



**LOS MEDANOS COLLEGE ASSOCIATED STUDENTS MINUTES**

**DATE:** 10/1/18 **TIME:** 1:00 pm – 3:00pm **LOCATION:** Library Room 106

**Present:**

**President:** Priscilla Tatmon

**Vice-President:** Marayah Guinto

**Treasurer:** Dale Satre

**Commissioner of Campus Events:** Sierra Abel

**Publicity and Outreach:** Jessica Quintos

**Senators:** Marco Mendez, Jessica Wilson, Felero Smith, Dyana Ner, Love Pinnock

**Student Representatives:**

**Student Trustee:** Jocelyn Villalobos

**Advisor:** John Nguyen

**Absent:** Earl Russell Almazan

**Minute Taker:** James Lee

**Guests:** Odochi Nwokochah, Shagoofa Khan, Janiel Geerlings, Diamond Agee, Joye Carter, Teresea Archaga

ITEM #	TOPIC/ACTIVITY	OUTCOME
1	Call to Order	President Tatmon called the meeting to order at 1:01pm
2	Approve: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>I. Agenda</li> <li>II. Minutes from the 9/24/18 meeting</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>I. Motion to approve the agenda               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>A. Motioned by Commissioner Abel</li> <li>B. Seconded by: Senator Wilson</li> <li>C. Motion passes <b>7-0-1</b></li> <li>D. Motion to amend the agenda by changing the Amazon Kindles to Fires and the date</li> <li>E. Motioned by: Outreach Ambassador Quintos</li> <li>F. Seconded by: Senator Mendez</li> <li>G. Motion approved unanimously 7-0-1</li> </ul> </li> <li>II. Motion to approve of 9/24/18 minutes               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>A. Motioned by: Senator Wilson</li> </ul> </li> </ul>



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		<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>B. Seconded by: Outreach Ambassador Quintos</li><li>C. Motion to amend the 9/24/18 minutes by correcting a spelling error</li><li>D. Motioned by: Senator Wilson</li><li>E. Seconded by: Outreach Ambassador Quintos</li><li>F. Motion approved 9-0-0</li></ul>
<b>BUSINESS: REPORTS</b>		
<b>3</b>	Public Comment	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>A. Teresea Archaga: Updated the active club and inactive club list online.</li><li>B. Jocelyn Villalobos: Went to STAC meeting with AS presidents from other community colleges to discuss advertising campus events. Stated that the district got a new grant about OER's, which lowers the price for textbooks. UC Berkeley is putting on a leadership summit, which will help people be a better leader. CCC already established a DACA week.</li></ul>
<b>4</b>	Officer & Senator Reports	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>A. Marco Mendez- He emailed the Dean of Success for Students at the Brentwood campus, Gail Newman, about how there are no microwaves there. He has invited her to the next LMCAS meeting to talk about it more.</li><li>B. Dale Satre- He and President Tatmon went to the Grade Appeal Hearing, which went well. Enjoyed hearing Chris Mattera speak in the Recital Hall. Stated that few people went to the YAF Conference last semester and thinks LMCAS should weigh the intellectual value for these kinds of events with the amount of students who want to attend them.</li><li>C. Jessica Wilson- Stated that the blood drive was a success. Noted that lots of people were talking about the voting event and wanted to know how it was made well known. Met a disabled man at the food pantry who told her that he was annoyed about all the new buildings being made and at the same time some of the disabled buttons that open doors are broken and asks if any help can be given. Wants people from LMCAS to be more direct in telling people about the Halloween event, such as telling them during tabling hours. The food</li></ul>



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		<p>pantry is thinking about making an online sign in sheet and will let the board know if it goes through.</p> <p>D. President Tatmon- Attended the STAC meeting and talked about different promotion ideas for the campus talked to the advisor from DVC about how to promote events at LMC. Talked about OER's and how scanners are put in the DVC library so that textbooks and other resources can be copied, and thinks it is something to consider at LMC. During the voting event, she got good feedback from it and thinks it is something good to do again in the future. Stated that the Grade Appeal hearing was successful in getting everyone to collaborate and make positive decisions.</p>
<b>5</b>	Advisor Report	<p>I. From Advisor Nguyen:</p> <p>A. Need volunteers for workshops at for the Impact Conference.</p> <p>B. Applications for senators close today and there are only 2 spots left. Orientation for current senators is in 2 weeks.</p> <p>C. Read out a list of committees for any board members who might be interested in joining them. Members also named some committees not on the list.</p>
<b>6</b>	Committee Reports	<p>A. Marayah Guinto- Stated that there will be an OER meeting next Tuesday in room CC-103 from 4:00-5:00pm</p> <p>B. Dale Satre- He is going to an Accreditation meeting today and tomorrow.</p> <p>C. Sierra Abel- Stated that the next Idea Committee meeting on 10/18/18 from 2:30-3:50pm. Went to an Academic senate meeting. Stated that the senate is a mess due to how they were talking about many rules and orders to get rid of things. She will be on the agenda for next week to talk about the reflection rooms with the senate and is hoping that any board members can come and support her.</p> <p>D. Teresea Archaga- Met with LMC's Dean to get the space for the reflection room and he told her that it will be held in the office of Student Life in the Conference room</p>



