



Knights of the Roundtable

Open Meeting

March 12, 2015

Student Center Auditorium

- I. Call to Order: Meeting called to order at 5:02 PM.
- II. Roll Call:
 - Tyne Potgieter: Athletic Knight (EA)
 - Edward Obsuth: Information Knight (P)
 - Teddy Babanao: Financial Knight (EL)
 - Brock Fraiser: Parliamentarian Knight (P)
 - Veronika Jouklova: Academic Knight (P)
 - Javier Anegon: International Knight (P)
 - Gary Pelletier: Secretary Knight (P)
 - Ruth Augustin: Public Relations Knight (P)
 - Cydney Schmidt: Student Life Knight (P)
 - Zara Applestein: Community Knight (V)
 - Kevin Studer: Clubs & Organization Knight (P)
 - Javier Odriozola Zalaf: Auxiliary Knight (UEA)
 - Dr. Phil Riordan: Advisor (P)
 - Dr. Theresa Osorio: Advisor (P)
- III. Approval Of Minutes: Gary to Edward at 5:03
- IV. Special Report: Maria Piret-Information Technologies: Office is in charge with all of the systems on campus. Starting on April 2nd there is online registration for upper classman. Any student with 60 credits or more. Students will be able to register for their courses. 45 or more and you can make a selection of credits then once the other 15 credits are in totally to 60 your courses can approve. Within 72 hours your advisor will look at your courses and will either approve or contact you for future discussion. The Registrar will be sending out an email, and if you have holds you will not be able to select courses. If you don't want to register on your own, you can meet with your advisor. There will be a tab on myLynn to get you to course registration.
- V. Reports
 - A. Financial Knight
 - i. Open Meeting Balance: \$8,000.76
 - ii. Funding: This is a large balance. If we don't have enough money spent Funding could be cut next year.
 - iii. Budget Meetings: There are two budget meetings hosted by Center of Student Involvement. The meetings will be on April 6-7th at 6 PM in ASSAF. See Jared Morrison if you have any questions.
 - B. Secretary Knight
 - i. Open Meeting in spring 2015: The last two open meetings in April and May will be held in the Henke Wing.
 - C. Athletics Knight

- i. Men's Basketball Team: has earned its first NCAA Division II Tournament bid in ten years. The team was selected as the sixth seed and will be playing third-seeded Alabama-Huntsville in the first round of the South Region tournament.
 - ii. Current Rankings
 - Lynn Baseball stays at No. 11 in the nation
 - Women's Tennis stays at No. 5 in the nation
 - Men's Tennis is ranked No. 9 in the country
 - Women's Golf is No. 2 in the nation
 - Men's Golf is No. 5 in the country
 - iii. Support: Please continue to support your fighting Knight teammates and classmates as they compete.
- D. Auxiliary Services Knight
- i. Hammocks: Adding Hammocks by the pool can happen in the near future.
 - ii. Speed Limit: There are new speed bumps by the West entrance area in the North lot. There are also speed limit signs on campus. The speed limit is 15 MPH.
 - iii. Parking Behind the Wold: The parking spots behind the Wold will stay closed. There are events that happen often at the Wold therefore the lot cannot be full with student cars.
 - iv. Animal Traps for Raccoons:
- E. Clubs/Organizations Knight
- i. President's Meeting: Clubs and Organization meeting was held last night see Jared if you didn't attend. The next meeting on April 8th.
 - ii. Knight of Honour Nominations: Send your nominations to Becca Bender.
 - iii. Space Requests: Over the past few weeks, the online space request system has been offline due to a new system going online. If you had submitted a space request through CSI, it is in the system. But requests will be delayed. If you have upcoming events speak with Jared Morrison.
- F. Parliamentarian Knight
- i. Elections: Officer Elections for next year should be starting by the end of next month. Start having conversations with your organization for new e-board members.
- G. Public Relations
- i. No Report
- H. Student Affairs Knight
- i. Dirt Lot: More patrols will be starting in the North Lot. KOR is looking into the lights on campus, in the North Lot.
 - ii. Bells around Campus: Bells on campus has had the volume lowered, by Auxiliary Services Knight.
- I. International Knight
- i. Celebration of Nations Week: Monday March 30th will be the flag raising ceremony, if you want to represent your country on the 30th or during the week speak to ISS.
- J. Information Knight
- i. New Printing Demonstration: Information Knight presented the printing video. There are printers on campus that allow you to print wirelessly. If you have any questions speak with IT.
- K. Advisors

- i. Blue Blitz Wednesday: Wednesday the 25th is Colon Cancer awareness event. To participate wear blue and send a photo to PRiordan@lynn.edu.

