Call to Order: The meeting was called to order at 9:01AM.


Secretary: Tollie Banker

Approval of Agenda: Tollie Banker made a motion to approve the agenda. Kristen Pieper seconded the motion.

Approval of Minutes: Dave Worley made a motion to approve the minutes. Shawn McKinney seconded the motion.

Chair’s Report: (Peggy Gleason/ Anthony Sardone) Peggy attended IAC at Ybor last month. IAC has been restructured this year and is working towards being more purposeful. It appears that so far these changes have been successful. Peggy brought up the issue of Skateboarding. She contacted the appropriate contacts and found out that the official policy does not allow Skateboarding on campus due to liability issues. SouthShore is going to host the HCC Olympics next spring. There will be a presentation at All College day meeting this month. Peggy would like to form a CAC subcommittee to help plan this event.

Administrator’s Reports:

Yaima Serrano, Dean of Student Services - Yaima has hired two advisors. She is still looking for one more. The office downstairs has been completed and should have furniture by November.

Dr. Craig Hardesty, Dean of Academic Affairs - Not in attendance.

Dr. Witt, Campus President - Not in attendance.

Standing Committee: None at this time.

Old Business: None at this time. Bicycling.
New Business:

SGA Upcoming Events (Sara Crooke) – The Hispanic Heritage event went well. On October 7th SGA will host the “Think Fast” Breast Cancer Awareness event where students will be able to win cash prizes. SGA will host two upcoming fieldtrips including the Tampa Aquarium and Art Museum. There will be a “Day of the Dead” event later this month as well as a showing of the movie Maleficent on Halloween night. SGA will also take a group to the Bucs game later in the semester. SGA membership is up!

Kristine Thomas asked about student IDs being required for all SGA events. Sara responded that SGA will start cracking down on IDs and that all students will be required to have their IDs with them this year.

PTK Updates (Diego Grilli) – PTK is trying to organize. Normally the district office sends out a list of qualified members, which PTK then sends to their headquarters that then sends out invitations to students. PTK was just notified by District that it is no longer legal to send out student information to outside organizations. Now Karen Boosinger and Diego Grilli are having to send out invitations by hand, which is taking more time. They have not had a meeting this month.

SNA Updates (Sara Sanchez) - SNA will be going to the FNSA convention in Daytona Beach later this month. There will be 11 students in attendance. SGA is helping to fund this trip.

Collegiate 100 (Sheila McCants) – Collegiate 100 has a flash mob event coming up to raise awareness for Domestic Violence. There are a lot of events coming up. They will also have a HeartWalk coming up this weekend at Al Lopez park.

HCC Olympics (Peggy Gleason) – Peggy wants to form a SouthShore HCC Olympic committee. In November this committee will meet with the Ybor HCC Olympic committee to discuss planning. The hope is that this will be coming a rotating event moving from campus to campus each year. The event will most likely be on a Friday.

Peggy passed around a sign-up sheet for this committee. If you are interested please sign-up and Peggy will contact you later this month. This committee will count towards tenure.

Open Hearing:

The Tampa Bay Heart Walk is coming up on November 15th. If you would like more information, please contact Tollie Banker. If you are unable to walk, you can still donate.

There will be an Open House later this month. If you are interested in helping please contact Christina Sanchez.
Karen Boosinger is looking for Public Speech Teachers. Please contact her if you know of anyone who might be interested.

Trisha Blackburn, an SGA representative, has been approached by many students about seat covers for the toilets. This issue has already been addressed and, due to the campus’s pipes, the campus cannot use seat covers. Also a concern is that there are no shelves in the restroom stalls. Peggy will approach Dr. Witt about addressing this issue. She will report back in November. She also asked SGA to pursue this matter.

Wendy Pogoda brought up a concern that the walkways to the portables are very dark at night and in the mornings. Peggy will bring this up with Dr. Witt. In the interim, Peggy said that if you are concerned, to request a security escort.

Jon Martinez brought up a concern about the broken monitor in the library. It was supposed to be on the 2014 Capital Fund request but that request, unbeknownst to the library, was never filed. The library staff will pursue this matter and send their recommendation to Peggy. Jon also brought up the issue with the door to the Math Lab, which does not function properly. Dave Worley has approached maintenance but they cannot do anything because the trailers are rented. The trailer company has been approached and so far nothing has been done.

Students would like the bookstore to have healthier food and increased use of the recycling. Peggy recommended that anyone interested in recycling join the sustainability committee. Unfortunately an outside vendor stocks the bookstore’s food and there is little that the campus can do.

**Adjournment:** The meeting was adjourned at 10:15AM. Motion made by David Worley by and was seconded by June Fishbourne.