



**West Virginia University  
Residence Hall Association  
General Business Meeting  
October 23, 2017  
Honors Hall Media Room, 7:00 p.m.**

I. Call to Order

II. Roll Call

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

III. Reading and Approval of the Minutes

- a. Minutes are posted on the website
- b. email Secretary Sarah Morgan at [szmorgan@mix.wvu.edu](mailto:szmorgan@mix.wvu.edu)

IV. Program Proposal: Walking Dead Halloween Extravaganza

- a. Step Contest and Halloween Party
- b. amendment to reduce amount to \$176.00 → passes 6:4
- c. presenters: Lincoln Hall
- d. asked for: \$216.78
- e. treasurer suggestion: \$176.00
- f. vote: by acclamation → passes
- g. received: \$176.00

- V. Program Proposal: Halloween Party
  - a. Social event to promote Community Council
  - b. Pumpkin Carving, snacks, and games
  - c. presenters: Oakland East
  - d. asked for: \$247.18
  - e. treasurer suggestion: \$247.18
  - f. vote: by acclamation → passes
  - g. received: \$247.18
  
- VI. Program Proposal: Pottery Night
  - a. Wow Factory would come and bring supplies for residents to paint a piece of pottery
  - b. Residents would pay \$5 and asking RHA to pay \$5 per resident
  - c. presenters: Honors Hall
  - d. asked for: \$250.00
  - e. treasurer suggestion: \$250.00
  - f. vote: by acclamation → passes
  - g. received: \$250.00
  
- VII. Program Proposal: Fright Farm Trip
  - a. Planning to take 20 residents this Sunday
  - b. buy 4+ tickets on Sunday receive \$5 off each ticket
  - c. presenters: Brooke Tower
  - d. asked for: \$480.00
  - e. proposal suspended indefinitely
  
- VIII. Program Proposal: The Great Pumpkin Fest
  - a. Residents will be able to carve, decorate, or smash a pumpkin
  - b. Pumpkins will be first come, first serve
  - c. Amendment to increase amount to \$207.87 → passes by acclamation
  - d. presenters: Braxton Tower
  - e. asked for: \$145.51
  - f. treasurer suggestion: \$145.51
  - g. vote: by acclamation
  - h. received: \$207.87

IX. Guest Speaker

- a. Blake Humphrey, SGA President
- b. Listen and learn sessions
  - i. What they're working on
    1. Getting narcan in residence halls to combat opioid prevalence
    2. Increasing inclusivity during guest check-in at residence halls
    3. Celebrating positive aspects of WVU
  - ii. Ideas, concerns
    1. SGA is planning more outreach/community service events
    2. Contact him at [bnhumphrey@mix.wvu.edu](mailto:bnhumphrey@mix.wvu.edu)
    3. Add a shuttle for Evansdale students at future events
- c. More questions, attend SGA on Wednesdays

X. Community Council Reports

Bennett Tower	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Weekly movie nights in Gold Room at Towers</li> </ul>
Boreman	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Pie the RA went well</li> <li>● Possible a cooper's Rock trip</li> <li>● Free coffee and donuts for Kindness Day</li> <li>● Canned food drive in November</li> <li>● "Adopt" Children around Christmas to give them a great holiday</li> </ul>
Braxton Tower	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Horror movie night went well</li> <li>● Everyone invited to Pumpkin Fest</li> <li>● Planning a food drive</li> </ul>
Brooke Tower	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Pinterest Night went well</li> <li>● Planning a trip to the dog shelter in Fairmont</li> </ul>
Dadisman/Stalnaker	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Pumpkin carving event upcoming</li> <li>● Discussing quiet hours in study room and laundry situation</li> </ul>
Honors	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Flavors of Fall event upcoming</li> </ul>
Lincoln	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Halloween party and step contest this Friday</li> <li>● Book Drive was very successful</li> </ul>
Lyon Tower	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Halloween party on Monday</li> <li>● Working on getting a water filter in Towers</li> </ul>
Oakland East	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Halloween party</li> <li>● Door decorating contest on going</li> <li>● Petition to get cameras in the laundry room</li> </ul>
Oakland West	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Fright farm trip this Wednesday</li> <li>● Movie night on the turf went well</li> </ul>

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Door decorating contest on going</li> </ul>
Seneca	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Karaoke night went well</li> <li>• Planning a pinterest night, boys and girls club event, Halloween party</li> </ul>
Summit	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Boys and Girls coming for a Halloween event</li> <li>• Paint and Sip in the works</li> </ul>

- XI. Advisor's Report  
 a. Great job today

- XII. Adjournment

**Office Hours: Bennett Tower G124**

Tuesdays 9:30-10:30 am  
 Wednesdays 3:15-4:45 pm  
 Fridays 10:00-11:00 am and 12:00-1:00pm  
 Saturdays 2:00-3:00pm

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