



**West Virginia University
Residence Hall Association
General Business Meeting
February 19, 2017
Bennett G05, 7:00 p.m.**

I. Call to Order

II. Roll Call

Bennett Tower	2 reps	3
Boreman	full	3
Braxton Tower	1 pres 1 rep	3
Brooke Tower	full	3
Dadisman/Stalnaker	empty	3
Honors	full	3
Lincoln	full	3
Lyon Tower	full	3
Oakland East	1 rep	3
Oakland West	full	3
Seneca	1 pres 1 rep	3
Summit	2 reps	3

III. Reading and Approval of the Minutes

IV. Treasurer's Report

- a. Working on budgeting for NACURH
 - i. Delegate cost was revealed to be lower than expected
- b. Working on keeping community council budgets up to date
 - i. Next meeting, balance updates will be presented
- c. Modernizing the main account
 - i. Minimizing payments on unnecessary accounts
- d. Contract with NRHH to fund their organization (similar to RAC)
- e. True Blue money due today
 - i. MountaineerTHON event coming: April 7th

V. SGA

- a. Sydney Luther (VP), Tyler Brewster (Pres), Mason Arbogast (Sen), Alex Martin (Sen)
- b. Platforms:
 - i. Sydney: freshmen experience, upperclassmen floors in residence halls, push for student organization involvement in Welcome Week
 - ii. Mason: collaborating with Dining for rollover on Meal Swipes/Dining Dollars, create positions within SGA to give freshmen more of a voice (freshmen affairs officer), involve hospital in Welcome Week more
 - iii. Alex: more intentional with welcoming international residents, work to extend package pick up to Sat, permanent egaming area
 - iv. Tyler: ways to stop racism on campus (education) → create more programming to educate on different cultures (diversity training in freshmen seminar), planned a safety walk (identify hazards to pedestrians - crosswalks, unlit areas)
- c. Passed around clipboards, they need signatures to be placed on the ballot

VI. RBC Update

- a. WE WON!!!!
- b. RBC 2019 will be at WVU!
- c. Saved video of the reveal for next meeting, due to technical difficulties
- d. Alex is no longer NCC

VII. NRHH

- a. Casey Johnson, President
- b. Who is eligible?
 - i. any student who lives on campus
 - ii. top 1% of on-campus leaders
- c. What is NRHH?
 - i. leadership-based honorary
 - ii. two pillars: service and recognition
- d. Where?
 - i. Chapter meetings: G05 Bennett Tower
- e. When?
 - i. Chapter affiliated in May 2017
 - ii. Inductions: April 15, 2018
 - iii. Chapter meetings: every other Sunday at 6 pm
- f. Why?
 - i. Huge resume builder

- ii. \$0.00 in dues, FREE for life
 - g. How can you get involved?
 - i. Applications open now until March 18th (Sunday after spring break)
 - ii. Must have lived on campus a full semester before applying
 - iii. Must have at least a 2.5 GPA
- VIII. MountaineeraTHON
 - a. Levi Huff, executive director
 - b. Student run movement that benefits Children's Hospital at Ruby
 - c. Money raised this year going towards building a teen room in the new hospital
 - i. Goal to allow patients a chance to be a kid again
 - d. Very thankful for our help, its making a real impact
- IX. Program Proposal: Honors Ski Trip
 - a. presenters: Honors
 - b. Ski/Snowboard trip at Canaan Valley
 - c. Bringing 2 vans with 22 residents and 2 RAs
 - d. Based cost off no one having gear
 - e. Lunch will be catered by Dining and use a students' meal swipes
 - f. Hall contributing \$660
 - g. Motion to vote by acclamation on full amount
 - h. asked for: \$374 (treasurer suggestion: \$374)
 - i. vote: acclamation - passes unanimously
 - j. received: \$374
- X. Program Proposal: Magic the Gathering Club, \$5 Draft
 - a. presenters: Brady Heater (president), Brandon Unger (VP)
 - b. organization plays MTG, Dungeons and Dragons, etc
 - c. similar to \$5 draft hosted last semester
 - d. creating a deck can get pricey, \$5 draft makes trying the game affordable
 - e. Event is this Saturday 2/24, 5 pm hang out, 7 pm competition start
 - f. Will have card packs for a max of 32 (filled up last semester)
 - g. Will include cards advertising for RHA in decks
 - h. Motion to include amendment that MTG keeps a sign in sheet of attendees
 - i. Motion to vote by acclamation on full amount with amendment
 - j. asked for: \$285.75 (treasurer suggestion: \$285.75)
 - k. vote: acclamation - passes unanimously
 - l. received: \$285.75

XI. Community Council Reports

Bennett Tower	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● candy grams ● planning talent show, march madness activities
Boreman	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● talent show on March 4th, march madness
Braxton Tower	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● candy grams, matching donations to True Blue ● casino night, march madness
Brooke Tower	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● polar plunge ● book drive for children's hospital ● talent show for March 6th
Dadisman/Stalnaker	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● talent show ● Easter egg hunt
Honors	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● karaoke night ● crush grams ● food drive ● ski trip
Lincoln	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● food drive ● 2/22 - Purim event ● talent show
Lyon Tower	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● recycling event ● talent show w/ Bennett, 2/27 ● angel investor for water bottle filler
Oakland East	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Pie your RA event ● talent show
Oakland West	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Blood drive ● talent show ● trip to zoo
Seneca	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Valentines day party → made cards ● Canvas party ● end of the year cookout ● talent show Wed
Summit	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● talent show ● paint n sip event

XII. Elections

- a. Application link on website under Documents
- b. Email sent out when it went live
- c. Share with halls/community councils
- d. Can hold any position except president as an RA



- e. E board members have opportunity to represent WVU at National/Regional Conferences
 - f. Applications due Monday, 2/26 at 7 pm
 - g. Elections held during 3/5 meeting
- XIII. Talent Show
- a. Send in names by 3/19
 - b. If possible, send an alternate name as well just in case
- XIV. NACURH
- a. applications will be available soon
 - b. held in May at Arizona State
- XV. Adjournment

Office Hours: Bennett Tower G124

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Wednesdays 3:15-4:45 pm

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