? Contact Chris Eder 360.752.8572 or ceder@btc.ctc.edu
- ❖ Get 10% off on Tuesdays in the campus store when you sport your BTC gear. There will be a “mobile-store” in the cafeteria from 11am-12:30pm on Tuesdays. Come and enjoy games, promos, discounts, plus more.
- ❖ Cafeteria- On Tuesdays, purchase a meal for \$3.50 or more and receive a free cookie.
- ❖ Coffee Shop- On Tuesdays, receive double stamps when sporting your BTC gear.
- ❖ ASBTC is now on Facebook, check it out and like it!
- ❖ BTC library is on Facebook.
- ❖ The library is open on weekends! Saturday 1:00 – 4:00 pm
- ❖ SVA BTC meeting 5/08/14 building G in Rm. 102A.
- ❖ PTK meeting on 5/13/14 building G in room 102A.
- ❖ Towel drive drop box by campus store, inside Haskel, and in cafeteria. Also collecting toothbrushes and toothpaste.
- ❖ Blood Drive May 16, 2014 from 9 am – 3 pm sign up in cafeteria. Mobile unit will be on the north side of G building.
- ❖ Inclement weather information-call 360-752-8SNO.
- ❖ There will be a senate meeting on 5/14/14 in Settlemyer Hall at 11:10 am
- ❖ 20-40 students needed to volunteer for the Ski to Sea Event on May 26, 2014. Contact Maddy Hair at volunteer@skitosea.com.
- ❖ Welding Rodeo May 16 – 17, 2014
- ❖ Last day of the quarter is June 24, 2014
- ❖ Summer and Fall continuing program student registration access times and program course offerings will be posted online May 12, 2014
- ❖ Nicole Piscapo would like your feedback on the portal, contact her for more information.
- ❖ No additional program funding is available.

❖ \$5,800 end-of-year BBQ funds still available. First come, first serve basis, hurry!

➤ **Motion to adjourn**

- Motion by HVAC and Deisel 2nd, all approved at 11:56am.

Senate Meeting Minutes Approved By:

Jennifer Oakes, Director of Administrative Affairs-Minutes

Marlon Jennings, ASBTC President

Program: _____
Senator: _____
Instructor _____
Date: _____