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		E. Priscilla Tatmon- She will be giving some kind of presentation at the Accreditation meeting today
	<b>NEW BUSINESS</b>	
<b>7</b>	IDEA Committee Presentation	I. The representative never showed
<b>8</b>	Odochi Nwokochah's Confirmation	I. Motion to confirm Odochi Nwokochah to the Senate A. Motioned by: Treasurer Satre B. Seconded by: Senator Wilson C. Motion approved unanimously <b>8-0-1</b>
<b>9</b>	Diamond Ager's Confirmation	I. Motion to confirm Diamond Ager to the Senate A. Motioned by: Treasurer Satre B. Seconded by: Vice-President Guinto C. Motion approved unanimously <b>9-0-1</b>
<b>10</b>	Joye Carter Interview	I. From Joye Carter A. She is joining to put together a symposium to help students get financial information. Believes that it will be helpful for adults and the community. Wants to be a voice at local high schools. Can help LMCAS by doing outreach where she will tell students about what to do in the future. Believes employment and busy schedules are problems for returning students.
<b>11</b>	Janiel Geerlings Interview	I. From Janiel Geerlings A. Can bring his experience of how student government worked at his private school to LMCAS as well as his leadership roles. Plans to make programs for students who feel isolated and are lacking in any support where they can interact with each other. Plans to let mentally ill students know about resources like counseling. Believes students do not seek out leadership, because they are afraid to ask for it.



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<b>12</b>	Shagoofa Khan Interview	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>I. From Shagoofa Khan<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>A. She was involved in many organizations and programs like School Site Counsel and tobacco prevention. Has a passion towards empowering youth members. Plans to reach out to incoming freshmen by telling them about LMC's resources to keep them informed. States that if she gets her position in Public Office, she can be a senator and maintain her position, because she is good with her time management skills.</li></ul></li></ul>
<b>13</b>	DACA Week Activities	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>I. From Jocelyn Villalobos:<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>A. Suggests doing DACA week from 10/15/18-10/19/18. She will help with the events, but states that she is not running them.</li></ul></li><li>II. Ideas from LMCAS<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>A. Suggests that for Monday, people could post DACA stuff on social media and counseling resources could be provided. On Tuesday, people could be given handmade butterflies as a symbol, along with a long poster with a butterfly on it. People could also write letters to students on the DACA panel. On Wednesday, people on the panel could read aloud the letters. United By Dreams could be invited to give an open dialogue. A debate could also be put on that is about being for and against DACA. On Thursday, there could be workshops about what DACA is and how to support it. No ideas were given about what to do on Friday.</li><li>B. Suggests that board members put some of their time to help out on any days they are free.</li></ul></li></ul>
<b>14</b>	LMCAS Priorities	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>I. From President Tatmon<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>A. Continuing Mustang Discounts this semester, where students can get discounts at restaurants LMC is partnered with.</li></ul></li><li>II. From Treasurer Satre<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>A. She thinks she can work with him and approve some money, but total budget will not</li></ul></li></ul>



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		<p>work logistically.</p> <p>III. From Commissioner Abel</p> <p>A. Wants to do a big event, and suggests doing a multicultural week. The board thinks about doing a color run as the big event, instead</p> <p>B. Making office hours a priority. Believes it is good for publicity.</p> <p>IV. From Vice-president Guinto</p> <p>A. Making Joye Carter’s symposium a sub-event.</p> <p>V. From Senator Mendez</p> <p>A. Suggests adding more bios on the bulletin board to boost LMCAS presence.</p>
<b>15</b>	LMCAS T-Shirts	<p>I. Not enough time, so the topic was moved</p> <p>A. Motion to table the topic for next week</p> <p>A. Motioned by: Senator Mendez</p> <p>B. Seconded by: Senato Smith</p> <p>C. No votes were counted</p>
<b>16</b>	Drawings for Amazon Fires	<p>I. From Advisor Nguyen</p> <p>D. Notices that kindles can only download books, so he suggests that they should be changed to fires since they can access the internet. The board agreed to get the fires instead.</p> <p>E. Motion to change kindles to kindle fires and not to exceed \$400</p> <p>F. Motioned by: Senator Wilson</p> <p>G. Seconded by: Vice-President Guinto</p> <p>H. Motion approved unanimously 11-0-0</p>



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<b>17</b>	Adjournment	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>I. Motion to adjourn meeting at 2:58 pm</li><li>A. Motioned by: Senator Mendez</li></ul>