

Interfraternity Council Meeting Minutes
April 21, 2009 9:30p.m.
UC Danforth

I. Call to Order

- a. Meeting was called to order by President Vinny Giacalone, Beta Theta Pi, at 9:30p.m.

II. Roll Call

- a. The Roll was called by Secretary, Kiran Vepuri, Theta Xi
Alpha Epsilon Pi – Present
Beta Theta Pi – Present
Delta Tau Delta (Associate Member Status) – Present
Kappa Delta Rho – Present
Kappa Sigma – Present
Phi Kappa Theta – Present
Pi Kappa Alpha – Present
Sigma Alpha Epsilon – Present
Sigma Nu – Present
Sigma Phi Epsilon – Present
Sigma Tau Gamma – Present
Theta Xi – Present
Zeta Beta Tau – Present

III. Adoption of Minutes

- a. The minutes were read and approved.

IV. Officer Reports

- a. Community Standards –Joey Raudabaugh, Pi Kappa Alpha - jraudaba@andrew.cmu.edu

Have a meeting with the head of UDC to talk about starting a Greek board.

We are still learning about the old Greek board with hopes to revitalize it. If it is done well we can take the place of UDC hearings.

- b. Community Relations – Chris Niessl, Sigma Tau Gamma - cniessl@andrew.cmu.edu

The pro-Greek trailer is being screened in Scaife Hall this Thursday from 9-11 PM.

The trailer will be showing with Slumdog Millionaire this Friday. We also need help to sell movie tickets.

- c. Recruitment Chairman – Damian Valdes, Sigma Phi Epsilon – dvaldes@andrew.cmu.edu

There will be a conference call with Kap sig, DTD, Aepi, Sigep with Josh from Phired Up to talk about further assistance for the upcoming rush season.

We are hoping to plan first year information sessions during orientation. We also want to compile all the rush calendars for a booklet to be ready for orientation.

- d. Housing Chairman – Ranjit (RJ) Korah, Kappa Delta Rho – rkorah@andrew.cmu.edu

Must clean off all your porches from booth stuff before 7 AM on Friday.

Lewis is checking to make sure that each house has worker's compensation insurance for our chefs.

- e. Risk Manager – Kris Mauclair, Phi Kappa Theta - kmauclai@andrew.cmu.edu

- f. Treasurer –Reyes Flete, Sigma Alpha Epsilon - rflete@andrew.cmu.edu

- g. Secretary – Kiran Vepuri, Theta Xi – kvepuri@andrew.cmu.edu

- h. President – Vinny Giacalone, Beta Theta Pi – vgiacalo@andrew.cmu.edu

We will be having ad space in the Tartan and a pro-Greek article.

Please forward all minutes to your members especially your exec board.

Met with the candidates for the new Dean of Student Affairs. We recommend Karen Boyd because she has the most Greek experience.

V. Old Business

VI. New Business

Motion to Allocate no more than \$50 to buy a gift for the Kathy O'Domes, the secretary of Student Life for all her help.

13 Voting Members Present

0 – Against

13- For

0- Abstain

Motion Passes.

Discussion with Lewis

There are some new basic requirements for kitchen use. All fraternity cooks must be certified by the Allegheny County. If that is not the case than the kitchen will be closed.

Question: Will the kitchen door physically be locked?

Lewis: I am still working on how to close the kitchens especially with people just using refrigerators.

The house manager will still have a key to the kitchen so that it can still be open for emergencies.

Question: Does all food have to be prepared by a certified chef?

Lewis: Yes, that is county code.

Question: What about just shutting the gas off? Is that a viable option?

Lewis: Houses can do that right now. We would do that if you didn't have a certified chef anyway.

Question: How often will you be making walkthroughs?

Lewis: As long as the kitchen is maintained properly, it will be about once a month.

Question: What about the summer meal plans from private vendors?

RJ: If any house is interested please notify me so that these organizations can prepare the labor force for the summer.

a. Open Forum

Chapter reports

Alpha Epsilon Pi

Beta Theta Pi

This chapter will be having a cook off on the 28th.

Delta Tau Delta

Kappa Delta Rho

Kappa Sigma

Phi Kappa Theta

BBQ on the Cut next Friday May 1st.

Pi Kappa Alpha

Sigma Alpha Epsilon

Pittsburgh Cares Sunday morning at 10 AM.

Sigma Nu

Sigma Phi Epsilon

10:30 to 4:30 this Thursday and Friday.

Sigma Tau Gamma

Theta Xi

Zeta Beta Tau

Next Monday is Get on the Ball philanthropy.

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VII. Adjournment

a. Meeting was adjourned by President Vinny Giacalone, Beta Theta Pi, at 10:00p.m.