

SGA Minutes
September 9, 2008

Opening Prayer

- Led by Class of 2009

Past Business

- 1st meeting introduction

Current Business

- ***Guest Speakers:*** Campus Ministry: Fr. Brian/FOCUS Team – FOCUS stands for Fellowship of Catholic University Students. FOCUS strives to bring leaders forward not only in campus ministry but throughout the University. The team attempts to promote The Big Three: sobriety, chastity, and academic excellence, and challenges students to live a more full life. The FOCUS team can be a resource for RA's and students. They hope to be a positive presence on campus and are currently forming Bible studies for students.
- Top Ten Overview
- Advisory Board applications - due Friday 12th at 5pm to Student Affairs or the SGA Exec office
- First Year Class Officer packets due Friday 12th at 5pm Student Affairs or the SGA Exec office
- Loyola game date change – Friday November 14th at Loyola. The game was previously scheduled for Saturday November 15th, which conflicted with the class of 2010 Ring Mass. The game will be televised and 3 busses have already been reserved to transport students to Loyola with the possibility of a fourth if there is enough interest.

Reports

- **Academic Affairs**
- **Advancement Committee**
- **CAB**
- **Campus Ministry**
- **Intercultural Development**
- **Community Outreach**
- **Commuters**
- **Dean of Students**
- **Dining Services**
- **Environmental Stewardship and Sustainability Committee**
- **Finance Committee**
- **Graduate Student Representative**
- **Information Technology**
- **Mount Spirit**
- **Public Safety**
- **Publicity**
- **Recreational Services**
- **Residence Life**
- **SAAC**
- **Seminarian Representatives** The four seminaries in the region get together and play a soccer tournament called the Rector's Cup. Every year it is a very good tournament. This year's Rector's Cup will be September 27-28 at Waldron stadium. The Mount has won The Cup the last 3 years running!
- **Class of 2012**
- **Class of 2011** – Last week t-shirts were sold, still trying to work out logistics for a Family Weekend event as well as drafting a letter for distribution to classmates asking for volunteers to sit on a class advisory board.

- **Class of 2010** - working out details for fundraiser, family weekend event, and drafting ad board letter
- **Class of 2009**- November 21st Fell's Point (date change) The officers went to the Hilton to see the location for Senior Formal. Working on sending out an email to classmates describing the location and providing information about Formal. Fundraisers and t-shirts are in the works. They are compiling a list of cool things to do around Emmitsburg and the Mount for family weekend.
- **Executive Board**
 - Budgeting week is here!
 - SGA retreat is Sept 28th at the Whyndam in Gettysburg. We are anticipating an approximately 10 am start.
- **SGA Advisor** –
 - SGA is not a normal club/org SGA is the only student run org that is a recognized branch of shared governance. The Board of Trustees looks to us to understand what the students want.
 - Discount Movie tickets – You can purchase passes to the outlet theater, passes \$7.00 and can be used at any movie, anytime. NFL Sunday Ticket has been purchased for Purcell! That means being able to view 5 games at a time on each TV. There are two TVs outfitted with Sunday Ticket so that up to 10 games can be viewed at once.

Open Forum

- The 2008-2009 Executive Officers introduced themselves
- 1st midnight showing is still in the works. Sean is working on some way to fund a shuttle off campus once a week. To travel from campus to the theaters to Wal-mart etc.
- Fr. Brian Nolan is our new campus Chaplin, he will be a part of the CSMO leadership retreat this weekend. Fr. Brian is very excited to work with SGA and students. He cites Campus ministry as his dream job and in addition to his many commitments to the University faith community he will also be the sports Chaplin for the Women's varsity basketball team.
- Tiki Dance has been rescheduled to Saturday September 13th due to weather. An email from CAB is forthcoming with more details
- The Memorial Service of Nicole Spencer is Wednesday September 10th at 5:00 pm in the Immaculate Conception Chapel

Intentions

- Led Class of 2010