



Knights of the Roundtable

Open Meeting

April 9, 2015

Henke Wing

- I. Call to Order: Meeting called to order at 5:02 PM.
- II. Roll Call:
 - Tyne Potgieter: Athletic Knight (P)
 - Edward Obsuth: Information Knight (EA)
 - Teddy Babanao: Financial Knight (P)
 - 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)
 - Community Knight (V)
 - Kevin Studer: Clubs & Organization Knight (P)
 - Javier Odriozola Zalaf: Auxiliary Knight (P)
 - Dr. Phil Riordan: Advisor (P)
 - Dr. Theresa Osorio: Advisor (P)
- III. Approval Of Minutes: Parliamentarian Knight made a motion to approve March open meeting minutes. Student Affairs Knight seconded the motion, minutes approved at 5:02 PM.
- IV. Reports
 - A. Financial Knight
 - i. Open Meeting Balance: \$3,360.24 some clubs and organizations have not spent their budget. Remember that you can spend your budgets.
 - B. Secretary Knight
 - i. Open Meeting in spring 2015: There will be no May open meeting.
 - ii. Commencement: All graduating seniors need to be at the Wold Performing Arts Center at 8:30 AM on May 16th dressed for commencement.
 - C. Athletics Knight
 - i. Athletic Director: Currently there are interviews going on with staff and athletes to find the new Athletic Director.
 - ii. Athletic Updates: Baseball, Tennis, and Golf all have games going on still. Check website and text messages for game updates.
 - iii. Banquet: The Athletic Banquet is on April 28th starting at 7:30 PM in the Wold Performing Arts Center. All students are invited to attend.
 - D. Academics Knight
 - i. Academic Tests: Support for testing is being looked into. KOR is working with Academic Affairs and the IAL on this. Since the Writing Center has been

closed there has been more tutors brought in here are qualified to teach the GMAT, GRE, LSAT, etc. This will be starting in the 2015 Fall semester.

- ii. Registration: Register for your courses online, there has been an detailed email sent out.

E. Auxiliary Services Knight

- i. Report from Sodexo: Because of the off campus housing taking place next year. Sodexo has increased the meal plan options. There will now be a 25, 50, and 75 meal plan block. There is still access to a unlimited plan and if you would like to purchase, go online to SFS.

F. Clubs/Organizations Knight

- i. Budget Deadlines: Organizational budgets are due April 17th to Jared Morrison. If you have any questions speak with Jared.

G. Parliamentarian Knight

- i. No Report:

H. Public Relations

- i. KOR Applications: Applications are out and are due April 17th. If you have any questions speak with Dr. Osorio.

I. Student Affairs Knight

- i. No Report:

J. International Knight

- i. No Report:

K. Information Knight

- i. Suggestion Box (EMAILED REPORT): I am sorry I am unable to join you live and in person [tonight](#), but I am currently traveling with some of our drama students and conservatory to perform in Dublin.

Over the past few months I have been working on this special project that will hopefully be utilized to help the student body reach out to KOR.

While we have a suggestion box online, we seem to find most things are presented here, at open meetings, or people approach us individually to discuss issues. While this is great and we enjoy your feedback, I thought it would be nice to have an actual, real, tangible place where students can reach out to KOR anonymously if they wish. That is where this new suggestion box comes in.

This new box will live in the student center and be a place where all students can bring forth any issues or concerns they wish for us to address. It will be located in a high traffic area so it is easily noticeable. This box will also serve as a distribution center for our newsletter, so you, the students, can stay informed with what we are currently working on to better serve you as your student government.

We still welcome you to approach us in person or write to us online. This box is simply an additional way for you to voice your opinion.

It will be placed in the student center not only for convenience, but to also serve as a reminder that as a student at Lynn University, ***you do have a voice***. Lynn is ***our school***, and ***our home***, and we must work together as a student body to take good care of this wonderful place.

Since this is our last open meeting, I would like to close with saying thank you.

To my fellow Knights, it has been an absolute pleasure working with you, and I look forward to continuing our work together for the remainder of the school year.

I would like to thank Dr. Riordan and Dr. Osorio for being great advisors to us. Without

you, KOR would not be as successful as it is today.

And finally, I thank each and every one of you for attending our open meetings. Without you, all of this would not be possible, and KOR would not serve a purpose. So, ***thank you***, for working together with all of us, to take care of our home, Lynn University.

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L. Advisors

V. Old Business

- i. IAL: There is a information meeting/forum being made to discuss the IAL changes. Dr. Cox will be attending as well. There was no interest to have this meeting. Information was passed onto the Academic Knight.

VI. New Business:

- i. Cleaning for Events: Event requests are not fully presentable for events. Places have been messy, or missing items. This even happens at class events.
- ii. Speed bumps: The new speed bumps have been placed in the North Lot. Students would like to have more speed bumps present in the EML parking lot.
- iii. North Lot Parking Next Year: Parking for next year, what will be the set up for additional parking sense most people will be coming from off campus? Dr. Phil said that there would be designated parking spots for students and faculty. If either faculty or students do not follow this rule, tickets will be issued.
- iv. Scholarships: Loosing the Merit scholarships: Dr. Phil announced that everybody keeps their merit scholarship. Everyone will keep their scholarship the difference is that the scholarship will either go towards academics or study abroad.

VII. Announcements:

- i. Spread the Word: 5K fun run will be taking place Friday April 24th at 3:30 PM for registration, run starts at 5 PM at the University quad.
- ii. Wedding Feast-SRL is hosting their last event Monday April 27th The husband and wife are being voted on.
- iii. Knight of Honour: Will be taking place May 5th in the Wold at 6 PM
- iv. Capstone
- v. SAE will be doing a fundraiser at corner bakery this Saturday for the Children Miracle network.
- vi. ZBT and SAB will have a glow in the dark themed event on April 28th.
- vii. Animal Welfare Club is having a electronics drive.
- viii. Animal Welfare Club is doing a pet CPR class on April 25th.
- ix. Next Thursday, April 17th at 7 pm Hillel will have a holocaust survivor event in the Henke Wing.
- x. April is sexual assault awareness month.

VIII. Adjournment: Secretary Knight made a motion to adjourn the meeting Club and Organization Knight seconded the motion. Meeting adjourned at 5:39 PM.