



STUDENTS ADVOCATING FOR STUDENTS

**LOS MEDANOS COLLEGE ASSOCIATED STUDENTS MINUTES**

**DATE:** 3/4/19 **TIME:** 1:00 pm – 3:00pm **LOCATION:** SS4-412

**Present:**

**President:** Priscilla Tatmon

**Vice-President:** Dale Satre

**Treasurer:** Jessica Wilson

**Commissioner of Campus Events:** Sierra Abel

**Publicity and Outreach:** Vacant

**Senators:** Earl Almazan, Shagoofa Khan, Joye Carter, Christian Ortiz, Deborah Tatmon, Hao Xuanwen, Alyssa Compton

**Student Representatives:** Vacant

**Advisor:** John Nguyen

**Absent:** Sierra Abel

**Minute Taker:** James Lee

**Guests:** Chisom Iwunze, Thyra Cobbs, Andy Li, Esperanza Rojas, Jocelyn Villalobos, Catherine Wood

ITEM #	TOPIC/ACTIVITY	OUTCOME
1	Call to Order	President Tatmon called the meeting to order at 1:02pm
2	Approve: I. Agenda II. Minutes from the 2/25/19 meeting	I. Motion to approve the agenda 1. Priscilla Tatmon stated that she wants to add line item 13 where the idea committee comes in and discusses goals for feminine products A. Motioned by: Vice President Satre B. Seconded by: Senator Ortiz C. Motion passes 7-0-0 II. Motion to approve the 2/25/19 minutes. A. Motioned by: Treasurer Wilson B. Seconded by: Senator Tatmon C. Motion passes 7-0-0
<b>BUSINESS: REPORTS</b>		



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<b>3</b>	Public Comment	<p>A. Jocelyn Villalobos- Brought a trustee from Ward 4 of the Governing Board, Andy Li, to sit in on the meeting.</p> <p>B. Andy Li- Stated that he wants to change the image of community colleges so that people see them as good places.</p>
<b>4</b>	Officer & Senator Reports	<p>A. Shagoofa Khan- Noticed that the English department doesn't have a printer, just a small fridge. Suggested putting aside money for departments to have printers, fax machines, a refrigerator, or rooms where people can have a break, because the science building has most of those things.</p> <p>B. Priscilla Tatmon- Suggested having subcommittees, so that the senate can meet on its own time and then when coming to the LMCAS meetings during officer and senator reports, the subcommittees can share what they talked about.</p>
<b>5</b>	Advisor Report	<p>I. From Advisor Nguyen:</p> <p>A. Club Day is on 3/6/19 from 12:00pm-2:00pm. People can use venmo to pay for what clubs are selling. There will be a competition where there will be prize money for the 3 clubs with the best decorated tables. \$200 for 1st place, \$100 for 2nd, and \$50 for 3rd The three judges for the table competition will be President Bob, VP Gale, and the Dean of Students, Dave.</p> <p>B. Student Life has rented out Maya Cinemas for a free showing of Blindspotting. Premier is 3/14/19 and you must meet at 5:00pm. Must register online.</p> <p>C. The Blood Drive will be on 3/26/19 from 8:00-5:00pm in L-109. You are emailed if your blood saves a life.</p> <p>D. The Academic Competition is on 3/30/19 from 8:30am-3:00pm. There will be free breakfast, lunch, and an ice cream social. Applications are available in Student Life and the website.</p> <p>E. The LMCAS Senator Orientation is on 3/15/19.</p>
<b>6</b>	Committee Reports	<p>A. Jessica Wilson- The Grade Appeal Committee has not met yet, but it will on 3/13/19 from 3:00pm-4:00pm in CC3-322.</p>



