

Assiniboine College Students' Association  
 Student Council Meeting  
 January 15<sup>th</sup>, 2025

Minutes

**Present:** Alec Walters, Brielle Deschamps, Hardeep Singh, Jayden Klassen, James Jordan, Jimmy Teichroeb, Jordan Nunes, Monica Chira, Qinzhi Pan, Webber Xu, Natalia Loureiro, Hannah Avinante

**Present Online:** Alyssa Copones, Brianna Richard

**Absent:** Kayla Cool

**Staff Members Present:** Alyshia Holden

Item	Discussion	Action
<b>Call Meeting to Order</b>		<b>4:35PM</b>
<b>Land Acknowledgement-</b> Assiniboine College is privileged to provide learning opportunities on the lands of the Dakota Oyate, Nakoda Oyate, Ininiwak, Nehethowak, Nehiyawak, Anishininewuk, Denesuline, Anishinaabeg, and the National Homeland of the Red River Métis.		
<b>Approval of Agenda</b>		Be it resolved that the consent agenda be approved as presented. Motioned by Klassen. Seconded by Deschamps. Motion carried.
<b>Approval of Minutes</b>		Be it resolved that the minutes from the September 25 <sup>th</sup> , 2024, SAC meeting be approved as presented. Motioned by Jordan. Seconded by Nunes. Motion carried.
<b>Reports</b>		
<b>Executive Report- VP of Operations</b>		
<b>Executive Report- VP of Engagement</b>	<b>SOB 2.0 Update: Social tickets are here. Expectation is for everyone to sell 5 social tickets. Keep promoting the volleyball tournament registration.</b>	<b>Holden to get everyone the Etrasnfer information &amp; have Marketing Coordinator make a specific social post.</b>
<b>Executive Report- VP of Diversity and Inclusion</b>	First Wellness Wagon of 2025, provided hygrine products, chips ect. Was well received. Looking for help on Wednesdays between 12-1. Hoping to move this to the North Hill.	<b>Action: Holden will look into items for the NH such as deodorant, shoe spray</b>
<b>Executive Director Report</b>	Graduation Photos have been booked for Brandon, Winnipeg and Southport.	
<b>Old Business Review</b>		

<p><b>Paw Pass Update</b></p>	<p>Program Coordinator and Marketing &amp; Communication Coordinator met with BUSU. Concerns were understood by BUSU. Decisions made were:  Marketing: Possible revision of program to ask businesses to send us their ads and we promote.  Staffing: In the instance of a Marketing position being open, the VP of Engagement will take over (for BUSU)  Socials: reactivate the Paw Pass Insta and share the posts from that account to ACSA/BUSU pages.  Email/Engagement: Split up the work evenly ACSA (management and socials for companies A-M) BUSU (management and socials for N-Z)  Will be looking into Google Workspace as a way to stay organized.</p>	<p><b>Action: have the Pawpass Instagram Account reactivated by Mid February</b></p>
<p><b>New Business</b></p>		
<p><b>Gift Cards for Winnipeg Campus Survey</b></p>	<p>Wanting to have a ballot box to on campus to see what events the current students wouldn't like to see. There is a new intake, so they are wanting to see what they are interested.</p>	<p><b>Be it resolved that the ACSA approve the purchase of two \$25 gift cards for the Winnipeg campus survey.</b>  Motioned by Copones.  Seconded by Deschamps.  Motion carried.</p>
<p><b>Social Media Posts regarding Indigenous Territories and how to properly pronounce them.</b></p>	<p>Members thought it would be good idea to have the photo of the word, how to pronounce the word in writing and then do a voice over with how to say the word.</p>	<p>Action: to have the voice over section done by February 1.</p>
<p><b>Pool Table Purchase</b></p>	<p><b>North Hill needs new pool tables. Council members all agree that these need to be replaced. The trades advisory committee has been discussing this as well and was wondering if maybe one pool table and another game table should be purchased. Trades rep is going to speak with his committee and decide what they would like to purchase.</b></p>	<p><b>Be it resolved that the ACSA approves \$10,000 dollars to purchase game tables for the North Hill Campus. The ACSA approves these funds to be pulled from our savings account to pay for this purchase.</b>  Motioned by Klassen.  Seconded by Walters.  Motion carried.</p>
<p><b>ACSA App Creation</b></p>	<p><b>Day planners are a large cost and students seem to use them more as notebooks then as actual planners. Connected with Student VIP about the creation of an app. Council liked the idea but would like a survey to be sent out to the student body to see what they would like to actually see in an app.</b></p>	<p><b>Holden to create a survey and have it sent out asap. Keep open until end of January.</b></p>
<p><b>Year End Celebration</b></p>	<p>Council likes the idea of celebrating students but felt like this event may not be inclusive to celebrate all students.</p>	

	<p>The cost proposed by the college was \$25.00 a person and the council feels like students are not going to be able to pay this to attend.</p> <p>Propose to the college to have the first 100 students who sign up be free or have a student discounted cost to attend of \$10.00. The event needs to be more inclusive to all students having the ability to attend.</p>	
<b>Treasure Hunt Committee</b>	<p><b>Human and Health Rep wants to have a treasure hunt type event to get more students involved around the campus. Many students may not know about things that are offered to them so this would give them a chance to explore.</b></p> <p><b>Could be done as individuals or in groups.</b></p>	<b>Committee was created for planning to begin on this activity.</b>
<b>Round Table</b>		
<p><b>Looking to host something on April 3<sup>rd</sup> for International Party Day.</b></p> <p><b>Wanting to bring in a jigging Dancer for the start of March. This is a very welcoming dance that everyone can participate in.</b></p>		<p><b>Will bring this forward at the future.</b></p> <p><b>Will get a quote from the dancer.</b></p>
<b>Close Meeting</b>	<b>6:07pm</b>	<p>Be it resolved that the meeting be adjourned at 6:07pm. Motioned by Klassen. Seconded by James. Motion carried.</p>

**Meeting Minutes to be Signed by Executive Signing Authorities**

Name	Title	Signature
	President	
	Vice President	

**Date:**