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Campus Center Room 204
Wednesday, November 9, 2005 7:00pm

Members Present: Laura Magliochetti, Emily Taylor, Molly Giammarco, Kim Paull, Ka’Neda Ellison, Katy Gabel, Stacey Baird, Maia Porter, Monique Robinson, Marissa Maples, Adriana Rua, Mckay LeBlanc

Member Absent: Maeghan Vaillancourt, Meg Ambrus, Nkechi Nneji

I. Call to Order
   A. Ka’Neda called the meeting to order at 7:08

II. Roll Call

III. Minutes
   A. Motion to approve the minutes from 11-2-05 passes 7-0-2

IV. Business
   A. Committee Updates
      1. Ka’Neda
         a. E-newsletter
            i. Second Monday of every month
            ii. Submit articles by the Wednesday before
         b. Meeting with Mela Dutka
            i. Discussed the Judicial Board
            ii. Health services
               i. Parents should not receive mail from hospital if 
                  under college insurance
               iii. Earthquake relief efforts
                  i. Look into doing something for Smith community to 
                     support the relief effort
            c. Rally Day committee meeting
               i. Discussed faculty teaching awards
      2. Class of 2006
         a. Hoedown was not a huge success
         b. Care-package letters will be sent out tomorrow
      3. Curriculum Committee
         a. Publicity week of November 28th
            i. Computers set up in Campus Center for ASPECTS, 
               i. Candy and stress balls as incentives
                  1. Difficult with no budget
         b. Faculty teaching awards
            i. May now nominate via email
         c. Meeting with Provost to discuss class size, etc.
      4. Honor Board
         a. 5 people remaining to sign Honor Code
         b. Busy with post midterm cases
      5. Treasurer
a. Trying to figure out why Curriculum Committee doesn’t have any money

6. ORC
   a. Not meeting tomorrow because of Celebration
   b. Meeting with Ayoka tonight
   c. Guidelines have been established

7. Class of 2007
   a. Historian quit
   b. Having difficulties with care-packages

8. Ada Class
   a. Faculty wine and cheese was on Tuesday
   b. Postponing Red Cross silent auction

9. Diversity Committee
   a. Doing house teas to encourage discourse
   b. Tabling to see what issues are on peoples minds

10. Class of 2008
    a. Care-package letters will be sent out soon
    b. Having some difficulty with cabinet
    c. Hot tubs during reading period
    d. “How-to” dance event
    e. Tentative joint party at Amherst next semester

11. Class of 2009
    a. Working on care packages, setting goals and what the class wants
    b. Swamped with emails regarding dining
    c. Trying to communicate effectively with class

12. Hurricane Katrina Relief Benefit Dinner
    a. Next Wednesday, 11/16/05
    b. Menu has been decided

C. SGA Forum Series
   1. Social Discourse: Class and Privilege Awareness
      a. November 21, 2005, 7-8:30 Carroll Room
      b. Have case scenarios and statistics at each table
      c. Cabinet members sit at each table
      d. Cabinet members may write up scenarios

   2. Live Chats with Student Reps. On College Committees
      a. November 28, 2005, 7-8:30 Carroll Room

   3. Social Discourse: Gender and Sexuality
      a. December 5, 2005, 12-1:15 Carroll Room

   4. Smith College changing the world one student at a time: Why I LOVE Smith College!
      a. February 14, 2005, 12-1:15 Carroll Room

D. Discussion
   1. Trustee Communication
      a. House Community
         i. BOT was interested in how we are creating new traditions as well as increasing morale on campus
      b. Curriculum/Rankings
         i. BOT was surprised that cabinet members weren’t accepted for gold key
ii. Representative from President’s Office claimed the statistics regarding rankings to be incorrect

iii. Successful in getting point across

c. Dining and House community should be made into one issue because when discussing dining, it always leads to house community

d. Diversity
   i. Naomi made it difficult to get discussion time with trustees, despite her knowledge of the Common Ground initiative

2. December Finals De-stressing Event
   a. Doughnuts?
   b. Two locations: Neilson and Quad
   c. Two vans driving around

3. Seven Sisters Conference
   a. Keynote speaker
      i. Sally Katzen
      ii. Alice Hearst
   b. Include Bryn Mawr in the planning process

4. Staff Appreciation Day
   a. To be held in April

VIII. Adjournment

   Ka’Neda adjourned the meeting at 8:49