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		<p>B. Shagoofa Khan- Was sick and in the hospital, so unable to attend the Professional Development Committee.</p>
<b>NEW BUSINESS</b>		
<b>7</b>	APAHE Conference	<p>I. From John Nguyen</p> <p>A. The conference is intended to educate people about the importance of Asian Americans and leadership in college settings. He has requested \$1100. 3 students want to go so far and 2 of them are from the senate. Attendees will learn what Asian Americans are facing in the community college system. Event is on 4/4/19-4/5/19.</p> <p>B. Deborah Tatmon stated that it is good to include members of the senators.</p> <p>C. John stated that he can look for funding elsewhere if the senate refuses.</p> <p>II. Motion to fund \$1100 for the APAHE Conference</p> <p>A. Motioned by: Senator Khan</p> <p>B. Seconded by: Senator Almazan</p> <p>C. Motion passes 8-0-0</p>
<b>8</b>	LMCAS Elections	<p>A. John stated that during elections students will be able to vote for their next President, Vice President, Treasurer, and Commissioner for the next academic year. All can nominate someone for a position and that person opportunity to accept or reject, if they accept then they must fill out a packet. Students can vote through their insite portal. Candidates can go around campus and ask people to vote for them. People that are in positions right now can still run for the same position or a different one.</p> <p>B. New senators must have attended 10 LMCAS meetings and 7 of them must be while as a senator to run in the election.</p> <p>C. If you are not running for a position, then you will be a part of the election committee next year. It will be responsible for the repercussions and violations committed during elections.</p> <p>D. 3/29/19 is when candidate nomination forms are due.</p>



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		<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>E. For expense reports candidates can campaign out of their own pockets, but no more than \$100.</li><li>F. If you are running unopposed, then you still need to run for the position.</li><li>G. Priscilla Tatmon stated that anyone who is running for the president position can come talk to her if they have questions.</li><li>H. Next week the senate will decide whether or not to approve the election packet.</li></ul>
<b>9</b>	Thyra Cobb's Interview	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>A. Is a woman of diversity, and works a couple jobs on the campus, such as the welcome desk, so she is very involved.</li><li>B. Confirmation next week.</li></ul>
<b>10</b>	Chisom Iwunze's Interview	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>A. Participated in a lot of clubs in his school in Nigeria, and can bring club activities to LMC.</li><li>B. Confirmation next week.</li></ul>
<b>11</b>	James Lee's Interview	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>A. Has an idea to give out information about events and opportunities on campus through a news section on Youtube. Is interested in witnessing how committees work.</li><li>B. Confirmation next week.</li></ul>
<b>12</b>	Active Shooter Awareness Week	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>I. From Esperanza Rojas and Jocelyn Villalobos<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>A. 4/8/18-4/11/19 will be a week that focuses on the issue of active shooters.</li><li>B. On 4/8/19, there will be a PowerPoint on how to survive an active shooter in I-109 from 10:00am-11:00am. Officer Mitch Brouillette will be the public speaker for it.</li><li>C. On 4/9/19 from 4:00pm-6:00pm, there will be free lessons on self-defense and first aid for students in the gym. The nursing department, EMT department, campus police, and drama department has a role playing event prepared about using basic aid to save lives.</li><li>D. On 4/10/18 from 10:00am-2:00pm, there will be a memorial in the outdoor quad, where people will set up pin wheels for students who died from public shootings.</li><li>E. On 4/11/19 from 3:30pm-5:00pm, a police chief will come and answer any question about</li></ul></li></ul>



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		<p>safety on campus in I-109.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>F. Budget is \$805.23 total.</li><li>G. Dale stated the need to look into what our police know to handle active shooters on campus.</li><li>H. Esperanza stated that the week will be good for knowing exit points, because the Brentwood campus has only 2 exits. That learning to barricade will be good to know too.</li><li>I. Senate will decide next week if they want to approve this.</li></ul>
<b>13</b>	IDEA Committee’s Progress on Feminine Products	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>I. From Catherine Wood<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>A. Has been working to get feminine hygiene products in the bathrooms on campus, depending on how much the products need to be utilized and refilled, she can have data to report back to the committee for the test run. Committee has brought this up with the President’s cabinet. Project is coming out of only her pockets at the moment.</li><li>B. Is looking for volunteers to help install and decorate the containers for the products.</li><li>C. The perspective is to start this at LMC and maybe spread to other places like the Brentwood campus.</li><li>D. A co-worker of hers at a conference at Skyline College for Women's History Month saw that they had little post-its with affirmations on all the mirror in the women's rooms on campus. Wants to know if any volunteers are willing to do something like that.</li></ul></li></ul>
<b>14</b>	Adjournment	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>I. Motion to adjourn meeting at 2:52 pm<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>A. Motioned by: Senator Almazan</li></ul></li></ul>