VI. New Business:

- i. Smoking Policy in the library: The smoking policy does not cover dip rules. KOR confirmed that dip is covered in the policy, and KOR will speak with the Library.
- ii. Fire Alarm: Students complained of the fire alarm going off at 2am on March 12th. Students said the alarm went off for five hours. International Knight reported that there was a system malfunction and to fix it a technician had to come and fix it.
- iii. Staircases in EML: People leave trash in the staircases of EML, and it smells. KOR said that signs can be made to control the problem.
- iv. Locked Side Doors: Students said they would like the building side doors to be locked. Student Affairs Knight said that the system is being worked on.
- v. Basketball Game: Going to games, a student mentioned that there is no transportation to games. Dr. Osorio said that there were busses and marketing done to get students to the away games, but there was not enough interest to have a bus go. In order to go there needs to be at least 25 people to go.
- vi. Tutoring center: For midterms and final exams the IAL will have extra tutors. DISCUSSION: Student said that you are not able to schedule for sessions ahead of time anymore including the Writing center. Academic Knight said that institute added this change for the spring semester. Dr. Osorio asked what the issue with writing center is. Students said that there aren't tutors available for walk ins in the writing center. Students also said that the writing center is no longer open on nights. Academic Knight will look into this. Academic Forum would be wanted by students. Parliamentarian said for a forum to take place a forum proposal needs to be drafted. A student also said that they would like to have list of what IAL students are paying for, because they feel what they are paying for is not what they are receiving. Academic Knight will stay after to speak to students.
- vii. Safety in all buildings: Students said that there is not even safety in each resident hall. KOR will be looking into this.
- viii. Students said that they are not being notified of changes on campus. Students requested a system to be in place for notification.
- ix. Gradebook: The link for Gradebook is having a problem with recording grades. Information Knight said that KOR is working on having previous semester grades posted. Financial Knight said that Gradebook is updated once Professor goes in and updates the grades.
- x. Uber policy: Students said that Uber does not go on the Potomac road entrance. Dr. Riordan said that there will be an email sent out on March 13th to address this issue.
- xi. Student told KOR that if online classes started to use iTunes U, people will not sign up for courses.

VII. Announcements:

- i. GSA is having a necessity product drive.
- ii. Spread the Word to End the Word 2015- The "R" word was a term originally used by doctors to define people with disabilities. Today people use it as term for dumb or stupid. Spread the word to end is an event that promotes equality

and respect for everyone. It raises awareness about the harmful effects that the “R” word has on individuals with intellectual disabilities and their loved ones. The Spread the Word to End the Word Committee would like to ask for your support and assistance. We would like you to be featured in our video by holding signs pledging to end the “R” word. Please send Gary Pelletier or Ashley Cacicedo your photo by Monday March 23rd. We also ask that you please attend our event on April 24th. We will be having our annual 5k run and awareness event.

- iii. Vagina Monologues: The Vagina Monologs is a series of comedic and serious monologs about the female body and domestic violence. The show raises money for women's shelters. The show is on March 19th at 7pm in the AG theater. The tickets are 5 dollars. This is a great cause. The women in the show are really excited and hope to see you there.
- iv. TiBET Monks: The Tibet monks will arrive next week and will work in the library all week.
- v. Best Buddies is taking part in a friendship walk in April for those with intellectual disabilities. Next Thursday there will be a fundraiser.
- vi. SAB: A relaxed music event we are looking for student performers to play music can be solo or full bands. Contact David Gibson from Student Activities Board. Contact by the 20th if interested. April 17th is day event.
- vii. DGibson2@email.lynn.edu
- viii. SAE is having a fundraiser on April 11th
- ix. Relay for Life committee looking for clubs to take part. If you would like Jerry Collinder to speak with your club let him know.

VIII. Adjournment: Secretary Knight made a motion to adjourn the meeting, Parliamentarian Knight seconded the motion. Meeting adjourned at 5:57 PM.