

#### WCSA Assembly Meeting Minutes

*October 30<sup>th</sup>, 2019* 

6:45- Prayer

#### Committee Reports

- Faculty Committees
  - Meeting with the Provost and Canvas (AL Shih) 6:50
    - Meeting will be held tomorrow
  - Meeting with the Board of Trustees (President Anderson) 6:55
    - "Get them fat, get them happy"
    - Meeting surrounding diversity and what President Anderson would like to be changed at Westmont
  - Meeting with Disability Services (Senators Ndayishimiye Uwineza and Senator Oyebade) 7:00
    - Serve over 10% of student body
    - Only has 2 assistants, feels understaffed, especially at the beginning of the year
    - Works with registrar to move classrooms to serve the student body
    - There is a waitlist for those who can receive services
    - Wishes there was more disability awareness
      - Doctor referral is necessary, too much time taken up
    - We want to give disability services more of a platform
  - Dining Commons Committee
    - Having fruit all day is too expensive
    - If people don't want all that is on the plate on Simple Servings, they can ask for specific parts of the meal
      - Can't post the hours because of campus planning
- Internal Committees
  - New Student Rentals (Senator Stagel) 7:10
    - Senator Stagel emailed Troy for more info about boogie boards
  - Conversations that Matter Vice (President Lee)
    - Impeachment
    - November 19th at Noon Teach In
    - Speakers tbd

#### **Old Business**

Bills

- OV Halloween Result (Senator Stagel) 7:15
  - About 75 people came, good community turnout, money well spent
- Students Hearing from Smart People (President Anderson) 7:20
  - 30 people applied

## Funding Proposals

Other

- GLC Jesus Art Show Update (Senator Fisk) 7:25
  - Talked to Jason Cha
    - "Epistemic violence on people of color"
    - More images would not address harm that white Jesus image has caused
    - Enforces power dynamic of white dominant religion
  - We as WCSA needs to serve student body, not necessarily ideology of individual faculty

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# New Business

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Funding Proposals

- ASA Funding Proposal 7:30
  - "Talk A(Bao)t It"
  - A screening of the short film Bao, a panel discussing themes from the film, and making & eating potstickers
    - Potstickers would be catered
  - Up to \$400 based on RSVP
  - November 16th

### Other

- Pickle Tree (President Anderson) 7:45
  - Alex & Angela revamping schedule
    - Senator Fisk & Senator Masso consulting with them
- Rolling Out of our Financial Situation at Westmont and Student Fee Dollars (BM Masso) 7:50
  - President Anderson approved \$170 in student fee dollars for 2020-2021 school year
  - Consider raising student fee dollars in two years for increase stipends

### Matters of Consideration

- Gradient and Dr. Schulze (President Anderson) 8:00
  - There will be more meeting to figure out philosophy of what it would look like in concrete terms
  - Student and administration input
- Funding Proposal Sheet (BM Masso) 8:05
- Big Talk and Big Ideas (Senator Fisk) 8:15
  - Two teams of council members

- Diversity (White Jesus in Prayer Chapel)
- Communication
- Sustainability

# Open Discussion & Parking Lot

8:15 - Adjourned