Thelomathesian Society
Minutes
September 9th, 2015

I. Call To Order
Meeting called to order at 7:06 PM, Wednesday, September 9th, 2015. The Hannon Room.

II. Attendance

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III. Officer Reports
a. Christopher DiMezzo: Rotating Proxies, dress code, Prudence Deshene will be the CCO chairman
b. Sarah Evarts: 14 Tripartite Committees will be selected, email Sarah if you have a preference
c. Andrew Haux: Connecting student body and the board of trustees
d. Jeanette Gitobu: Accounts of all SLUSAF funded organizations, budget for the semester: $56,000
e. Ryan Orvis: Under 50% selection rate with the senate, diverse group

IV. Committee Chair Reports

Christopher Hyde: Academic Affairs
Goals: Post syllabi on APR 2 before classes are picked

Thomas Powers: Campus Entertainment
Goals: Kan-Jam Tournament Friday, more activities throughout campus
More events such as ATO hockey from last year, midnight finals breakfast

Prudence Deshene: Canton Community Outreach
Active Chair, will give messages through one of CCO members
CA, will be missing first few meetings

Mariah Dignan: Environmental Conservation Chair
Goals: Work on recycling and signs on composting system
Negawatt

Nils Tangemann: International Committee
Goals: Work with international student orientation, mix domestic and international students

Kyani Vazquez: IT Chair
Goals: Charging Stations, Speakers on the SC wall with aux cord to the SC desk
Innovation Grants

Grace King: Public Relations
Goals: Working on promoting Thelmo throughout campus, Social Media Channels

Maya Williams: Student Life
Goals: SAGA, LGBTQ, Stand By Me, Speak Out – Common communication between groups
Title 9 Sexual Assault: Senators must finish before next meeting
Parking problem on campus

Matthew Bauer: Elections

V. Old Business

VI. New Business

R. Christopher DiMezzo: Orientation with the Senate

R. Christopher DiMezzo
No phones during meetings; please reread the Senate handout
“Debate for” speaking too contingency one believes is beneficial
“Debate against” speaking against a contingency one believes isn’t beneficial
“Speak too” speaking too a contingency point raised
Repeat & Motion To Vote (if seconded, roll is called)
Club Status and Contingency Requests

Approval of New Justices: Student Judiciary Board

President Orvis
Can I have the Chief Justice of the Student Judiciary Board, Josh Eng, please come forward?
Josh Eng
Hold hearings for students that violate the student handbook
Asking Thelmo for ratification for 4 new members for judiciary board
    2 new sophomores: Devon Staekowski 18’ and Sarah Morosko 18’
    2 new members hired by Jacob Hurlbutt: Alex Dahl 17’ and Alex Perry 17’
Grace Lennon as assistant Justice

President Orvis
Are there any questions for the J-board?

O.J. Josiah
How many members are currently on J-Board?

Josh Eng
8 members

Senator Jennings
Interview Process?

Josh Eng
We send out an application to the list serve and compare all of the applications.
Senator Pitcher
Where can a student find the student handbook?

Josh Eng
On the St. Lawrence website, type the student handbook into the search bar.

President Orvis
Questions? No. All in favor?

Unanimous
“I”

Lisa Cania: Vice President of Community & Employee Relations

President Orvis
Can I have Lisa Cania come forward to tell us more about Title IX online Training?

Lisa Cania
In July, Governor Cuomo signed “Enough is Enough” legislation for universities throughout NY
All student leaders in New York State are required to complete training before serving role as a student leader
Each student has a customized link to the training software to determine who has completed training. Students found guilty will have a notation on their transcript about the violation of the code of conduct (if suspended, expelled, or student withdraws). Posters throughout campus, affirmative consent brochures, definition in booklet.

President Orvis
Questions?

Senator Adams
Will the training that is required to do for Thelmo the same training as last semester?

Lisa Cania
It is the same training; we are doing this on an annual basis. We found this program and customized it to St. Lawrence. If you did it in the Spring, you must do it in the fall. Updated course.

Chair Tangmann
I see potential to improve training, what are some of the outlets for students to provide change?

Chair Williams
Planning a town-hall meeting to discuss online training, straighten these out with students.

Lisa Cania
At the end of the training there is an opportunity to leave comments, every comment is read.

Senator Greene
When is the required completion date for the general student body? Who can we contact if we have lost that email?

Lisa Cania
MDoyle@stlawu.edu
Deadline for the student body is the academic year.

Senator Fisher
Is there a penalty put in place in case a student doesn’t complete training?

Lisa Cania
Student leaders will not have access to SLUWire and communicate with members, athletes cannot play unless they finish the training. Thelmo senate cannot be seated. For the general student body, no consequences because we don’t have the technology.
Dignan
What do students have to do to get the note on their transcript off their transcript?

Lisa Cania
The faculty is working together to decide under what conditions will that notation be lifted.

Dean Tolliver
Depends on seriousness of the assault, suspension means they can come back and we can remove that notation under certain conditions. Expulsion most often will not remove the notation.

Senator Fariday
Is the notation on the transcript for an individual just for sexual violence or any break of conduct?

Lisa Cania
Violence, by NY state law.

Senator Pitcher
Aside from training, are other outlets explored to increase awareness?

Lisa Cania
Absolutely, particularly through Maya’s committee
Hoping to bring to campus the One Love Foundation by the end of October, training for student leaders
Open to learn more about similar programs

Lisa Cania: Innovation Grants

Lisa Cania
President Fox began this program in 2010
Every semester, ideas invited from faculty/staff/students that will help campus life
Do not: hire staff, pay for travel, build/renovate spaces
Do: minor physical adjustments, assets to benefit the campus
Grants can be given up to $5,000 each, look at a number of criteria including those affected

Joe Keniston: Homecoming & Laurentian Engagement

President Orvis
Will Joe Keniston please come forward to speak to us about Homecoming?

Joe Kenison
Job is to bridge the gap between the students and the alumni, as well as the university
Seeking help from the Senators to communicate ideas and programs for Laurentian Engagement
Homecoming- working to innovate and have student volunteers
Friday October 9th, planning a mud-run with “swag” and gear
Increase communication with the campus to increase the tent party and food

Senator Ranger
For an idea, are we trying to create an easier way for alums to travel ie. Buses?

Joe Keniston
Geography of SLU makes this difficult, working to create or potentially invest in a bus to have for alumni events

Senator Nickerson
Alcohol policy at Homecoming?

Joe Keniston
There is no alcohol policy, however alcohol will not be served and there will be security around the sports events

Chair Dignan
To speak to Joe’s point, there will be faculty and staff throughout the event, do not want to be openly intoxicated

Senator Jennings
How can we get in touch with you?

Joe Keniston
My office is 40 E Main St. or you can email me

Chair Tangemann
Many of the international students have no idea what Homecoming is, very American concept. Perhaps can you clarify on posters what it is for those students?

Joe Keniston
Yes

President Orvis
Further Questions? No? Thank you Joe.

John Robert O’Connor: Director Of Student Activities and Leadership

John Robert O’Connor
Introduction, new Director of Student Activities and Leadership
Room 225 of the student center
Emoji-Summaries on SLUWire

*R. Christopher DiMezzo: Presentation on ‘Slack’ Group Manager*

Christopher DiMezzo
All communications with Thelmo will be through the application “Slack”

Total Sum Distributed from Thelmo: $0.00

Meeting is adjourned at 8:46pm

Respectfully submitted by Secretary Christopher